

TUALATIN TIMBERWOLVES YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION Coach, Parent, & Fan Code of Ethics

If benefits are to be derived from athletics, the highest standard of ethics and sportsmanship must be maintained. The ethics and sportsmanship of the players, coaches, officials, and others associated with the game should be exemplary.

Everyone participating should conduct himself or herself so that he or she is a credit to the sport. Therefore, we would like to ask for your participation in the following Tualatin Timberwolves Youth Football Association (“TTYFA”) Code of Ethics for coaches, parents, and fans.

“I hereby pledge to provide positive support and encouragement for my child participating in the TTYFA by the following this Code of Ethics.”

- I will treat all players, fans, and opponents with respect and dignity.
- I will not verbally abuse any coach, player, fan, or opponent.
- I will never verbally abuse an official, regardless of the situation.
- I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans, and officials with respect.
- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all coaches, players, fans, and opponents.
- I will strive for improvement by positive reinforcement, not negative comments.
- I will place the emotional and physical well being of all children before any personal desire to win by accepting both victory and defeat with pride and compassion.
- I will applaud all participants’ efforts – win or lose.
- I will make it my responsibility to know, understand, and appreciate the rules of the game.
- I will do my very best to make sure the youth sports are fun.
- I will agree that violating this Code of Ethics during a game or practice may have consequences that could cause a parent or coach to be ejected from the game by the referee or from the field by the TTYFA Board of Directors. More than one violation could cause suspensions from future games or practices.

Print name

Sign name

Date

Always remember that your actions speak louder than words.