



Minersville Are Youth Soccer Club Parent/ Guardian Policy and Code of Conduct

As a representative of the MAYSC, all parents/ guardians shall conduct themselves in accordance with the following rules and regulations:

- A. Parents/ guardians shall make every attempt to have their child attend all scheduled practices and games and shall notify his/ her coach of any inability to attend a practice or game as early as possible.
- B. Parents/ guardians shall inform the coach of any physical disability or ailment that may affect the safety of the player or others.
- C. Parents/ guardians shall ensure that their child arrives at scheduled practices and games in time and is promptly picked up at the end of scheduled practices and games.
- D. Parents/ guardians must represent MAYSC in a positive manner by conducting themselves in a manner promoting good sportsmanship at both practices and games.
- E. Parents/ guardians shall refrain from becoming involved in any confrontational situations (including being loud and abusive) at practices or games.
- F. Parents/ guardians shall support the players without pressure, praise good work and refrain from criticizing any lapses of performance.
- G. Parents/ guardians shall provide support for coaches and officials working with the players to provide a positive experience for all.
- H. Parents/ guardians shall promote the emotional and physical well-being of the players ahead of any personal desires.
- I. Parents/ guardians must show respect towards game officials, coaches and MAYSC Board members in their language, attitude, behavior and mannerisms. Under NO circumstances shall a parent/ guardian verbally or physically abuse a player, a coach, a referee, or a spectator. Any infraction to this rule or any other questionable conduct of a parent/ guardian should be reported to an MAYSC Board member immediately.
- J. Parents shall:
 - a. Sign the Parent/ Guardian Policy
 - b. Understand the Players Code of Conduct
 - i. Encourage and support the player to meet the needs of the Player Code of Conduct

- ii. Demand the player treat other players, coaches, officials and spectators with respect regardless of race, creed, color, sex or ability.
- c. Sign Parent/ Guardian Concussion Acknowledgment.
- d. Communicate with MAYSC coaches and inform them of any matters affecting the player from outside of the MAYSC organization.
- e. Select an appropriate time, with notice given, to approach coaching staff concerning players participation and/ or performance.
- f. Understand the Important Dates communicated by Coach/ Team Parent:
 - i. Uniform Handout and Policy
 - ii. Tamaqua Tournament
 - iii. SCYSCA Kickoff Classic
 - iv. Kauffman BBQ Sale
 - v. First Games
 - vi. Picture Day
 - vii. Roller Roost Party

It is so noted that any parent(s)/ guardian (s) that fails to abide by the aforementioned policy and code of conduct, may be subject to disciplinary action. This action could include but not limited to the following: verbal warning, written warning, parental game suspension, parental season suspension, parental disbarment, player removal and player suspension. These actions may not be necessarily taken in an escalating manner and MAYSC Board reserves the right to select and apply any penalty dependent on the situation.

To report an incident or file a complaint with the club, please contact a MAYSC Board Member. In the case a grievance has been filed with MAYSC, the club will follow Grievance Policy and Procedures.



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Parent/ Guardian Name (print): _____

Player Name (print): _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

