



CODE OF CONDUCT FORM

Wasilla Youth Baseball

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Objective: The goal of WYB is to assure that it's members, players, coaches, parents and officials, including members of the Board of Directors and other League Representatives, will maintain the highest standard of sportsmanship and ethical behavior at all times. In order to achieve this goal, a Code of Conduct has been adopted by the Board.

CODE OF CONDUCT:

A. Pony Baseball, Inc. through its headquarters staff and its designated Field Directors, shall reserve the right to withdraw membership from any league, team, player, or adult volunteer whose conduct, on or off the playing field, reflects in a manner that is detrimental to the best interests of PONY Baseball, Inc., and Wasilla Youth Baseball Pony League local organization.

B. Players or adult volunteers who engage in unsportsmanlike conduct, such as fighting, abusive language or similarly derogatory activity, may be suspended for one or more games.

Similar Derogatory Activity may include: foul or obscene language, indecent gestures, physical altercations of any kind, umpire abuse, arguing with or verbal abuse of opposing players, coaches or parents, belittling or intentionally embarrassing players, coaches, or other spectators.

C. Teams, players or adult volunteers in violation of the General Conduct policy may be refused entry, OR MAY BE REMOVED FROM SEASON OR TOURNAMENT PLAY.

F. The use of tobacco, alcohol, or illegal drugs in any form by players or adult leaders in the dugout, on the benches, on the playing field, or on the WYB premises shall not be permitted. No Smoking.

No Pets, Bikes, Scooters, Skateboards, Rollerblades are allowed due to safety for all.

Disciplinary Action: Pony Rules and Regulations

A. The league officers shall have the authority to suspend, discharge or otherwise discipline any player, manager, coach, umpire, league officer or other person whose conduct is in violation of the Rules And Regulations of PONY Baseball and/or is considered detrimental to the best interests of the Wasilla Youth Baseball league.

1. Persons subject to such discipline shall have the right to a hearing before the league officers before such discipline is imposed.

2. In the event of such a hearing involving a player, or other person under the age of 18, that person's parents shall be invited to attend.

B. Persons, youth or adult, who refuse to comply with the rules of Baseball, PONY Baseball, or the WYB League, may be considered for disciplinary action.

C. Recognizing the difficulty of establishing specific penalties for a variety of violations of acceptable conduct, the following penalties may be used. League officers may impose the one which, in their opinion, appears to match the severity of the offense.

1. **Warning.** The offending person is to be advised, in writing, of the offense, and further advised that repetition of the offense shall result in a more severe penalty.

2. **Suspension.** The offending person is to be advised in writing that he or she has been suspended from all league activity for a specific number of games, or days.

3. **Dismissal.** The offending person is to be advised in writing that he or she has been dismissed from the league for the remainder of the current year.

4. **Barred.** The offending person is to be advised in writing that he or she has been barred from present and future participation in the league, permanently, or for a specific number of years.

Player Name: (please print) _____

Player Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Name: (please print) _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____