

Connersville Youth Football League

Player/Parent Code of Conduct Agreement

During registration, you agree to the following:

As members of CYFL, there are guidelines and expectations that all players, coaches, parents and spectators will abide by. All aspects included within, are intended to make playing football a positive experience for the players, coaches and fans and to assist your children in becoming both better players and people. **CYFL Prides itself on proper sportsmanship and sideline behavior, help us set the example for the enjoyment of players, coaches, parents and all spectators.**

1. Zero Tolerance Policy

Connersville Youth Football has a zero tolerance policy toward abuse of referees. No comments will be directed at referees or assistant referees. This policy is in place for both home and away games. Negative comments toward officials will be dealt with seriously and may result in the offender being suspended from further games. This is your "warning".

2. Sideline Behavior

Coaches are responsible for controlling players and conduct of parents on the sidelines. Your role on game day is that of a parent and a fan. We ask that you keep all verbal communication positive. We also ask that you do not enter the coaches' box to communicate with your player. If there is an issue please notify a member of the coaching staff. We also ask that you do not bring your participant any type of food, soda, or sports drink during play. If your child approaches you while the game is in play please encourage them to return to the sideline to be with his team.

3. Role of CYFL Parent

The role of the parent is important for all young athletes. Practices are very important and should always be attended by players. If a child needs to miss because of a family or medical issue please contact the coach prior to practice. If there isn't notification the player will not be able to start the next contest. Coaches need the undivided attention of players to be able to train and get their point across. Parents are welcome to attend practices. We encourage parents to attend all games to support a positive atmosphere and applaud good effort.

4. Volunteerism

Connersville Youth Football relies heavily on its' volunteers. This is a great way to get to know other parents, players, and to give back to the program. We ask that you find a way to contribute through your time, your talent, or your treasure. A list of jobs that need to be accomplished throughout the season is on the website. Please identify something that works with your schedule and sign up.

5. CYFL Player/Parent Expectations

As players and parents we expect your best behavior on and off the field. At all times that you are wearing your uniform or accompanying a player you are representing the CYFL and the community. We expect players and parents to respect all participants in the football world including, but not limited to, coaches, officials, players, and parents whether they are from the CYFL or an opposing team. At all times we expect players and parents to use common sense and exhibit sportsmanlike behavior. Any violation of these expectations will be dealt with on a case by case basis. Again, CYFL has a zero tolerance policy for physical or verbal abuse of or by all coaches, officials, referees, players, and parents. Violation of this policy may be grounds for suspension from CYFL.

6. Parent/Coach Interaction

Parents and coaches should keep an open line of communication. Parents should contact a coach with an issue before or after practice away from the players. Coaches should contact parents regarding issues away from players before or after practices. The best solution to any problem is communication. If parent and coach can't reach a mutual agreement on an issue, parents are welcome to contact Coach Kelly, CHS Head Coach and CYFL President, at 913-522-6555 or through email akelly@fayette.k12.in.us

*** Players in the Classroom***

Players are expected to put forth their best efforts in the classroom. Proper conduct is included in this. Misbehavior or poor performances in the classroom may result in consequences that will be determined by the coaching staff.

Parent Name _____ Parent Signature _____

Player Name _____ Player Signature _____

Grade Level _____ School _____