



NORTHPORT YOUTH CENTER SOCCER LEAGUE

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PARENTAL PLEDGE

As a member of Northport Youth Center Soccer League, I fully support the league's efforts to keep the game of soccer fun for the children. In supporting this effort I hereby pledge to abide by the following:

I will use only positive words of encouragement to the players. I will not degrade referees, players, or coaches, either verbally or with my actions. I will allow the players to think for themselves on the field by not constantly shouting instructions from the sidelines.

I will hold the ideals of sportsmanship, integrity, and respect above all other things. At every opportunity, I will teach and encourage the players to do the same by my words and actions.

I will be a role model, not only for my child, but for all players in the league, by showing proper respect for authority and complying with decisions that are made both on and off the field.

I will put the interests of the league before the team, and the team before the individual. I will keep in mind that all league decisions are made based on the best interest of all the players in the league.

I will support and abide by ALL league policies, and teach the children to do the same. If I disagree with certain policies, I will voice my concerns to the appropriate person in the appropriate manner.

I will keep in mind that the league's emphasis is on sportsmanship in a safe, fun environment and not on winning. I will remember that this is an instructional/recreational league where the children can play for FUN.

I understand that if I am in violation of any of the above promises that I will be subject to a review by the Rules and Regulations Committee of the league. The committee will evaluate the situation and hand down sanctions which can range from suspension to expulsion from the league.

I hereby agree to abide by the preceding statements at all times, whether at practices or games.

Printed Name

Signature

Date