



# AYSO PARENT PLEDGE



## In my words and actions, I pledge to:

- Attend and participate in team parent meetings as requested.
- Be on time or early when bringing my child to trainings and games.
- Ensure my child is supported and encouraged by family and loved ones at games.
- Encourage my child to have fun and keep sport in its proper perspective.
- **Define winning for my child as doing his/her very best and appreciate Development over Winning.**
- Endeavor to understand the Laws (rules) of soccer and support the efforts of the referees.
- Honor the game and show respect for all involved including coaches, players, opponents, spectators and referees.
- **Applaud and encourage players from both teams and not yell out instructions** (as this causes confusion to the players and ultimately hinders development).
- Refrain from making negative comments about the game, coaches, referees, or players. Especially from the sidelines.
- Encourage others to refrain from negative or abusive sideline behavior.
- As parents, keep the game in perspective for our children.
- Abide by the tenants of Kids Zone for sideline behavior and support AYSO's philosophies for enriching children's lives.

I also agree that if I fail to abide by the aforementioned rules, I will be subject to disciplinary action.

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Printed Name

Signature

Date