

The Head Coach shall be responsible for the conduct of all registered children, members of the coaching staff & spectators related to the program's activities &/or events.

Coaches are required to act as follows:

1. The Coach shall strive to make every football activity serve as a training ground for life and as a basis for good mental & physical health.
2. The Coach shall treat each Child, opposing Coach, Spectator, & Board Member with respect & dignity.
3. The Coach shall have safety as a 1st concern. In the event of a suspected injury, the coach shall follow safety protocol by notifying the parent and Flag Coordinator.
4. The Coach shall encourage teamwork & overt sportsmanship at every turn.
5. The Coach shall learn the strengths & weaknesses of his/her athletes in order to place them in situations where each has a maximum opportunity to achieve success.
6. The Coach shall be organized & efficient with time and have practices planned.
7. The Coach shall provide kids plenty of water breaks, encourage proper hydration, & never refuse water or use it as either punishment or motivation.
8. The Coach shall speak with confidence & purpose, be positive, enthusiastic, & encourage athletes; never belittle an athlete.
9. The Coach shall never touch an athlete inappropriately or aggressively.
10. The Coach shall not use abusive or profane language.
11. The Coach shall not smoke, dip or be under the influence of alcohol or illegal drugs at the parks before, during, or after games, scrimmages or practices.
12. The Coach shall not "run up" the score & while ahead comfortably shall substitute liberally.
13. The Coach shall always treat Officials, spectators, opposing athletes & Coaches with respect.
14. The Coach that is expelled from a game shall be suspended for the next game; a 2nd offense shall cause the Coach to be suspended for the season.
15. The Coach shall control the crowd & maintain field safety. Ask a Board Member for help, if needed.
16. The Coach shall refer any complaints or rules violations to the Flag Coordinator or Board Member.
17. The Coach shall warn an athlete if athlete throws any equipment in anger. A 2nd offense shall cause the athlete to be removed from the game; a 3rd offense shall cause the athlete to be suspended for the next game with an option to expel the player for the remainder of the season.
18. The Coach shall enforce the attendance policy in a consistent a fair manner towards all athletes. Each athlete is to be at every scheduled practice & game on time. 1 unexcused absence will result in a warning, 2 will result in a loss of playing time, 3 will result in a 1 game suspension. Continued unexcused absences will result in expulsion from the team.
19. Only Head Coaches and Assistant Coaches who are approved by the Board in advance are able to run practices or coach games.
20. The Coach shall fill out application, pass the background check, attend clinics & pass any Coaches' Certification Course(s) as the Satellite Beach Seahawks deem necessary prior to working with athletes.

I agree to abide by the above guidelines as a condition of Coaching for the SBYFCA, Inc. I can be terminated at any time, with or without cause & will have no remedy or review. I agree to accept all actions the Board feels is appropriate. I acknowledge that I will be a role model, that athletes will take their cue from me. I agree to act in a way that is honorable. While the goal is to play well, the primary goal is the uplifting & proper training of children.

Signature

Printed Name

Date