



AYSO Adult League Region 5044 Fair Play Pledge

As a participant in the AYSO Adult League, I hereby acknowledge and voluntarily agree to the following (initial each statement):

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1) I understand that use of alcohol at the field or the surrounding vicinity, to include the parking lot, is prohibited. Additionally playing while under the influence of alcohol (or any other substance, controlled or otherwise) will result in the permanent removal from the League. Likewise, the possession of illegal substances at the field shall result in removal from the League.

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2) I understand that fighting will result in permanent removal from the League. Any actions which are violent towards another person on the field (or the surrounding area), to include kicking, head butting, slapping, striking with an elbow or fist, or any other object or body part will be considered fighting and result in the immediate and permanent removal from the League. The most stringent enforcement of this provision will be employed.

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3) I understand that pets of any type are prohibited from AYSO fields.

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4) I understand that the use of tobacco products, whether smoked or chewed are prohibited from AYSO fields, and the surrounding area.

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5) I understand abuse of game officials, coaches, players or spectators will not be tolerated, and will result in suspension. The term "abuse" encompasses, at a minimum, foul language, offensive gestures, sexist remarks, any racial remark, or any remark or gesture intended to provoke another person. Persistent abuse will result a longer suspension, and may eventually result in removal from the league.

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6) I understand that sexual harassment of participants will be cause for removal from the league. The League will not tolerate inappropriate remarks, unwanted sexual advances, lewd behavior or gestures, or degrading remarks that are sexual in nature and or make reference to parts of the anatomy in a sexual way.

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7) Bringing anything to an AYSO function or field which poses a threat to yourself or others shall be cause for immediate removal from the League. Prohibited items include weapons, firearms, explosives, dangerous substances or **any** item which is dangerous to the participants.

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8) I understand this is a **recreational program** and shall behave in a manor consistent with such.

- a) I agree to recognize any injury and bring injuries to the referee attention.
- b) I agree to refrain from overly aggressive and/or physical play. Slide tackling is prohibited and will not be allowed.
- c) I agree not to question the competence, impartiality or authority of any official.
- d) I agree that I will not play with any physical limitation, injury or condition that could be worsened by my participation, or result in serious injury to others or myself. I further agree that should a determination be made by League staff that it is unsafe for me to participate, I agree to abide by that decision.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read the foregoing and I am agreeing to this Participation Agreement willingly and without reservation.

Signed Name

Printed Name

Date