



Urbana Park District

Parent's Promise

I pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child participating in youth sports by following this Parent's Code of Ethics Pledge.

- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every game, practice, or other youth sports event.
- I will place the emotional and physical well-being of the children ahead of a personal desire to win.
- I will do my best to call the coach to let them know if my child will be late or miss a practice or game.
- I will support coaches and officials working with my child, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
- I will discuss any concerns I have with the coach privately and respectfully.
- I will demand a sports environment for my child that is free of drugs, tobacco and alcohol; and will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.
- I understand that coaches are volunteering their time and effort.
- I will remember that the game is for youth—not for adults.
- I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
- I will promise to help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by doing whatever I can such as being a respectful fan, assisting with coaching, or providing transportation.