

## CVSA Code of Conduct

### For Parents and Players

This form must be completed and attached to the player registration form. No player will be assigned to a team without this form! The Board recommends you also make and keep a completed copy for your family.

1. We understand the primary goal of CVSA is to provide a safe, low pressure, fun environment for the children of the Chemung Valley areas to play recreational soccer while being consistently nurtured in the areas of self-esteem, confidence, teamwork and sportsmanship.
2. We understand that competition, though part of the game, is NOT the primary purpose of the league. It is desirable, therefore, to show appreciation and encouragement for all the kids on both teams.
3. We agree that in order to maintain these goals, it is necessary for all coaches, players, spectators and referees to show continuous respect for one another and to model positive behavior at all times. Our children do observe everything that happens and will copy the behavior we model for them. We commit to do our part to be a positive example.
4. We understand the referees will make plenty of errors. However, we also understand that the outcome of any call made by the referee is really not that significant. It's just a game!!!!!!!!!!!!
5. We understand that concerns regarding referees, coaches, players or any other aspect of a specific game, or the league as a whole, should be expressed to the Board in writing. Under no circumstances are we to correct, criticize, or approach a referee. Only the Board is to instruct the referees.
6. We agree to abide by the rules and policies of the league as set forth in the by-laws and other official statements of the league. Documents are available through the coaches.
7. We understand that failure by the player below, or anyone associated with the player below, to abide by league policies, can and will result in disciplinary action by the Board which may result in removal of the player from the team. Playing in the league is a privilege, not a right. No improper behavior by the player, or by a spectator associated with the player, will be tolerated.
8. We understand that by signing this form, we agree to the statements above and take responsibility to ensure that all spectators associated with this player will comply with the intent and purposes of these policies.

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**Player (sign name)**

**(Print name) DATE**

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**Parent / Guardian (sign name)**

**(Print name) DATE**

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