



Carson City Pop Warner Football & Cheerleading  
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Welcome to Carson City Pop Warner (CCPW). We have implemented the following “Parent Code of Conduct for Youth Sports” for the important message it holds about the appropriate role of parents in supporting their child(ren) in sports. Parents should read, understand and sign this form prior to their child(ren) participating in our program.

Any parent guilty of inappropriate conduct at any game or practice will be asked to leave the area immediately and will be suspended from the following weeks practice & game. Repeat violations may cause multiple game suspensions, or permanently banned from any Pop Warner function.

The essential fundamentals of character building and ethics in sports are embodied in the concept of sportsmanship and these six core principles: (1) Trustworthiness; (2) Respect; (3) Responsibility; (4) Fairness; (5) Caring and (6) Good Citizenship. The highest potential of sports is achieved when competition reflects these principles.

**PARENTS CODE OF CONDUCT FOR YOUTH SPORTS**

- I will not force my child to participate in sports.
- I will remember that children participate to have fun and that the game is for youth, not adults.
- I will inform the coach of any physical disability or ailment that may affect the safety of my child or the safety of others.
- I will learn the rules of the game and the policies of the league.
- I (and my guests) will be a positive role model for my child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy, and by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials, and spectators, at every game, practice or other sporting event.
- I (and my guests) will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official coach, player or parent such as booing and taunting, refusing to shake hands, or using profane language or gestures.
- I will not encourage any behaviors or practices that would endanger the health and wellbeing of the athletes.
- I will teach my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
- I will demand that my child treat other players, coaches, officials, and spectators with respect regardless of race, creed, color, sex, or ability.
- I will praise my child for competing fairly and trying hard, and make my child feel like a winner every time.
- I will never ridicule or yell at my child or other participant for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- I will emphasize skill development and practices and how they benefit my child.
- I will respect the officials and their authority during games and will never question, discuss, or confront coaches at the game field, and will take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time and place.
- I will demand a sports environment for my child that is free from drugs, tobacco, and alcohol and I will refrain from their use at all sports events.
- I will refrain from coaching my child or other players during games and practices unless I am one of the official coaches of the team.

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