

## MUSTANG PARENTS' CODE OF CONDUCT

As parents, we all love to watch our children play sports. It's very easy for even the most well-intentioned parents to get caught up in the game and perhaps act in an unbecoming way. Though everyone can understand an occasional slip, continued behavior is considered unacceptable. I urge all parents to keep the following rules in mind. Doing so will help to curb negative behaviors by both adults and their child(ren) and should help to make the season an enjoyable experience.

- 1.) Remember that the game is for children, not for adults.
- 2.) Control your emotions.
- 3.) Be a respectful fan and do not yell at officials.
- 4.) Encourage good sportsmanship.
- 5.) Show respect for all players and do not ridicule players.
- 6.) Do not encourage violence (e.g., "take her down") or curse at players.
- 7.) Do not blame anyone after a loss. The team loses; not an individual.
- 8.) Do not yell advice to your child during a game.
- 9.) Let the coach do the coaching.
- 10.) Volunteer, as needed.

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