**Stillwater Sandlot LLC Code of Conduct**

*For Players, Parents, Coaches, and Volunteers*
*Effective Fall 2025 – Summer 2026*

**For Players**

* Play by the rules.
* Show respect to umpires, coaches, teammates, and opponents at all times.
* Accept calls and decisions with sportsmanship – no arguing or displays of poor behavior.
* Support and encourage your teammates.
* Attend practices and games on time and ready to play.
* Give your best effort, win or lose.
* No foul language, taunting, or unsportsmanlike conduct.
* Treat equipment and facilities with care.

**For Parents and Guardians**

* Cheer positively and respectfully for all players – not just your own.
* Never coach from the sidelines during games or practices.
* Allow coaches to coach and umpires to officiate.
* Concerns should be raised respectfully and privately after games, never during.
	+ **Use the 24-Hour Rule:** If you feel the issue is serious or important enough to discuss, wait 24 hours before addressing it with a coach or league official. This cooling-off period helps ensure calm, respectful, and productive communication.
* Avoid criticism, negativity, or confrontations at games or practices.
* Support a safe and inclusive environment for all children.

**For Coaches and Volunteers**

* Maintain professionalism and sportsmanship at all times.
* Treat all players fairly and with respect.
* Emphasize skill development, teamwork, and effort over winning.
* Provide encouragement and constructive feedback.
* Follow all league safety rules and report any incidents or injuries.
* Ensure proper supervision of players at all times.

**Consequences for Violations**

Stillwater Sandlot reserves the right to take disciplinary action, which may include:

* Verbal or written warnings
* Removal from games or practices
* Temporary or permanent suspension from the organization without refund

**Acknowledgement**

By signing below, both player and parent/guardian acknowledge that they have read, understand, and agree to abide by the Stillwater Sandlot Code of Conduct.

**Player Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_