DISTRICT 28 LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL TOURNAMENT DRESS CODE

District 28 Rule: Manager and Coach Dress Code for Special District and National Tournaments

- 1. Objective: The objective of this rule is to establish a consistent and professional appearance for managers and coaches during all-district baseball games, fostering a positive and organized environment for players, parents, and officials.
- 2. Dress Code Requirement: Managers and coaches are required to wear polo-type shirts during all-district 28 baseball games. These shirts should adhere to the following guidelines:
 - a. Polo-type shirts must have a collar and short or long sleeves. b. The shirts should be clean, presentable, and free from offensive or inappropriate graphics or slogans.
- 3. Rationale: a. Professionalism: Encouraging managers and coaches to wear polotype shirts promotes professionalism within the District 28 Tournaments environment. It sets a positive example for players, emphasizing the importance of a neat and organized appearance while representing the team.
 - b. Uniformity among managers and coaches helps distinguish them from players and enhances team identification for players, parents, and officials. This clarity can minimize confusion during games and practices, improving communication and coordination.
 - c. Safety and Communication: The dress code ensures that managers and coaches can be easily recognized and identified in case of emergencies or inquiries from parents or officials. It also aids in effective communication between coaches, players, and umpires during the game.
- 4. Exemption: a. In certain circumstances, such as extreme weather conditions, league officials may grant temporary exemptions to the dress code. These exceptions should be communicated and documented before the game or event.
- 5. Enforcement: a. The responsibility of enforcing this rule lies with District 28 and its officials. b. Managers and coaches who fail to comply with the dress code may receive warnings or penalties, as determined by District 28. c. District 28 has the authority to determine appropriate consequences for non-compliance, ranging from verbal warnings to potential disqualification from participating in games.

By implementing this rule, District 28 aims to maintain a professional, organized, and identifiable atmosphere for players, coaches, and spectators. It fosters a sense of pride and respect within District 28 tournaments.

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