

# Waldoboro Recreation Department

## Player's Code of Conduct

It is expected that all players of organized team sports abide by the following code of conduct. Failure to uphold these simple rules and principals may lead to the following: 1)verbal warning, 2)written warning, 3)removal from game, 4)game suspension, 5)removal from team.

1. I understand that it is a privilege to play organized sports and that I represent my team, my family and my community on the playing field. I will always be a good sport no matter the outcome of a contest.
2. I will treat the coach, referee, spectators, other players and opponents with respect.
3. I will not use profanity or obscene/obnoxious/abusive language on the playing field or at practice. I will not trash talk or make any kind of derogatory remarks to our opponents during the game. I will not use any form of intimidating behavior or bullying tactics.
4. I will wish opponents good luck before the game and always shake their hand following a game.
5. I will respect the judgment of game officials and abide by their decisions without complaint. I will never argue with an official.
6. I will always watch out for other members of my team and help those in need.
7. I will win with modesty and lose with grace. I will do both with honor, and avoid inappropriate celebrating after a play or at the end of a game.