

WYAA PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

BASEBALL, COMETS AND METEORS

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

As a Westland Youth Athletic Association 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 coaches.
- Encourage my parents to be involved with my team in some capacity.
- Congratulate the other team after each game as a demonstration of good 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 integrity, honor and dignity.
- Applaud the efforts of my teammates and opponents.
- Substance use and/or possession thereof (drugs, alcohol, and/or tobacco) is cause for immediate dismissal from the program.
- WYAA prohibits and will not tolerate acts of harassment, intimidation and bullying (including cyber-bullying). "Harassment, intimidation or bullying" means any gesture, any written, verbal or physical act, or any electronic communication.
- Players run the risk of immediate suspension or permanent termination, if you are responsible for making disparaging, threatening, offensive, retaliatory or otherwise inappropriate comments made about the league, any board member, any director/coach, any parent or any player on Facebook, Twitter or any other social networking site.

I also agree that if I fail to abide by the rules and guidelines, I will be subject to disciplinary action by the WYAA Board of Directors that could include but is not limited to the following:

- Verbal warning
- Written warning
- Player suspension for games
- Player suspension for season including postseason
- Player being expelled from the league

The Westland Youth Athletic Association Board of Directors retains the sole authority to determine what, if any, disciplinary action is appropriate for any conduct infraction.

Players Signature _____ Parents Signature _____

Team Name: _____ Date: _____

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