

## **Santa Paula High Athletics Parent Code of Conduct**

### **(Mandatory for all Parents/Guardians to Read & Sign)**

Santa Paula Athletics plays an important role in promoting the physical, spiritual, social, and emotional development of Santa Paula High School student-athletes. It is therefore essential for parents and coaches to encourage young athletes to embrace the values of good sportsmanship. Moreover, adults involved in Santa Paula High School Athletics must be models of good sportsmanship and must lead by example by demonstrating fairness, respect, and self-control. I therefore pledge to be responsible for my words and actions while attending or participating in Santa Paula High School Athletic events. My behavior will reflect the following code of conduct:

1. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all athletes, coaches, and officials at every game, practice, other events, and at home.
2. I will place the emotional and physical well-being for my child ahead of my personal desire to win. I will do my very best to make Santa Paula Athletics a positive, enjoyable experience for him/her.
3. I will support coaches and officials working with my child to provide a positive, enjoyable experience.
4. I will treat a coach, parent, athlete, participant, official or any other attendee with respect, and I will encourage my child to do the same.
5. I will conduct myself in a peaceful and orderly fashion at all times during Santa Paula Athletic events.
6. I will not engage in nor encourage my son/daughter, or any other person, to engage in the use of profanity.
7. I will properly supervise my son/daughter at all Santa Paula High Athletic functions that I attend. If I am unable to attend a function, I will ensure my child is being supervised by a designated responsible person.
8. I will adhere to the terms of the Travel Policy for all away games.
9. I will refrain from posting material on social media sites that are counterproductive to the growth and development of the student athletes, athletic program and coaches/staff.

I hereby agree that if I fail to conform my conduct to the foregoing while attending, coaching, officiating or participating in a high school sports event representing Santa Paula High School, any of the following actions will occur:

- Verbal warning
- Written warning
- Suspension or immediate ejection from a Santa Paula High School athletic event
- Season suspension or multiple season suspension

Parent/Guardian #1 Signature\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian #2 Signature\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

Print Athlete's Name\_\_\_\_\_

Print Parent/Guardian Name(s)\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Contact # Work \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_

Cell \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_