

COACHES CODE OF CONDUCT POLICY

While participating in Game Plan Sports LLC flag football tournaments, I agree to abide by the Code of Conduct as a coach as defined below.

THIS APPLIES TO ALL COACHES, PLAYERS, PARENTS AND SPECTATORS.

- Follow all rules as indicated in the tournament rule book. Be very familiar with the following basics of the rules:

Game format, Terminology, Equipment, Field layout

Timing / Overtime procedure, Scoring, Live Ball/Dead Ball

Running, Passing, Receiving, Rushing, Flag Pulling, and Formations
- Coaches are responsible for the behavior of players, assistants, parents – if parents/spectators are behaving poorly, the team itself risk being penalized.
- Respect the calls of the referees. Head Coach may ask the referee questions about rule clarification and interpretation only.
- Refrain from harassing, bullying or engaging in negative behavior towards other players, coaches, spectators and/or staff.
- Honor the game by displaying sportsmanship and respecting the rules and officials, staff, teammates, and opponents.
- Resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence. Fighting will NOT be tolerated.
- Refrain from the use of profanity, regardless of who it's directed too.
- No possession of alcohol, drugs or weapons of any kind.
- If there are any concerns or issues that arise, please communicate respectfully and calmly with the tournament staff.
- Inform staff of any safety issues, and refrain from allowing an injured/ill player to participate in the tournament.

Failure to comply with any of the above guidelines may result in removal from the tournament.

