



KMBA Athlete Expectations Policy

KMBA believes that it is the responsibility of all its members to promote respect and goodwill. We expect the following from our athletes:

- Players must conduct themselves in a matter that reflects well on themselves, their family, and KMBA.
- Players will always treat teammates, other players, coaches, officials, and parents with respect.
- Players should make every effort to arrive on time for games and practices. Adequate notice should be provided to the team manager or coach if player is going to miss or be late for a practice, game or event (when age-appropriate).
- Athletes must be dressed appropriately (guidelines provided by coaches).
- Abusive behavior by Players towards fellow athletes, coaches, parents, and officials, will not be tolerated; this includes bullying, online bullying, and negative language. Depending on the severity of the incident, a warning may be given for the first offense at the discretion of the coaches. Athletes may be removed from the program depending on the severity of the abusive behavior.
- Arguing of calls or disrespect of Officials (name calling, kicking dirt, drawing line in sand) are all grounds for ejection from the game.
- Any player ejected from a game by an Official will be required to sit for the next scheduled game.
- Throwing gear (i.e. bats, helmets, gloves etc.), will not be tolerated and the Player may be asked to sit for part or all the game at the discretion of the coaches for a first offence and multiple games for further offences.
- All players should ensure uniforms are turned in to their team manager at the end of the season.

* All KMBA Policies are reviewed annually.