



Arlington Southwest Little League – Coach Mentoring Reference Library

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- Your other coaches, players and the spectators will mirror your behavior. You can do a lot to correct any issues by simply setting the example.
- If you have any concerns about a spectator's behavior, make your expectations clear. If that does not resolve the issue, report it to your commissioner. They are equipped to handle this situation.
- Let the kids play, it is their game. Use your practice time to correct them. If there is something that has to be addressed, do it quietly between innings. If it somehow is more urgent than that, call time and go to the mound. Tell the entire group, as a group. Do not single out a kid during a game.
- Let the kids have fun, and don't be scared to have a little fun yourself. Please do not embarrass yourself, the kids or the parents. It all starts with the manager and coaches.