

## Competitive/Select Coach's Code of Conduct Agreement

As an OMYBS coach, I am committed to maintaining the best possible environment for our players and their families. I understand that it is my responsibility to direct and influence the behavior of our players and parents to ensure a positive environment for our families and reflect a positive image for our program. I understand the influence that my actions can have on a young person and I am committed to holding myself to a higher standard.

I understand that it is my responsibility to perform my coaching duties to the best of my ability. These duties include, but are not limited to the following:

- Practice and encourage good sportsmanship and respect at all times
- Conduct myself in a manner that is instructional, supportive and sets a good example for my players and the players of the opposing team
- Teach our players to be competitive while keeping winning and losing in their proper perspective
- Reinforce the qualities of being part of a team and placing personal objectives second to team objectives.
- Publicly support all coaches and officials in the OMYBS program
- Study and learn the rules of OMYBS, GBBA, and Major League Baseball and conduct myself and my team in accordance with those rules
- Work to improve my coaching ability to effectively communicate, teach and develop the skills of each player.
- Review the parent/player code of conduct with the players and parents and ensure that it is understood and followed.
- Coaches should support OMYBS and its fundraising activities.
- Participate in major workdays and clinics and encourage parents to do so.
- Follow all Field Maintenance procedures for opening and closing fields as outlined in the OMYBS Field Maintenance guide.

I understand that I am representing OMYBS regardless of the venue where my team is playing. I understand that any of the following behavior will not be tolerated and could lead to disciplinary action including suspension or removal from coaching at OMYBS.

- Profanity, verbal abuse, physical abuse, threatening language or action, toward any player, parent, fan, coach, umpire, or anyone else connected to the OMYBS program or activities.
- Taunting any player, coach, or umpire regardless of the venue.
- Sharing of confidential information from any OMYBS meetings, including player evaluations, draft information, post season team selection, and disciplinary action.
- Failure to reasonably control the actions of the my team's players, coaches and fans
- The use of drugs, tobacco, or alcohol is not allowed at any OMYBS event or facility, and this behavior should not be tolerated from anyone else.
- Any coach ejected from a game, regardless of the venue, may be requested to meet before the executive board. The Executive board may decide on disciplinary action including suspension and expulsion.
- Failure to follow field maintenance procedures or use of OMYBS facilities when closed by the field maintenance director for ANY reason .
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I understand that violations of this agreement may be reviewed by the OMYBS Executive Committee of the Board of Directors which will render a final decision without further appeal and this may include expulsion from the league.

With my signature I pledge to abide by these rules.

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Coach's Signature

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Team Name

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Date