

Amenia Baseball Code of Conduct

All Players, Parents, Fans and Coaches will adhere to the Code.

Player Code of Conduct

1. I will learn the rules of the game and follow them.
2. I will respect my teammates, all coaches, opponents, umpires and fans.
3. I will not challenge, dispute or criticize any call made by an umpire.
4. I will not criticize the players on either team or the fans supporting either team.
5. I will not use unsportsmanlike conduct during a practice or a game.
6. I will not fight with another player including teammates.
7. I will not use foul language at any time while representing Amenia Baseball.
8. I will notify my coach if I will be unable to attend a game or practice.
9. I will make sure I clean the dugout, gather all equipment at the end of each practice or game.
10. I will not talk while the coach is speaking and I will watch the coach during player instruction.
11. I will respect my coach's decisions when it comes to the lineup or batting order.
12. I will give 100% effort no matter what position I play.
13. I will congratulate the opposing players and the coaches at the end of each game win or lose.
14. I will wear my uniform with pride; keep my jersey tucked in and equipment in good condition.
15. I will work hard and work towards using the methods taught by the coaches.
16. I will come prepared to all team activities.
17. I acknowledge that the team comes before me.

Parent/FAN Code of Conduct

I will let the players play. I will Cheer them on when they do well, encourage them when they don't. I will not coach or instruct from the stands, and I will not interfere with the game. I won't expect more than they can deliver, and most importantly, I will be a fan of everyone on the team, not just my child.

I will not criticize the players, coaches or fans of either team in front of my child.

I will communicate responsibly. If a problem needs to be discussed, I will wait until after the game to request a meeting with the coaches to calmly discuss the issues. Any safety or health related items should be identified immediately.

I will let the coach's coach. My child's coach deserves my cooperation and respect even if I disagree with how the team is managed. If I don't agree with the way the coach manages any aspect of a game or practice, I will discuss it personally with the coach after the practice or game in a calm manner.

I will let the umpire's umpire. I will accept the calls made by the umpire and understand that the Amenia coaches are the sole individual responsible for reviewing plays and rules with the umpire. I will not make any negative comments to the umpire or about the calls.

I understand and agree that playing time will not be equal. Some players may have more playing time than other players. That is the nature of the game and the discretion of the coaches.

I will encourage my child to take ownership and be responsible for his baseball experience.

I will encourage my child to follow the Player Code of Conduct.

I will display good sportsmanship and I understand I am a role model to my child and other team members.

I will respect the facilities we play in and I will assist in keeping them clean and safe. I will pick up after myself and my team.

I will positively encourage the players on and off the field.

I will not use foul language at any time while representing Amenia Baseball organization.

Player Signature

Date

Player Printed Name

Parent Signature

Date

Parent Printed Name