

# **PARENTS' CODE OF ETHICS**

from "National Alliance for Youth Sports"

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child participating in youth sports by following this Parents' Code of Ethics Pledge.

I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches and officials at every game, practice, or other youth sports event.

I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child ahead of a personal desire to win.

I will insist that my child plays in a safe and healthy environment.

I will support coaches and officials working with my child, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.

I will demand a sports environment for my child that is free of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol, and will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.

I will remember that the game is for youth – not for adults.

I will do my very best to make youth sports fun for my child.

I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans, and officials, with respect regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.

I promise to help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by doing whatever I can, such as being a respectable fan, assisting with coaching, or providing transportation.

I will require that my child's coach be trained in the responsibilities of being a youth sports coach and that the coach upholds the Coaches' Code of Ethics.

I will read the NYSCA National Standards for Youth Sports and do what I can to help all youth sports organizations implement and enforce them.

I will be a good steward and pick up all trash from the bleacher area or wherever I may find it and place in the trash receptacle. I will also teach my child to pick up all litter.

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PARENTS NAME

SPORT

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PARENTS SIGNATURE

DATE

The Claremore Parks and Recreation Department support all youth sports in Claremore. The Rogers County Baseball Association (RCBA), the Claremore Soccer Club (CSC), and the Claremore Girls Softball Association (CGSA), work in harmony with the City of Claremore in the use of city facilities and services. We hope the parents will join with all concerned to make this year's program a memorable experience for the kids.