



Parents / Family Code of Conduct

PARENT/FAMILY CODE

I recognize and accept my responsibility as a representative of Salem Youth Football & Cheering Inc and my child's football team or Cheer Squad and pledge to follow this Parent's Code of Conduct:

1. I will NOT be a sideline coach or referee. I will limit my comments to positive reinforcement and encouragement to my child and his teammates.
2. I will lead by example in exhibiting sportsmanship and fair play at every practice and game competition. I will encourage this behavior from other coaches, players, officials, parents and supporters
3. I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child ahead of a personal desire to win. Winning should be the result of preparation, hard work and discipline.
4. .If my child develops a behavior-related problem that repeatedly disrupts practice and/or games, I promise to work with my child's coach to resolve the problem.
5. I will do my very best to make football /Cheering fun for my child and his teammates.
6. I promise to treat other fans, coaches, players, and officials with respect, regardless of race, sex, or ability, and I will expect to be treated the same in return.
7. I will not engage in physical or verbal confrontations with players, coaches, officials or fans before, during or after practices or game competitions.
8. I will refrain from the use of foul or offensive language.
9. I will provide encouragement to my child and teammates. I will refrain from making negative comments to my child or his teammates.
10. I will support the coaches and officials working with my son in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
11. I will be gracious in victory and dignified in defeat.
12. I will remember that the game is for my child and their teammates, not for adults.
13. I will remember that as a fan, *My Family and I* represent Salem Youth Football & Cheering Inc. I understand that any concerns about officiating and/or coaching during a game must be directed to the team manager. I also understand that poor behavior during practices, games, may result in expulsion from the football complex, where I must wait next to my car in the parking area for my child. If this occurs, it may result in expulsion from the program

Parent /Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent /Guardian Name (Please Print) _____