TRI COUNTY SPORTS AUTHORITY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

There will be no refunds if an applicant decides they do not want to participate. Players are chosen in a draft so please be sure that your child wants to play before signing up so that they do not take up a roster spot in the draft and then leave the team with an empty position.

PARENT/FAN CODE OF ETHICS

- I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care and encouragement for my child participating in youth sports by following this Parents' Code of Ethics Pledge.
- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every game, practice, or other youth sports event.
- I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child in order to encourage a positive enjoyable experience for all.
- I will support coaches and officials working with my child in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
- I will demand a sports environment for my child that is free of drugs and alcohol and will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.
- I will remember that the game is for youth not for adults.
- I will do my very best to make youth sports fun for my child.
- I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
- I will help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by doing whatever I can, such as being a respectful fan, fulfilling my volunteer time, and continuing to have a positive mental attitude when I am asked to help.
- I will require my child's coach be trained in the responsibilities of being a sports coach.
- I have read and agree to abide by the Tri-County Sports Authority printed Parents Code of Ethics.

Note: It is League Policy that if a parent or fan is asked to leave the field, stands, press box, game, etc. the first time will lead to parent/fan and head coach of that parent/fan team, being suspended from the next game as well. A second time or if law enforcement is called to remove them, that person shall be banned from any further TCSA activities. Should a parent or fan be banned from TCSA activities, they may apply for reinstatement by writing the TCSA and acknowledging their conduct along with providing assurances that they will conduct themselves within the rules and regulations of the TCSA in all future activities, including other TCSA sports. This written notice must be provided at a scheduled Board meeting where at least 80% of the board members are present. Any parent or fan receiving a second ban will not be eligible for reinstatement.

Communication: The TCSA will do it's best to communicate with all participants. We will use our website, *www.tricountysportsauthority.com* with links to Facebook and Twitter as a means to provide updated information regarding events. Please work closely with your coach to remain up to date on practice and other scheduled events. Coaches are responsible for scheduling practice so work with them on times and dates. The league will not be able to provide any practice information. Also, in the event of rain-outs, the coaches are responsible for communicating with parents. If they haven't contacted parents, it is assure

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Participation: The TCSA expects every participant to have an opportunity to play and has set forth rules that require playing time for each player. However, there may be circumstances where a participants playing time is limited due to safety concerns, practice attendance or practice participation. This is left up to the judgment of the team coach. Should you have a concern with your child, please contact the coach to discuss. Do not contact the league regarding someone else's child from another team.

Sponsorship: Football is a very expensive sport to operate. There are always needs to upgrade equipment and replace uniforms. There are also needs for helping children who can't afford to participate. If you would like to sponsor a team or contribute any amount towards operations, please contact us. We will be happy to keep your contributions anonymous or post/announce your company as a league sponsor on our website and/or at league events.

Volunteers: The TCSA is run by volunteers. The only personnel paid by the league are game officials. If you would be willing to volunteer, please check any item you might be willing to do.

□ Concession Stand	□ Scoreboard	Chain Crew
Head Coach	Assistant Coach	D Other:





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Player Participant's Name

Parent / Guardian Signature

Player Participant's Team Name

Parent / Guardian Printed Name

Date