

SRSA Parents' Code of Conduct

In our effort to provide a positive and fulfilling youth softball experience we would like our volunteers, parents, and players to abide by the following Code of Conduct and report any conduct in violation of the SRSA code to the team's manager or coach.

Communicate in a positive way.

- Encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, managers and other officials at every game, practice or other softball-related event.
- Place the emotional and physical well-being of all children ahead of our own personal desire to win.
- Discuss concerns directly with the team manager or coach, outside of the presence of players and other parents.
- Be a respectful fan and supporting parent. Please keep negative comments to yourself; you never know who is sitting next to you!
- Treat other players, coaches, managers, fans and umpires with respect regardless of race, gender, or ability.
- Public displays of displeasure before, during, or after a game are not acceptable behavior.
- Use of foul or offensive language while in the presence of the girls is strictly forbidden.

Provide a safe environment.

- Insist that our children play in a safe and healthy environment.
- Refrain from using alcohol or tobacco at the fields during SRSA youth sporting events.

Teach the fundamentals of softball & follow all league/divisions rules while remembering:

- Please remember that coaches/managers are volunteering their time.
- Please remember the game is for the kids, not the adults and thus do our best to make softball fun for our children and her teammates.
- Understand that all children develop physically, emotionally, and mentally at different rates and praise all athletes for their efforts growth and successes.
- Attend practices and games on time, be dressed appropriately and be ready to play.