

Clarksville National Little League

PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

We, the Clarksville National Little League “CNLL” Board of Directors, have implemented the following Parent Code of Conduct for the important message that it holds about the proper role of parents in supporting the youth of our community and their child at CNLL..

The essential elements of character building and ethics in sports are the foundations of sportsmanship and are demonstrated by the core principles of respect, responsibility, fairness, and good citizenship.

As a CNLL Parent, I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for each child participating in CNLL by adhering to the following code of conduct:

- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support at all times;
- I will remember that children participate to have fun, and that the game is for youth, not adults;
- I will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player or parent such as booing and taunting, refusing to shake hands, or using profane language;
- I will teach my child that doing one's best as a team member is of the highest importance;
- I will respect the officials and their authority during games;
- I will not confront coaches or managers at any time during or immediately following games;
- I will discuss any issues I have with the coaches or managers in private;
- I will refrain from coaching (from outside the fence) my child or other players during games;
- Tobacco and Alcoholic beverages are prohibited at CNLL facilities.
- I will ensure that all safety

I also agree that if I fail to abide by the aforementioned rules and guidelines, I will be subject to disciplinary action levied by the CNLL Board of Directors’ Code of Conduct Committee that could include, but is not limited to the following:

- Verbal Warning
- Written Warning
- Parental suspension for games
- Parental season suspension
- Parental removal from all league activities

The CNLL Board of Directors retains the sole authority to determine what, if any, disciplinary action is appropriate for any conduct infraction. Each incident will be reviewed on a case by case basis. All determinations by the CNLL Board and its Officers is Final.

PARENT NAME

CHILD’S TEAM

PARENT SIGNATURE

DATE

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MANAGER/COACH CODE OF CONDUCT

Clarksville National Little League “CNLL” plays an important role in promoting the physical, social, and emotional development of children. As managers and coaches in CNLL you should be models of good sportsmanship and behavior for your child and all children in the community including participants and spectators alike.

The CNLL Board of Directors ask that you pledge to be responsible for your words and actions while coaching, officiating, and participating in CNLL events, and that you conform your behavior to the following Code of Conduct:

- Place the emotional and physical well-being of players ahead of personal desire to win;
- Treat each player as an individual, remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for the same age group;
- Safety is of the utmost importance-Do your best to provide a safe playing environment for all players;
- Do your best to organize practices that are fun, challenging and developmental for all players;
- Lead by example in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship to all players;
- Teach the rules of the game to all players and parents;
- Remember that you are a Little League Manager/Coach and that the game is for children and not adults;
- Do not abuse other coaches, umpires, parents, or players;
- Promote fun, fairness, and sportsmanship over winning;
- Do not engage in the use of profanity or other offensive language;
- I agree to keep all matters in confidence that is revealed to me by a Parent or League Official (within the confinements of the law)
- Encourage all team members to treat all players, teammates, coaches, officials, and parents with respect;
- Emphasize and foster a team atmosphere and not individual achievements;
- Be responsible for league policies;
- Return all equipment and player evaluations per league policies;

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- Verbal warning
- Written warning
- Manager/coaches suspension for games
- Manager/coaches season suspension
- Manager/coach removal from all league activities

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MANAGER/COACHES NAME

TEAM

MANAGER/COACHES SIGNATURE

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PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

Player's responsibilities are simple; be respectful of others, be responsible, play fair, play hard and always do your best, and always exhibit good sportsmanship.

As a Clarksville National Little League "CNLL" participant I hereby pledge that I will:

- Encourage good sportsmanship from fellow players, coaches, officials, and parents;
- Be a team player and support my teammates;
- Be on time and attend every practice and game that I can, and will notify my coaches if I cannot;
- Work hard to improve my skills;
- Do my best to listen and learn from my manager and coaches;
- Encourage my parents to be involved with my team in some capacity;
- Congratulate the other team after each game as a demonstration of sportsmanship;
- Refrain from using violence, unfriendly language, or insults to others;
- Be generous when I win and gracious when I lose;
- Obey the rules of the game and always work for the good of the team;
- Accept the decisions of the officials with grace and never challenge or question calls. Refrain from challenging or questioning on-field calls by officials and/or managers and coaches;
- Conduct myself with honor and dignity;
- Applaud the efforts of my teammates and opponents; and
- Always abide by the league safety rules.
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I also agree that if I fail to abide by the aforementioned rules and guidelines, I will be subject to disciplinary action levied by the CNLL Board of Directors' Code of Conduct Committee that could include but is not limited to the following:

- Verbal warning
- Written warning
- Player suspension for games
- Player suspension for season including postseason (All Stars & TOC)
- Player being expelled from the league
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CHILD'S NAME

CHILD'S TEAM

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