BIG LAKE YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION PARENT/GUARDIAN/SPECTATOR CODE OF CONDUCT

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care and encouragement for my player and their team participating in youth sports with the Big Lake Youth Football Association by following this Parents code of conduct:

- 1. I will understand, support and help enforce the Player Code of Conduct for my player.
- 2. I will lead by example for my player and team and treat other players, parents, coaches, fans and officials with respect and good sportsmanship. This includes no public ridicule and/or verbal abuse of any sort; this includes all social media platforms.
- 3. I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my player and their team ahead of any personal desire to win.
- 4. I will demand a sports environment that is free from profanity, drugs, alcohol and tobacco and refrain from their use at all games, practices and tournaments sponsored by the Big Lake Youth Football Association.
- 5. I will ensure that my player is dropped off and picked up on time for team events. I understand that if my player misses practices, it may affect their in game playtime.
- 6. I will promote the emotional, physical, academic and athletic dimensions of my player.
- 7. I will do my best to make youth sports fun for my child. I will not force my child to play a sport.
- 8. I will do my best to remember that the game is intended to be fun and the game is for children to learn and develop in the sport they want to play.
- 9. I will treat all players, parents, coaches, fans and officials with respect regardless of race, gender, creed or ability.
- 10. I will practice open communication with coaches, players, parents, team parent reps & Big Lake Youth Football Association Board of Directors. I will show discretion when speaking with my player, another player, the coach or another parent with regards to any problems that may arise. I will wait the **24 hour cooling down** period before engaging my Parent rep or Coach if an issue arises.
- 11. I will make an effort to be aware of the Big Lake Youth Football Association & League rules, for every game and event that my player participates in and will respect and adhere to these rules and require my player to do the same.
- 12. I agree that I have read and fully understand the Big Lake Youth Football Association Parent Handbook Policy and that I will follow the guidelines spelled out in it to bring up any concerns through the proper channels and will do so in a dignified manner.
- 13. I will read the Big Lake Youth Football Association Policies and do everything in my power to assist the organization to implement and enforce them.

All Big Lake Youth Football Association parents/guardians/spectators are expected to adhere to the code
of conduct and display good sportsmanship. Failure to adhere to the code of conduct may include, but are
not limited to, removal of the parents/guardians/spectators from a practice(s), game(s),
league/tournament suspension, or possible expulsion from Big Lake Youth Football. I acknowledge that I
have read and understand this code of conduct policy and that I and all other
Parent/Guardians/Spectators of the Big Lake Youth Football Association player listed below will abide by
this code of conduct.

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Parent/Guardian signature	Date