



## East Liverpool Athletics

# PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

As part of our on-going effort to improve sportsmanship and communication between players, parents, and coaches, the following Parent Code of Conduct will be used. Your signature at the bottom of this Code is **required** to verify that you have been given, understand, and agree to abide by this Code. If it is necessary to eject a parent from a contest, the parent will be prohibited from attending the same number of games that your son or daughter would have to sit out if they were ejected. (2 games for first offense) If a second ejection occurs, there will be a suspension for all games in all sports for the remainder of the current school year. This form is to be returned with your student athlete's paperwork, and he/she will NOT be permitted to participate until the signed Code is returned.

As a parent, I agree to abide by the following:

1. Encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support at all times, for all players, coaches, fans, and officials at games, practices and other sporting events.
2. Place the well-being of our team before a personal desire to win.
3. Encourage my child to play by the rules and respect the other players as well as the coaches, fans and officials.
4. When a concern arises, I will contact my child's coach or the athletic director by either telephone or by e-mail for the sole purpose of making an appointment. No other issues will be discussed or mentioned in this communication.
5. A meeting will be set up at a time convenient to both parties. Playing time or playing position **will not be** discussed at this meeting.
6. There will be a **written record** of the meeting including any mutually agreed upon resolutions. All in attendance will sign the document. This document will become the basis for any further meeting(s) about this issue.

**ATHLETE'S NAME (Print):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sport(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Father (or guardian)'s signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother (or guardian)'s signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Code of Conduct signed:** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_