

THE PURPOSE OF THE PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT IS TO DEFINE EXPECTATIONS OF PARENTS OF CHILDREN PARTICIPATING IN THE WEE HAWK CHEER PROGRAM. THE INTENT IS TO PROACTIVELY ELIMINATE POTENTIAL PROBLEMS AND UNPLEASANT EXPERIENCES BY OFFERING SPECIFIC GUIDLINES. EACH PARENT IS TO READ AND SIGN, AS A FORM OF ACCEPTANCE OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- * I WILL ENSURE MY CHILD MAKES ALL PRACTICES AND GAMES ON TIME AND IS PREPARED WITH THE APPROPRIATE NEEDS FOR PRACTICE AND GAMES INCLUDING WATER FOR WATER BREAKS.
- * I UNDERSTAND THAT I AM TO STAY WITH MY CHILD OR ENSURE THAT ANOTHER RESPONSIBLE ADULT IS PRESENT AT ALL PRACTICES, GAMES, AND ORGANIZED FUNCTIONS. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT CHILDREN'S SERVICES WILL BE NOTIFIED IF MY CHILD IS PERPETUALLY LEFT UNATTENDED.
- * I WILL PLACE THE EMOTIONAL AND PHYSICAL WELL BEING OF MY CHILD, AND OTHER CHILDREN IN THE PROGRAM, AHEAD OF MY OWN PERSONAL DESIRE TO WIN.
- * I WILL REFRAIN FROM DEROGATORY REMARKS OR ACTIONS AGAINST GAME OFFICIALS, COACHES, PLAYERS, OTHER PARENTS, STAFF, OR BOARD MEMBERS.
- * I WILL ACT AS A POSITIVE AND SUPPORTING ROLE MODEL FOR MY CHILD. I WILL LEAD BY EXAMPLE IN DEMONSTRATING FAIR PLAY AND SPORTSMANSHIP TO MY CHILD.
- * I WILL POSITIVELY REINFORCE THE EFFORTS OF MY CHILD'S COACH AND WILL NOT UNDERMINE THE COACHES AUTHORITY ON OR OFF THE PRACTICE / GAME FIELD.
- * I WILL TREAT WEE HAWK COACHES, OFFICIALS, STAFF, OPPONENTS, OTHER PARENTS, SPECTATORS, AND BOARD MEMBERS WITH RESPECT, COURTESY, AND SUPPORT. I WILL NOT THREATEN, SLANDER, HARASS, PROVOKE, OR STRIKE ANYONE AT ANY TIME.
- * I WILL NOT INTERRUPT PRACTICES OR GAMES TO SPEAK WITH THE COACHING STAFF. I UNDERSTAND THAT A FIELD REPRESENTATIVE AND OR TEAM MOM CAN BE FOUND/CONSULTED FOR ANY URGENT CONCERNS DURING GAME OR THE TEAM MOM CAN BE FOUND/CONSULTED AT PRACTICES. ALL COVERSATIONS WITH THE COACHING STAFF ARE TO BE PRE-ARRANGED BEFORE OR AFTER PRACTICE / GAME.
- * I UNDERSTAND THAT I AM NOT TO GO ONTO FIELD DURING THE COURSE OF THE GAME. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT I AM TO REMAIN AT LEAST 10 YARDS AWAY FROM THE PLAYERS BENCH OR THE MAXIMUM DISTANCE POSSIBLE AT ALL GAMES PER THE WOJFC MANDATE.

****WOJFC BI LAWS- "PARENTS AND SPECTATORS WILL BE REQUIRED TO REMAIN AT A MINIMUM OF 10 YARDS FROM THE ENTIRE PLAYING FIELD OUT OF BOUND SIDE LINES AND END ZONE MARKERS, EXCEPT FOR THOSE PLAYING FIELDS WHICH CANNOT ACCOMMODATE THE MINIMUM 10 YARD BOUNDARIES. THEN A MAXIMUM AREA AS THE FIELD FACILITIES PERMITS MUST BE IDENTIFIED IN A SAFE MANNER BEHIND THE PLAYERS BENCH, OR FOR THE EXPRESS PURPOSE OF THE USE OF THE FIELD FACILITIES. (CONCESSION STAND, BATHROOMS) AT NO**

TIME DURING REGULATION PLAYING TIME WILL ANY SPECTATOR OR PERSON BE PERMITTED IN THE END ZONES OR AT THE GOAL POST. "***

* I WILL NOT SMOKE 20 FEET FROM ANY PRACTICE OR PLAYING FIELD. NOR WILL I THROW MY CIGERETTE BUTTS DOWN ON THE GROUND. I WILL DISPOSE OF THEM IN THE "BUTT CAN", IN THE DESIGNATED SMOKING AREA.

* I WILL ENSURE THE UNIFORM ISSUED TO MY DAUGHTER FOR THE SEASON, IS PROPERLY CARED FOR WHILE IN OUR POSSESSION. I DO UNDERSTAND THAT IF THE UNIFORM IS DAMAGED, THERE WILL BE A FEE DUE AT RETURNS. WITH NO EXCEPTIONS. (UNIFORMS ARE NOT TO BE DRIED IN THE DRYER. THEY ARE TO BE HUNG DRY. THIS WILL CAUSE THEM TO SHRINK, AND COULD DAMAGE MATERIAL/LETTERING.)

*NO DRINKING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR USE OF DRUGS ARE ALLOWED AT ANY PRACTICE OR GAME FIELDS.

* NO SWEARING OR FOUL LANGUAGE WILL BE TOLERATED AT ANY PRACTICE, GAMES, OR WEE HAWK FUNCTIONS.

* FIREARMS ARE PROHIBITED FROM ALL PRACTICES, GAMES, OR FUNCTIONS.

* NO PETS ARE ALLOWED AT ANY WOJFC PRACTICE OR PLAYING FIELD.

IT IS EXPECTED THAT ALL PARENTS WILL ABIDE BY THESE RULES AT ALL TIMES. THIS CODE OF CONDUCT WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE RULES WILL RESULT IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS.

STEP ONE: A VERBAL WARNING WILL BE GIVEN BY THE COACH OR A BOARD MEMBER

STEP TWO: PARENT WILL BE SUSPENDED FOR ONE GAME INITIATED BY PRESIDENT. WRITTEN CONFIRMATION SIGNED BY PARENT, COACH, AND PRESIDENT. IF THE SEVERITY OF THE OFFENSE INDICATES A STRONGER PENALTY IS WARRANTED, STEP THREE WILL BE IMPOSED.

STEP THREE: PARENT WILL BE SUSPENDED FROM ALL PRACTICE, GAMES, AND FUNCTIONS, UNTIL THE BOARD DEEMS APPROPRIATE. WRITTEN CONFIRMATION SIGNED BY PARENT, COACH, AND PRESIDENT.

I AM REPRESENTING AND SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT ON BEHALF OF ALL THE PARENTS AND SPECTATORS THAT WILL BE APART OF MY CHILD'S YOUTH CHEER EXPERIENCE, IN THE COURSE OF THIS LEAGUE.