



City of Broadview Heights Parks and Recreation Department

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Samuel J. Alai, Mayor Paula Horner, Director

By participating in or attending any athletics program in Broadview Heights, you are agreeing to abide by the Broadview Heights Code of Conduct as outlined below.

The Broadview Heights Code of Conduct

1. I will remember that children participate to have fun and that the game is for the children, not the adults.
2. I will follow the rules and regulation of the Broadview Heights Recreation Department.
3. I will be a positive role model by encouraging sportsmanship and by showing respect and courtesy at all times.
4. I will not engage in any form of disrespectful conduct toward officials, coaches, players, fans, recreation center staff, league representatives or city officials at any time.
5. I will not engage in any form of harassment, taunting, booing, use profane language or gestures, toward coaches, players, fans, officials or city officials either directly or indirectly, before, during or at any time after a sporting event.
6. I understand that any physical violence, intimidation or threat thereof will result in immediate expulsion from the league and may result in a permanent ban from all activities.
7. I will not post any derogatory remarks or commentary about the league, coaches, parents, players, staff, officials or city officials on any social media or distribute any derogatory remarks or commentary in the form of a mass email to a team, group of coaches, parents, or any third party nor will I encourage others to do so.
8. I will respect the officials and their authority during games. I will not verbally or through gestures, directly or indirectly question or criticize an official, their calls or their decisions even though I may disagree with it.
9. I will never approach an official for the purpose of criticizing or expressing any discontent before, during or after an event.
10. As a parent, I will respect and support my child's coach. If I have a concern I will not discuss it at the game field or in front of players or other parents, but will take the time to discuss it at an agreed upon time and location with a league representative present if necessary.
11. I will not encourage any behaviors or practices that could endanger the health and well-being of the players.
12. I will teach my child to treat other players, coaches, umpires and spectators with respect, regardless of race, creed, color, sex or ability.

(Copies of this code of conduct are available at the front desk and online at www.bhrec.org)

For questions regarding Broadview Heights Sports programs, contact the Parks & Athletics Manager: Gary D. Diehl, GDiehl@broadview-heights.org 440-717-4063