

2010-2011 Gorham Recreation Department

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PLAYERS / PARTICIPANTS

Initial Each Line

Participant's Name: _____

- _____ I will demonstrate good sportsmanship. I understand name calling and swearing will not be tolerated.
- _____ I will attend every practice and game that I can, and will notify my coach if I cannot. I will be on time for practices and games. Otherwise, I understand my playing time may be affected.
- _____ I will show respect to my coaches, teammates, opponents, and game officials by treating them as I would like to be treated.
- _____ I will do my best to listen and learn from my coaches.
- _____ I will do my very best in school.
- _____ I will not smoke, use tobacco products, drugs or alcohol.
- _____ I will not argue with officials and / or the coach.
- _____ I will be a good sport, win with modesty, and lose with dignity.
- _____ I will play by the Rules.
- _____ I will take care of the facilities, help put away equipment and pick up before leaving practices and games.
- _____ I will use the equipment properly.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS /GUARDIANS

Initial Each Line

Parent / Guardians Name: _____

- _____ I pledge to provide positive support, care and encouragement for my child participating in all Recreation Dept. activities.
- _____ I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches and officials at all times.
- _____ I will place the emotional and physical well being of my child ahead of my personal desire to win.
- _____ I will support coaches and officials working with my child in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience.
- _____ I will do my best to make Gorham Recreation Department events, activities and games fun for my child.
- _____ I will encourage my child to treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect.
- _____ I will do my very best to make sure my child gets to the games and practices on time. If my child cannot attend, I will let the coach know in advance. Otherwise playing time for my child may be affected.
- _____ I will demand a sports environment for my child that is free from drugs, tobacco, and alcohol and I will refrain from their use at all sporting events and activities. I understand there is NO smoking, tobacco use, alcohol or drugs on town property.
- _____ Should an issue arise that I am not comfortable with, I will address my concern to the following individuals in this order:
(1) Head Coach, (2) Recreation Director, (3) Town Manager
- _____ I will not address my concerns while a game or practice is in progress. I will never question, discuss, or confront coaches at the game field, and will take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time.
- _____ I will return my child's uniform on or before the due date.

NO TOLERANCE POLICY

Gorham Recreation Department has established a NO TOLERANCE POLICY towards unsportsmanlike behavior. Any PLAYER, COACH, or SPECTATOR who verbally disagrees, abuses or loudly expresses oneself can be ejected, penalized or removed from the premises. This may be done without warning and will be strictly enforced. Most of the officials and workers are volunteering their time. Please respect their efforts in putting on a quality program for the children

I have read and understand the Code of Conduct for Players and Parents /Guardians as well as the No Tolerance Policy and do hereby agree to the terms.

Participant's Signature: _____

Date: ___/___/2010

Parent / Guardian's Signature: _____

Date: ___/___/2010