



Code of Conduct: Coaches

2020 PLAYING SEASON

As a coach in the NWMLAI commit to the following and understand that I may be subject to discipline that may include removal from the game, practice, or facility, and, depending on the severity of the action, possible suspension or expulsion from the association, should any of the following commitments be broken:

- I will not ridicule or yell at my players for making mistakes or for performing poorly. I will remember that players play to have fun and must be encouraged to have confidence in themselves.
- I commit to not swear, or use foul or negative language in areas where players, game officials or parents / guardians, from any association, are present.
- I will work in cooperation with officials for the benefit of the game and will not verbally or physically abuse a game official.
- I will be reasonable when scheduling games and practices, remembering that players have other interests and obligations.
- I will teach my players to play fairly and to respect the rules, officials and opponents and I will lead by example.
- I will ensure that all players get equal instruction, support and playing time.
- I will make sure that equipment and facilities are safe and match the player's ages and abilities.
- I will remember that participants need a coach they can respect. I will be generous with praise and set a good example.
- I will obtain proper training and continue to upgrade my coaching skills.

Print Name: _____

Division: _____

Tier: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____