



Parental Code of Conduct

I will remember and remind my child that baseball is only a game, and that players and coaches on the other team are not enemies, but opponents who deserve our respect.

I will remember that my child plays baseball for his benefit, not mine.

I will familiarize myself with the rules of the game of baseball.

I will be encouraging and supportive of my child and their performance on the field.

I will ensure that my child arrives on time and is properly equipped for all games and practices. If I run into a delay or necessary absence, I will notify the coach in advance.

I will support the coaches and the team.

I will not interfere, at any time, with the duties and responsibilities of the coaches.

I will respect the coach's decisions regarding the amount of playing time my child receives.

I will make every effort to adhere to the principles of good sportsmanship and insist upon the same from my child.

I will endeavor to remain quiet when I cannot make a positive comment.

I will respect umpires and accept their decisions, and I will not engage in any dissent directed toward an umpire, even if I don't agree with the call.

I will always interact with players, coaches, umpires, and other parents in a civil and dignified manner.

I will never insult and/or embarrass any player on my child's team or an opposing team for making a mental mistake or playing error.

I will never threaten or use physical violence toward any player, coach, umpire, or spectator, regardless of the situation.

I will not act in any manner that is detrimental to the team or organization.

Repeated demonstrations of behavior that are in direct violation of the Spring Grove Baseball Association's Parental Code of Conduct will be referred to the Board. The Board has the authority to suspend any parent who does not comply with this Code of Conduct.