



## LGLL Code of Conduct

The board of directors of Los Gatos Little League has mandated the following Code of Conduct. All coaches and managers will read this Code of Conduct and sign in the space provided below acknowledging that he or she understands and agrees to comply with the Code of Conduct.

### **Los Gatos Little League Code of Conduct:**

No Board Member, Manager, Coach, Player or Spectator shall:

- ⇒ At any time, lay a hand upon, push, shove, strike, or threaten to strike an official.
- ⇒ Be guilty of heaping personal verbal or physical abuse upon any official for any real or imaginary belief of a wrong decision or judgment.
- ⇒ Be guilty of an objectionable demonstration of dissent at an official's decision by throwing of gloves, helmets, hats, bats, balls, or any other forceful un-sportsman like action.
- ⇒ Be guilty of using unnecessarily rough tactics in the play of a game against the body of an opposing player.
- ⇒ Be guilty of a physical attack upon any board member, official manager, coach, player or spectator.
- ⇒ Be guilty of the use of profane, obscene or vulgar language in any manner at any time.
- ⇒ Appear on the field of play, stands, or anywhere on the LGLL complex while in an intoxicated state at any time. Intoxicated will be defined as an odor or behavior issue.
- ⇒ Be guilty of gambling upon any play or outcome of any game with anyone at any time.
- ⇒ Smoke while in the stands or on the playing field or in any dugout at any time. Smoking will only be permitted in designated areas which will be 20 feet from any spectator stands or dugouts.
- ⇒ Be guilty of discussing publicly with spectators in a derogatory or abusive manner any play, decision or a personal opinion on any players during the game.
- ⇒ As a manager or coach be guilty of mingling with or fraternizing with spectators during the course of the game.

- ⇒ Speak disrespectfully to any manager, coach, official or representative of the league.
- ⇒ Be guilty of tampering or manipulation of any league rosters, schedules, draft positions or selections, official score books, rankings, financial records or procedures.
- ⇒ Shall challenge an umpire's authority. The umpires shall have the authority and discretion during a game to penalize the offender according to the infraction up to and including removal from the game.

Any inappropriate behavior by a Fan may be cause for the suspension of a game by the Umpire. Game suspension may continue until such time as the Fan leaves the park.

The Board of Directors will review all infractions of the LGLL Code of Conduct. Depending on the seriousness or frequency, the board may assess additional disciplinary action up to and including expulsion from the league.

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I have read the Los Gatos Little League Code of Conduct and promise to adhere to its rules and regulations.

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Print name of Manager

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Team name and division

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Signature of Manager

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Date