



CERES YOUTH BASEBALL Parent/Player Code of Conduct

Division: _____ **Team Name:** _____
Player Name _____

The Ceres Youth Baseball/Softball League Board of Directors has mandated the following Code of Conduct. All parents, guardians of players will read this Code of Conduct and sign in the space provided below, acknowledging that he or she understands and agrees to comply with the Code of Conduct. It will be the parent/guardian's responsibility to have all players, understand the rules. He/she sign the form and turn it in to their respective coach.

Ceres Youth Baseball/Softball Code of Conduct: No board member, manager, coach, player or spectator shall, at any time:

- Lay a hand upon, push, shove, strike, or threaten to strike an official.
- Be guilty of verbal or physical abuse upon any official for any real or imaginary belief of a wrong decision or judgment.
- Be guilty of an objectionable demonstration of dissent at an official's decision by throwing of gloves, helmets, hats, bats, balls, or any other forceful un-sportsman like conduct.
- Be guilty of using unnecessarily rough tactics in the play of a game against the body of an opposing player.
- Be guilty of a physical attack upon any board member, official, manager, coach, player or spectator.
- Be guilty of the use of profane, obscene or vulgar language in any manner at any time.
- Appear on the field of play, bleachers, or anywhere on the baseball complex while in an intoxicated state. Intoxicated will be defined as an odor or behavior issue.
- Be guilty of gambling upon any play outcome of any game with anyone at any time.
- Smoke while inside the baseball complex
- Be guilty of publicly discussing with spectators in a derogatory or abusive manner any play, decision or a personal opinion on any players during the game.
- Speak disrespectfully to any manager, coach, official, parent, player or representative of the league.
- Be guilty of tampering or manipulating any league, rosters, schedules, draft positions or selections, official scorebooks, pitch count, rankings, financial records or procedures.
- Challenge an umpire's authority. The umpires shall have the authority and discretion during a game to penalize the offender according to the infraction up to and including expulsion from the game.

The Board of Directors will review all infractions of the Code of Conduct. Depending on the seriousness or frequency, the board may assess additional disciplinary action up to and including expulsion from the league.

I have read the Ceres Youth Baseball & Softball League Code of Conduct and promise to adhere to its rules and regulations.

Print Name of Parent or Guardian

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

Print Name of Player

Signature of Player

Date