

Players Code of Conduct



- ☐ Players will conduct themselves in an exemplary manner at all times.
- ☐ No player may leave the field or dugout without the permission of the coach after the game has started.
- ☐ Players must hustle between innings—both offensive and defensive players
- ☐ No player will make any exhibition or demonstration about a judgment call by an umpire; including strikes, balls, safe, out, fair, or foul balls.
- ☐ During practice and games, all players should be alert and watching the batter on each pitch.
- ☐ At no time should “horse play” be permitted on the playing field or in the dugout.
- ☐ Shoes with metal spikes or cleats are not permitted. Shoes with molded cleats are permissible. Exception—Juniors, Senior, and Big League are permitted to wear metal spikes or cleats (1.11h).
- ☐ Players will not wear watches, rings, pins, jewelry, or other metallic items during practices or games. (Exception—Jewelry that alerts medical personnel to a specific condition is permissible and this must be taped in place.)
- ☐ No food or drink, at any time, in the dugouts. (Exception—bottled water, Sports drinks and water from drinking fountains)
- ☐ Catchers must wear a catcher’s mitt (not a first baseman’s mitt or fielder’s glove) of any shape, size, or weight consistent with protecting the hand.
- ☐ Catchers must wear an athletic cup at all times.
- ☐ No playing in the parking lots at any time.
- ☐ No swinging bats or throwing baseballs at any time within the walkways and common areas of the field.
- ☐ No throwing rocks, climbing fences, or swinging on dugout roofs.
- ☐ All gates to the fields must remain closed at all times. After players have entered or left the playing field, gates should be closed and secured.
- ☐ Use crosswalks when crossing roadways. Always be alert for traffic.
- ☐ The District 38 Retention ponds are off limits at all times.
- ☐ There is no running allowed in the bleachers.
- ☐ Present exemplary behavior during all Little League and/or related activities.
- ☐ Display and encourage sportsmanship at all times.
- ☐ Demonstrate respect to Managers, Coaches, Umpires, and other players.
- ☐ Do not use tobacco, drugs, or alcohol while involved in/around Little League and/or related activities.

Remember: If it isn't fun it isn't Little League!