

Student's Name: _____



Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct For Student Participation in School-Sponsored Athletics

The following lists minimal expectations of parents/guardians of OLVCS students as they relate to student participation in school-sponsored athletics:

- A. Parents/Guardians should act as sources of encouragement to their children. We all have different talents and abilities. Embrace your child's ability and support them whether or not they are the team's most talented player or not.
- B. Parent/Guardians should support the coaching staff in their decisions. Our coaches will do their best to ensure your child has the best experience possible. Please do not criticize, but rather support your child's coach and encourage them to do the same.
- C. Parent/Guardians should make sure their child is at team events in a timely fashion. This includes both pick-up and drop off. Maintaining a consistent schedule and being on time is critical to the smooth operations of each team. Repeated tardiness may result in a required parent conference to implement solutions.
- D. Playing time will not always be equal. Just like in academics, student all have different abilities and talents. Encourage your child when they are in the game, and support the team when your child is not in the game.
- E. Please refrain from criticizing officials. You as a parent are representing Our Lady of Victory Catholic School as much as your child is. We encourage you to refrain from openly criticizing officials.
- F. All issued equipment must returned at the conclusion of the season. If not returned, student may not receive report card for the term or may not be eligible to participate in the following sports season until the items are returned or paid for.

- G. Communicate as necessary under the appropriate guidelines. It is common and accepted that you will have questions and concerns throughout the year. Please communicate these issues so problems may be resolved quickly. The following steps should be used in communicating issues or concerns.
- a. Parent/Guardian encourages student-athlete to speak with their coach privately about concerns or issues.
 - b. If there is not resolve or the outcome is not understood, parent should contact the coach directly in a private manner (not publicly).
 - c. If the issue is not resolved, parent should contact athletic director or principal to set up a conference or meeting. The principal will be notified and present if needed for final decision. If the coach also serves as the Athletic Director, then the parent should contact the principal directly.
 - d. Principal and Pastor will have final decision in all issues not resolved at level "C".

I have read this OLVCS Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct and agree to abide by all requirements therein.

Signature

Date