

Coaches Code of Ethics Martin Girls Softball League

I hereby pledge to live up to my responsibilities as a Youth Sports Coach by following these Coaches Code of Ethics.

I will place the emotional and physical well being of my players ahead of a personal desire to win.

I will treat each player as an individual, remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for the same age group.

I will do my best to provide a safe playing situation for my players.

I will do my best to organize practices that are fun and challenging for all my players.

I will lead by example in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship to all my players.

I will be positive not negative in all aspects of my coaching responsibilities, being positive will feed the desire to win more than the negative. I will encourage this to make them better individuals and players.

I will provide a sports environment for my team that is free of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol, and I will refrain from their use at all youth sports events. I will encourage my players to never use drugs, alcohol and tobacco.

I will be knowledgeable in the rules of each sport that I coach, And I will teach these rules to my players.

I will use those coaching techniques appropriate for each of the skills that I teach.

I will remember that I am a youth sports coach, and that the game is for children and not adults.

Coach Signature

Date

