

## Chicago Blitz Youth Football and Cheerleading Organization Player/Participant Code of Conduct

I hereby acknowledge and agree to the rules and guidelines below and accept responsibility for my participation by following this Players' Code of Ethics Pledge.

- Have fun!
- Be a good sport (win or lose); Be honest, fair and always show good sportsmanship to all coaches, players, officials, parents and fans by demonstrating good sportsmanship at every game and practice
- Learn the value of commitment to the team. I will attend every practice and game that I can, and will notify by coach if I cannot
- Put personal goals aside for the betterment of the team
- · Show courtesy and respect to teammates, opponents and coaches
- Realize that athletic contests, including practice sessions are educational experiences and opportunities
- I will not engage in unsportsmanlike conduct. This includes but not limited to fighting, swearing, bullying, etc.
- I will not engage in rude behavior
- I will treat everyone, including coaches, parents, players and officials, with respect, regardless of race, creed, color, nationality or gender
- Give support and show respect to my teammates, coaches, and opponents
- Work hard in practice and on the field; My success is solely dependent on MY attitude
- Strive to be a positive influence in the way I talk and listen to my teammates, coaches, and opponents
- Always put academics and family over athletics; Strive to maintain passing grades in ALL subjects

## | also agree that if | fail to abide by the aforementioned rules and guidelines, | will be subject to disciplinary action that

## could include, but is not limited to the following:

- 1st Offense: Verbal warning by head coach, and/or head of league organization; Coach and Parent Conference
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense: Written warning and One Practice Suspension
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Offense: Final Written Warning and One Practice and One Game Suspension
- 4<sup>th</sup> Offense: Dismissed from Organization and One Season suspension

I understand that if I do not abide by the above Code of Conduct I will be banned from participating in CBYFCO activities

for a period of one year, at which time  $\ensuremath{\ensuremath{\mathbb{I}}}$  can petition CBVFCO for reinstatement.

CBYFCO Executive Board reserves the right to bypass any level of discipline depending on severity of event.

Player Name

Date