



Camrose Minor Ball Association is committed to providing an environment in which all individuals, equipment and facilities are treated with respect. Members are expected to conduct themselves at all times in a manner consistent with the values of CMBA. Violations of this code of conduct by any member shall result in immediate disciplinary action, which may take the form of verbal or written reprimand, limited suspension, indefinite suspension, or termination of membership.

Parents – Code of Conduct

In order to enjoy the season and allow others to do the same, CMBA asks that parents please follow these guidelines:

- support my child with positive encouragement
- respect and adhere to the ideals, policies, and rules set forth by Camrose Minor Ball Association and Baseball Alberta
- encourage my child to attend as many games and practices as reasonably possible in a timely manner. Notify the coach/manager ahead of time of absences
- respect the facilities, either home or away, in which my child is privileged to play on
- show respect for the decisions, judgment and authority of the officials and coaches
- show respect for the feelings and accept the capabilities of my child, my child's teammates and players on the other team
- exhibit a high degree of sportsmanship, teamwork and positive attitude at all times when representing my child and CMBA
- make an effort to be familiar with and understand the coaches and teams philosophy
- direct all comments and criticisms of other spectators, participants, officials, or board members in private and away from the players participating in the program
- refrain from expressing any negative opinion of the coaches or players in front of my own child
- refrain from using foul language towards other parents, coaches, officials or opponents
- refrain from yelling at or threatening umpires, opposing players or coaches before, during, or after games or practices
- refrain from demonstrating frustration or anger after a loss or poor performance
- not physically or mentally abuse any other person
- refrain from approaching the bench during a game situation unless summoned by a coach
- report to the coach all injuries, special medical conditions or other extenuating circumstances that may affect the player in any form
- accept defeat gracefully...love the game above the prize and teach my child to do the same
- teach my child that doing one's best is more important than winning, so that my child will never feel defeated by the outcome of a game or his/her performance
- actively promote a sports environment for my child that is free from drugs, tobacco, and alcohol and I will refrain from their use at all sport events.
- agree that if I fail to abide by the aforementioned rules and guidelines, I will be subject to disciplinary action that could include, but is not limited to the following:
 - verbal or written warning by official, head coach, and/or CMBA board
 - parental game suspension with written documentation of incident kept on file by CMBA
 - parental season suspension with written documentation of incident kept on file by CMBA
- if the need arises to make a formal complaint, I will follow the policy outlined by CMBA.

Sign: _____

Date: _____

Note: The Camrose Minor Ball Association Code of Conduct shall govern all disciplinary matters to the extent that it conflicts with or augments Baseball Alberta or any other Governing league body. All CMBA Board decisions will be final.