



Player Code of Conduct Contract

It is the intention of the Player Code of Conduct Contract to promote trustworthiness; respect; responsibility; fairness; caring; and, good citizenship for all participants within the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association. Each Player must sign the Player Code of Conduct Contract before they will be allowed to participate in any on or off-field the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association-sponsored events; each Player must continue to observe these principles during the baseball and/or softball season in accordance with the Player Code of Conduct and the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association Bylaws.

I Will:

- a) play baseball or softball because I want to, not because others or coaches want me to;
- b) play by the rules of baseball or softball and in the spirit of the game;
- c) do my best to be a true team player and work equally hard for myself and my team;
- d) abide by the principles of the Little League Code (baseball Players);
- e) act in a manner that reflects positively upon myself, my parent/guardian, team, team sponsors (if any) and the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association at all times, to and from the park, on and off the field;
- f) remember that winning isn't everything - that having fun, improving skills, making friends and doing my best are also important;
- g) respect my teammates, coaches, managers, opponents and umpires in all on-field practices/game situations;
- h) respect and accept decisions of the umpires and officials.
- i) control my temper and not use unsportsmanlike gestures, or use inappropriate talk, language, or profanity or throw gloves, bats or other equipment in disgust;
- j) demonstrate sportsmanship and participate in the on-field handshake following every game;
- k) remember that the coaches, team manager, my teammates and umpires are there to help me and accept their decisions and show them respect;
- l) co-operate with my coaches, team manager, teammates and on-field officials;
- m) never interfere with, bully, haze or take unfair advantage of any player, coach or umpire - on or off the field or in any electronic form - including all forms of on-line electronic or social media;
- n) refrain from public criticism or remarks of an inappropriate nature which may be detrimental towards a player, team, coaches, managers, umpire, volunteer or the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association be that on or off the field or in electronic form - including any and all forms of on-line, electronic or social media;
- o) never engage in any harassment including that in relation to race, colour, age, gender, ability, place of origin, sexual orientation, religion, family status, political belief or economic status of a player, team, coach, manager, opponent, volunteer, another player's parent/guardian or umpire;
- p) abide by the Bylaws, policies, procedures, codes of conduct, terms of reference and requirements of the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association, the regulations and playing rules of Little League Canada and Softball BC and/or decisions of the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association, Little League Canada or Softball BC.

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1. I agree to abide by the Player Code of Conduct and the policies, procedures, rules, requirements and decisions of the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association.
 2. By signing below I understand that if I am found to be in violation of this Contract that disciplinary action will be taken against me as set out in the Player Code of Conduct Policy and/or as provided for in the Bylaws of the Lakehill Baseball and Softball Association.

Player Name: _____
Signature: _____

Date: _____
Team: _____