

Coffeyville Recreation Commission  
**Youth Sports Coach's Code of Ethics**

Coffeyville Recreation Commission offers youth sports programs as a recreational activity which provides equal participation regardless of athletic skill or ability.

**As a CRC youth sports coach, I will abide by the following rules:**

- To teach the fundamentals of the sport in a **FUN** and challenging atmosphere.
- To teach **FAIR** play and **GOOD** sportsmanship by example as well as through instruction.
- To place the emotional and physical well being of my players **AHEAD** of any personal desire to win.
- To treat each player as an individual, remembering the large range of emotional and physical development of children at the age I am coaching.
- To provide a **SAFE** playing environment for my players.
- To insure that I am knowledgeable in the rules of each sport that I coach, and that I will teach these rules to my players.
- To use coaching techniques appropriate for each of the skills that I teach.
- To remember that I am a **YOUTH** coach, and that the game is **FOR THE CHILDREN** and not the adults.
- I will refrain from using any drugs, alcohol, tobacco, and **PROFANITY** before, during or in the presence of my team and will demand the same refrain from other coaches and parents involved with my team. **IF** any of the above is witnessed the guilty party will be removed from coaching immediately and subject to disciplinary action by the Director of Recreation.
- I acknowledge that if I am removed from a game, due to my conduct, I must meet with the Director of Recreation and Program Supervisor before my team's next practice, game, or meeting to determine my status as a coach.
- To treat all officials, umpires, facility directors and CRC staff with respect to set an example of sportsmanship to my team.
- To review and practice the necessary first-aid principles needed to treat injuries of my players.
- By signing this Code of Ethics, I hereby consent to a criminal background check.

By signing this Code of Ethics, I am agreeing to abide by the rules and standards set forth by the Coffeyville Recreation Commission for youth sports. I also understand that at any time during the season should my actions or behavior, both on or off the athletic field/court, be deemed detrimental to the sport/participants I am coaching I can and will immediately be relieved from my coaching duties. Upon review by the CRC director, my future participation status as a youth sports coach will be determined.

Coach's Name: (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

League Coaching In: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

CRC Representative's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_