

## **AWYFAE PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT**

IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN A LEVEL OF DECORUM FOR AWYFAE IN A POSITIVE SENSE,  
THE FOLLOWING CODE OF CONDUCT WILL BE MAINTAINED.

### **POLICY**

1. THE CODE OF CONDUCT IS EFFECTIVE FOR ALL AWYFAE TEAMS DURING ALL GAMES AND PRACTICES IN-HOUSE OR TOURNAMENT PLAY.
2. EACH PLAYER AND PARENT/GUARDIAN SHALL BE GIVEN A COPY OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT AT SIGN UPS OR PRIOR TO THE START OF YOUR TEAM'S FIRST PRACTICE.
3. CODE OF CONDUCT BEGINS FROM THE TIME ANYONE ENTERS ANY FIELD FOR GAMES OR PRACTICES (HOME OR AWAY) UNTIL DEPARTURE OFF THE PREMISES. PRACTICE CONDUCT IS SUBJECT TO PRESIDENT AND/OR HEAD COACH'S DISCIPLINE, USING THE CODE AS A GUIDELINE.
4. CODE VIOLATORS WILL BE WARNED OR EJECTED IMMEDIATELY.

### **CODE**

EVERY PLAYER, COACH, PARENT, OFFICIAL, OR SPECTATOR SHALL NOT:

1. ABUSE EITHER VERBALLY AND/OR PHYSICALLY ANYONE.
2. THROW ANY OBJECT ON OR OFF THE FIELD IN THE MANNER AS TO CREATE A SAFETY HAZARD TO ANYONE.
3. TAUNT ANYONE BY MEANS OF BAITING OR RIDICULING A THREAT OF PHYSICAL VIOLENCE TO ANYONE.

### **EJECTION ENFORCEMENT**

PRESIDENTS/VICE PRESIDENTS SHALL HAVE THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR OWN CONDUCT AND THE CONDUCT OF THEIR HEAD COACHES, ASST COACHES, PLAYERS, AND FANS AND SHOULD ABIDE AND IMPOSE THE APPROPRIATE PROVISIONS OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT WHEN NECESSARY.

1. OFFICIALS SHALL HAVE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR OWN CONDUCT AND CAN ENFORCE EJECTION TO ANY MANAGER, COACH, PLAYER, PARENT, OR SPECTATOR THAT BREAKS THE CODE.
2. AWYFAE BOARD MEMBERS CAN ENFORCE EJECTION TO ANYONE INCLUDING OFFICIALS THAT BREAK THE CODE.
3. GAME WILL NOT RESUME UNTIL ANYONE THAT BREAKS THE CODE IS WARNED OR EJECTED AND VIOLATOR THAT WAS EJECTED IS GONE FROM THE PREMISES.

### **PUNISHMENT**

1. ANYONE THAT IS EJECTED FOR BREAKING THE CODE WILL HAVE THEIR VIOLATION REVIEWED BY THE AWYFAE BOARD.
2. FINAL JUDGEMENT (PUNISHMENT) FOR CODE VIOLATORS THAT HAVE BEEN EJECTED WILL BE DECIDED BY THE AWYFAE BOARD. VIOLATORS CAN'T APPEAL FINAL JUDGEMENTS.
3. DEPENDING ON THE SEVERITY OF THE OFFENSE THE AWYFAE BOARD CAN SUSPEND ANY VIOLATOR ONE OR MORE GAMES, BALANCE OF THE SEASON, OR LIFE.

### **OVERVIEW**

AWYFAE IS A YOUTH ORGANIZATION DEALING WITH THE IMPRESSIONAL YEARS OF A CHILD'S LIFE. WE, AS ADULTS, ARE THEIR FIRST ROLE MODELS AS THEY FOLLOW BY EXAMPLE. WE SHOULD NEVER MISBEHAVE; HOWEVER, SHOULD CODE VIOLATION OCCUR, WE REQUEST THAT ALL PLAYERS, COACHES, PARENTS, AND SPECTATORS COOPERATE WITH THE AWYFAE BOARD IN IDENTIFYING THE OFFENDING PARTY OR PARTIES NO MATTER WHOM THEY MAY BE.

By signing below, I agree to these terms and will accept responsibility of my conduct.

PLAYER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_