



FALCON YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

Parent's Code of Conduct

“Coaches coach, Players play, and Parents parent”. This saying has been around for decades and holds more weight now in today’s modern society where youth sports have become the main focal point for athletic grooming, social positioning and over zealotry. It is extremely important for every parent to understand their child is one of many of their team as well as the teams they compete against. Football is a team sports!

The **Falcon Youth Football Association** is dedicated to providing a positive and safe environment for every child, coach, spectator, and referee attending all FYFA activities, including practices and competitive games. The following is not intended to punish any kids in anyway. The pure intent is to focus adult behavior toward the positives of youth sports and away from the negatives that could ruin their child’s, as well as many other children’s experience. The Falcon Youth Football Association has hundreds of kids every year. To best protect everyone, this is a cumulative effort. Indiscretions and violations will be tallied and recorded across season and will not reset year to year.

Minor Indiscretions: *All indiscretions and penalties are subject to the full discretion of the Falcon Youth Football Association.*

1st Offense – Meeting with the team head coach(es), and the FYFA Board of Directors.

2nd Offense – The child / children of the parent must “sit out” the first half of the next game.

3rd Offense – The child / children of the parent must “sit out” the entire game next game.

Examples are but not limited to:

- Requesting specific positions or unfair treatment
- Openly criticizing coaches or referees during or after the games
- Not allow coaches 24 hour “cool down” after games
- Unsportsmanlike conduct or uncontrollable emotions
- Openly criticizing other athletes, parents, coaches, and / or teams at any time
- Use of social media to publicly defame other athletes, parents, coaches and / or teams at any time

Major Violations: *All violations and penalties are subject to the full discretion of the Falcon Youth Football Association.*

1st Offense – Meeting with the team head coach(es), and the FYFA Board of Directors.

2nd Offense – The child / children of the parent must “sit out” the entire game next game.

3rd Offense – Banned from all remaining FYFA activities for that season. (Use of police may be required.)

Examples are but not limited to:

- Swearing in the presence of the kids
- Arguing or raising your voice around the kids
- Physical threats of any kind towards anyone
- Spectators walking onto the field or sidelines
- Alcohol, tobacco, or drug use at FYFA activities
- Illegal behavior at FYFA activities

The **Falcon Youth Football Association** reserves the right to take appropriate disciplinary actions involving any parent in violation of this code of conduct.

I / We hereby pledge to adhere to the **FYFA Parent’s Code of Conduct**. I / We fully understand if I / We do not uphold them, I / We will be held accountable for my behavior. Any violations will result in immediate action by FYFA.

Athlete’s name: _____

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____