## **CLOVERDALE MINOR BASEBALL ASSOCIATION**

## **Tournament Code of Conduct**

All representatives of their Home organization are responsible for their own behavior as well as that of their players, staff, and spectators when visiting Cloverdale Minor Baseball Association's Ballpark. Please review this Code of Conduct below with your entire coaching staff. It will be expected that all participants of the tournament, and their families will be informed of the below policies prior to the tournament commencing.

As the Representative of		visiting Cloverdale Minor Baseball
	(please insert association name)	

Association for Tournament play, I/We confirm that:

- I/We will abide by the Association's rules and regulations.
- I/We will actively uphold the rules of baseball, the spirit of the rules of baseball, and expect my players, coaching staff, and families to do the same.
- I/We will ensure no player on my team, or the opposing team is discriminated against for any reason, including race, colour, ancestry, place of origin, religion, family status, physical or mental disability, gender or sexual orientation.
- I/We will work to ensure the environment surrounding my team and the opposing team is free of harassment and/or bullying. Harassment and bullying take many forms but can generally be defined as behaviors, including comments and/or conduct, that are insulting, intimidating, humiliating, hurtful, malicious, degrading or otherwise offensive to an individual or group of individuals or which creates an uncomfortable environment.
- I/We will ensure my players, staff, and families act in ways that contribute to a safe environment, and through my actions I will model the behaviour I wish them to emulate. I will require that members of my team resolve conflicts in a mature, professional manner.
- I/We will not use foul, profane, harassing, or offensive language or gestures and will never use physical force in any kind.
- I/We will encourage open communication between coaches, players, and families.
- I/We will refrain from making negative comments to the umpires, remembering that many of them are learning the game as well.
- I/We will treat opponents and officials with proper respect, showing humility in victory and grace in defeat, and I will encourage the players, staff, and families to do the same.
- I/We will abstain from the use of tobacco products and alcohol while in the presence of players and discourage their use by staff and families. Umpires will immediately eject the Head coach from the game should these violations occur.
- I/We agree to abstain from drinking alcoholic beverages and the use of any illegal substances near the fields or spectator areas of the CMBA; this includes staff and families of players.



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<ul> <li>I/We understand that if anyone associated with our Home organization fail to comply with these rules I/We may be subject to discipline and possibly required to withdraw from Cloverdale Minor Baseball tournament and barred from participating in future tournaments.</li> </ul>	i,
For any concerns that arise, or feedback you wish to share, please speak directly with the Tournament Coordinator or you can email: <a href="mailto:Tournaments@cloverdalebaseball.com">Tournaments@cloverdalebaseball.com</a>	
I confirm that I have read and reviewed the Tournament Code of Conduction (print name) and I agree to uphold myself, my coaching staff, players and their families in attendance to this standard.	t

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