



# PORTAGE WARRIOR FOOTBALL



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## PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my team participating in Portage Youth Football (PYFB) by following this Parent Code of Conduct pledge:

1. I will require that my child's coach be trained in the responsibilities of being a football coach and that the coach upholds the Coach Code of Conduct.
2. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all participants, coaches, officials, board members, and staff at a league sponsored event either at home or away.
3. I will encourage a balanced lifestyle between sport, education, and other interests.
4. I will place the emotional, psychological, and physical well-being of my child, and any other child in the league ahead of any personal desires I may have.
5. I will insist that my child participates in a safe and healthy environment.
6. I will support all coaches, board members, and others working with my child, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
7. I will accept that striving to win is more important than winning itself.
8. I will remember that the PYFB exists for the youth participants, not for the adults.
9. I will ask my child to treat other participants, coaches, board members, parents, and spectators, with respect, regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
10. I will along with any guest of mine refrain from any all-vulgar, lewd, or obscene language or gestures while participating in, or watching any PYFB sponsored event whether at home or away.
11. I will direct all my comments and criticisms of parents, participants, officials, and board members away from the children participating in PYFB or other leagues, and conduct myself in a calm, civilized manner when doing so.
12. I will refrain from using social media (i.e. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat, etc.) as a venue for airing grievances or as a place to criticize coaches, other parents, or youth participants. I will always seek out a coach or PYFB board member when I have issues that I feel need to be addressed regarding other participants in our program.
13. I will respect PYFB rules and regulations, and agree to abide by those rules, responsibilities, and this Parent Code of Conduct. Violations of these rules could result in disciplinary action up to and including permanent dismissal from PYFB.

**Note:** In order to participate in Portage Youth Football (PYFB), this form must be signed and dated. Failure of the parent to read and sign the Parent Code of Conduct will automatically render the parent ineligible to participate in activities home or away. In addition, by signing this Parent Code of Conduct pledge, parents always agree to abide by the guidelines set forth above and agree to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner. Failure to abide by this Parent Code of Conduct, or a violation of any of the guidelines set forth above, will automatically render the parent unable to participate in or attend any PYFB sponsored event (home or away). PYFB board members have the sole right to enforce violations.