



VOLUNTEER CODE OF CONDUCT

Spirit League is committed to the highest ideals of sport and expects all volunteers to act in a manner that both contributes to the overall mission of Spirit League and follows Spirit League policies. All Spirit League Volunteers agree to observe the following code of conduct:

RESPECT FOR OTHERS

- I will respect the rights, dignity and worth of athletes, coaches, other volunteers, friends and spectators in Spirit League.
- I will treat everyone equally regardless of sex, ethnic origin, religion or ability.
- I will respect the privacy issues concerning families and player disabilities.
- I will be a positive role model for the athletes.
- I will respect the property of athletic facilities.

ENSURE A POSITIVE EXPERIENCE

- I will ensure that Spirit League is a positive experience for the athletes.
- I will be fair, considerate and honest with athletes and communicate with athletes using simple, clear language.
- I will attend any Spirit League games, practices, or events in the volunteer shirt provided. I understand that if in the event that I need to replace my Spirit League volunteer shirt, I will be responsible to cover the replacement cost of \$15.00. Signed: _____ Date: _____

ACT PROFESSIONALLY AND TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR MY ACTIONS

- I will provide for the general welfare, health and safety of any Spirit League athlete in my charge during the course of my assigned duties.
- My language, manner, punctuality, preparation and presentation will demonstrate high standards.
- I will display control, respect, dignity and professionalism to all involved in the sport (athletes, coaches, opponents, officials, administrators, parents, spectators, media, etc.).
- I will encourage athletes to demonstrate the same qualities as above.
- I will not take part in smoking or chewing tobacco at any Spirit League site, except in designated areas.
- I will not drink alcohol or take illegal drugs while representing Spirit League at any Spirit League events.
- I will refrain from any form of personal abuse towards athletes and others, including verbal, physical and emotional abuse.
- I will be alert to any form of abuse from other sources directed toward athletes in my care.
- I will not engage in any type of inappropriate behavior, sexual activity and/or verbal or physical abuse with Spirit League athletes, staff, officials or volunteers.

QUALITY SERVICE TO THE ATHLETES

- I will assist to provide the highest quality event possible.
- I will be a positive role model for the athletes in the program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE ATHLETES

- I will assist in ensuring that the equipment and facilities are safe to use.
- I will encourage athletes to seek medical advice when required.
- I will maintain the same interest and support towards sick and injured athletes as healthy athletes.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____

School: _____