

## **NCAA CODE OF CONDUCT**

IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN A LEVEL OF DECORUM FOR NCAA IN A POSITIVE SENSE, THE BOARD HAS VOTED TO INSTITUTE THE FOLLOWING CODE OF CONDUCT.

### **POLICY**

1. THE CODE OF CONDUCT IS EFFECTIVE FOR ALL NCAA TEAMS DURING ALL GAMES AND PRACTICES IN-HOUSE OR TOURNAMENT PLAY.
2. EACH PLAYER AND PARENT (GUARDIAN) SHALL BE GIVEN A COPY OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT AT SIGN UPS OR PRIOR TO THE START OF YOUR TEAM'S FIRST PRACTICE.
3. EVERY MANAGER OF EVERY VISITING TEAM'S ASSOCIATION SHALL BE GIVEN A COPY OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT TO DISTRIBUTE TO EACH PLAYER OR NONPLAYER BEFORE ATTENDING ANY NCAA TOURNAMENT BY TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR.
4. A COPY OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT WILL BE POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD AT PENGLYN PARK FOR ALL SPECTATORS TO READ.
5. CODE OF CONDUCT BEGINS FROM THE TIME ANYONE ENTERS ANY FIELD FOR GAMES OR PRACTICES (HOME OR AWAY) UNTIL DEPARTURE. PRACTICE CONDUCT IS SUBJECT TO (MANAGER) HEAD COACH' S DISCIPLINE, USING THE CODE AS A GUIDELINE.
6. CODE VIOLATORS WILL BE WARNED OR EJECTED IMMEDIATELY.

### **CODE**

EVERY PLAYER, COACH, PARENT, UMPIRE, OR SPECTATOR SHALL NOT

1. ABUSE EITHER VERBALLY OR PHYSICALLY ANYONE.
2. THROW ANY OBJECT ON OR OFF THE FIELD IN THE MANNER AS TO CREATE A SAFETY HAZARD TO ANYONE.
3. TAUNT ANYONE BY MEANS OF BAITING OR RIDICULING A THREAT OF PHYSICAL VIOLENCE TO ANYONE

### **EJECTION ENFORCEMENT**

MANAGERS SHALL HAVE THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR OWN CONDUCT AND THE CONDUCT OF THEIR ASST. COACHES, PLAYERS, AND FANS AND SHOULD ABIDE AND IMPOSE THE APPROPRIATE PROVISION OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT WHEN NECESSARY.

1. UMPIRES SHALL HAVE THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR OWN CONDUCT AND CAN ENFORCE EJECTION TO ANY MANAGER, COACH, PLAYER, PARENT, OR SPECTATOR THAT BREAKS CODE.
2. NCAA BOARD MEMBERS CAN ENFORCE EJECTION TO ANYONE INCLUDING UMPIRES THAT BREAK CODE.
3. GAME WILL NOT RESUME UNTIL ANYONE THAT BREAKS THE CODE IS WARNED OR EJECTED AND VIOLATOR THAT WAS EJECTED IS GONE FROM PREMISES.

### **PUNISHMENT**

1. ANYONE THAT IS EJECTED FOR BREAKING THE CODE WILL HAVE THEIR VIOLATION REVIEWED BY THE NCAA BOARD.
2. FINAL JUDGEMENT (PUNISHMENT) FOR CODE VIOLATORS THAT HAVE BEEN EJECTED WILL BE DECIDED BY THE NCAA BOARD. VIOLATORS CAN'T APPEAL FINAL JUDGEMENTS.
3. DEPENDING ON THE SEVERITY OF THE OFFENSE THE NCAA BOARD CAN SUSPEND ANY VIOLATOR ONE OR MORE GAMES, BALANCE OF SEASON, OR LIFE.

### **OVERVIEW**

NCAA IS A YOUTH ORGANIZATION DEALING WITH THE IMPRESSIONAL YEARS OF A YOUNGSTER'S LIFE. AS ADULTS YOU ARE SUPPOSED TO BE ROLE MODELS AND SHOULDN'T MISBEHAVE. HOWEVER, SHOULD CODE VIOLATION OCCUR, WE REQUEST THAT ALL PLAYERS, COACHES, PARENTS, AND SPECTATORS COOPERATE WITH THE NCAA BOARD IN IDENTIFYNG THE OFFENDING PARTY OR PARTIES NO MATTER WHOM THEY MAY BE.