

# HAYWORTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

## PARENT AND SPECTATOR CODE OF CONDUCT

In order to demonstrate proper respect to our Christian principles, parents, spectators, and athletes are expected to adhere to this code of conduct at all sporting events:

*As a parent or spectator of the athletic program at HCS, I understand that participation for my student is a privilege. Therefore, I will display the following behaviors at athletic events. Also, I understand that my student is expected to display this same behavior and if not, there are consequences for his actions. As a parent or spectator of a Hayworth Knight:*

1. I (and my guests) will be positive Christian role models for my student and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy, and by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials and spectators at every game, practice, or other sporting event.
2. I (and my guests) will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as booing or taunting, refusing to shake hands, or using profane language or gestures.
3. I will respect the officials/coaches and their authority during games and will never question, discuss, or confront officials/coaches at the game field, and will take time to speak with officials/coaches at an agreed upon time and place.
4. I will refrain from coaching my student or other players during games and practices, unless I am one of the official coaches of the team. This also means calling out student's name and giving directions. It can be very confusing for the student athlete.
5. I will be subject to disciplinary action/s if I display any behavior resulting in an ejection from, forfeiture of, or stoppage of play during a practice or game which will be determined by the coach, athletic director, and administrator:
  - A verbal warning by coach, official, or HCS representative.
  - A one game suspension for the parent and/or spectator.
  - Banishment from all athletic events (games, practices, athletic banquet, etc.) for the remainder of the school year for the parent and/or spectator.

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Parent's Signature

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Parent's Printed Name

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Date

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Athlete's Signature