

## INGLEWOOD PONY BASEBALL LEAGUE CODE OF CONDUCT

The Board of Directors of Inglewood PONY Baseball has mandated the following Code of Conduct. All members, (parents, coaches and managers) are required to read and follow this Code of Conduct and sign in the space provided below acknowledging that he/she understands and agrees to comply with the Code of Conduct.

No Board Member, Manager, Coach, Player, Official Scorekeeper or Spectator shall:

I. At any time, lay a hand upon, push, shove, strike, or threaten to strike any other official, umpire, board member, manager, coach, player or spectator (collectively the "participant").

2. Be guilty of heaping personal, verbal or physical abuse upon any participant for any real or imaginary belief of a wrong decision or judgment.

3. Be guilty of an objectionable demonstration of dissent at an official or umpires decision by throwing of gloves, helmets, hats, bats, balls, or any other forceful unsportsmanlike action.

4. Use unnecessarily rough tactics in the play of a game against the body of an opposing player.

5. Be guilty of a physical or verbal attack upon any participant.

6. Use profane, obscene or vulgar language in any manner at any time.

7. Appear on the field of play, stands, or anywhere on the IPB fields while in an intoxicated state at any time. Discuss publicly with spectators in a derogatory or abusive manner any play, decision or personal opinion on any players during a game.

9. Speak disrespectfully to any participant.

10. Tamper or manipulate any league rosters, schedules, draft positions or selections, official score books, pitchers logs, rankings, financial records or procedures.

II. Be guilty of challenging an umpire's authority. The umpires shall have the authority and discretion during a game to penalize the offender according to the infraction up to and including removal from a game.

12. Any participant who may serve on the IPB Board of Directors shall follow all procedures for behavior and complaint procedures, and shall refrain from using their Board position for the purposes of undue influence.

The Board of Directors will review all infractions of the IPB Code of Conduct. Depending on the seriousness or frequency, the Board may assess additional disciplinary action up to and including expulsion from the league.

I have read the Inglewood PONY Baseball Code of Conduct and promise to adhere to its rules and regulations.

Team Name/Division:\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Member:\_\_\_\_\_

Name Printed: