

## Parent Code of Conduct:

## Parents will:

- 1. Obey all rules and regulations of BPA and the various Travel Leagues and organizations of which BPA participates.
- 2. Set a good example.
- 3. Players need to be at practice and games on time. (Practice is 15 min early and 1hr before game time).
- 4. Remember that players play baseball for their enjoyment, not for their parent's enjoyment!
- 5. Do not publicly question an umpire's judgment. It is our job to accept the umpire's decision as final.
- 6. Recognize the value and importance of our coaches.
- 7. Accept the coach's decision regarding playing positions and the amount of playing time.

  Understand that this is a Travel Team development program and there are no guarantees for equal playing time or position.
- 8. Understand that BPA reserves the right to release any player from the team for poor sportsmanship by the player and/or the player's family during games or for other reasons to include but are not limited to lack of cooperation, poor attitude, lack of commitment, lack of effort, or poor attendance
- 9. Any ejection of a player and/or a family member from a game will result in a 2 game minimum suspension for the player and/or family member.
- 10. If a player is dismissed from practice, the coach has the discretion to suspend the player for a minimum of 2 games.
- 11. \*\*\*Do not give the players any instruction during the game, no exceptions!
- 12. \*\*\*Do not enter the dugout or other team specific areas unless asked by the coaching staff. If you need to give your player food or drink during a game you will hand it to a coach and the coach will hand it to your player, no exceptions!! We prefer the players not eat during game but understand some situations may necessitate the situation.
- 13. Please understand that coaches may impose additional rules, guidelines and/or policies that I am required to follow and failure to comply with the rules, guidelines and/or policies is a violation of your commitment to our program.
- 14. If there is a problem/conflict with the coaches, <u>parents will not approach them during or after</u> a game. Instead, they will obey the "24-Hour Rule" call the coach/BPA management to discuss.
- 15. "No Drama Clause". All parent/guardian issues or concerns regarding playing time, coaching, player positions, other players' performance shall be directed toward an appropriate representative within the BPA organization. Any discovery and confirmation of a parent/guardian participating in or instigating conversations that are negative and/or that attempt to denounce the recommendations/practices of the BPA organization, will immediately be asked to exit the program. When this occurs the parent/guardian will forfeit any/all monies paid to date.

Date

I have read and fully	y understand and	d agree to all the	e rules in the above	Parent Code of Conduct
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\*\*\*Both parents/guardian signature are required if applicable:

Print Name Signature

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