



RIVERSIDE JUNIOR VIKINGS

Football & Cheer Organization

Reference Documents Packet



Documents Included

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(Keep, do NOT hand in)

- ☐ RJV Social Media Policy
- ☐ RJV Player's Code of Conduct
- ☐ RJV Parent/Guardian's Code of Conduct

(Can print single or double-sided)



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Player's Code of Conduct

As an Organization, the Riverside Junior Vikings are committed to providing a safe, pleasant and educational environment for the children of the community, where they can participate in the activities of football and cheerleading. As a participant in this Organization, I understand that I represent not only the organization, but also my team, my coaches, and the community. I agree to adhere to the rules and expectations outlined in the following Code of Conduct and Organizational Guidelines.

I agree that I will:

- respect all decisions made by the coaching staff.
- refrain from using profane or inappropriate language at any event held by the Organization.
- respect any decision made by officials.
- follow the guidelines developed by the organization and the ACCJFL.
- be a respectful and positive teammate.
- not use any social media platform in any negative way including but not limited to the following:
 - developing any player only chats – adult supervisor required.
 - bullying or doing any emotional or physical harm to anyone.
- not engage in unbecoming behavior while wearing the uniform at any outside events or activities.
- not engage in any physical fighting with another peer.
- not make any inappropriate or threatening statements toward coaches, officials, peers, or any member of the Organization.

The following are a list of disciplinary actions that could occur if the above-mentioned guidelines are not followed.

- 1st Offense: **VERBAL WARNING**
- 2nd Offense: **WRITTEN WARNING**
- 3rd Offense: **EXPULSION FROM THE ORGANIZATION**

We hope that we never have to impose any disciplinary actions on any of the children of the Organization. This **Player's Code of Conduct** was developed to ensure the safety of all children involved in the Riverside Junior Vikings Football and Cheer Organization.

PLAYER COPY – Please *SIGN* Signature Form



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Parent / Guardian's Code of Conduct

As an Organization, the Riverside Junior Vikings are committed to providing a safe, pleasant and educational environment for the children of the community, where they can participate in the activities of football and cheerleading. As Parents, Guardians and Volunteers, my role in the Organization is vital to provide the safest environment for the children. I agree to adhere to the rules and expectations outlined in the following Code of Conduct and Organizational Guidelines.

I agree that I will:

- be a positive influence on ALL children within the Organization.
- support all the decisions made by the Board of Directors as well as the coaching staff.
- accept all decisions made by the officials and league officers.
- not participate in any unbecoming conduct at any Riverside Junior Vikings events.
- not engage in any inappropriate behavior towards the coaching staff, referee, or opposing coaching staff.
- not use inappropriate or profane language at any time during the season or at any Riverside Junior Vikings event.
- refrain from any inappropriate behavior on any social media platform and will abide by the ACCJFL and Riverside Junior Vikings Football and Cheer Organization Social Media Policy.
- take responsibility for any violations of the Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct or the Bylaws of the Organization.
- participate in all mandatory fundraisers held by the Organization.
- not use any tobacco or alcohol products on the property of the Organization.
- commit to two (2) shifts at the Concession Stand and volunteer for events or field prep when available.
- not be permitted to be on the field unless I am a volunteer that has submitted all of my clearances and been approved by the Board.
- follow the proper chain of command with any questions, comments or concerns I may have. The chain of command regarding the sport my child is participating in is outlined below:
 1. Speak with the **Head Coach**
 2. Speak with the **Football Commissioner** or **Cheer Coordinator**
 3. Speak with a member of the **Board of Directors**
- understand that the Riverside Junior Vikings follow their bylaws when determining the best course of action for the Organization.
- approach my child's coach BEFORE or AFTER practice.
- only discuss playing time or participation time with my child's coach after 24 hours have passed after a game or competition.

- understand it is my responsibility to provide the transportation needed for my child to participate in the Organization.
- understand my child's attendance can / will affect their playing time for games / and or placement for competition.
- understand it is my responsibility to provide the equipment needed for my child to participate.

I understand I have responsibilities to the Organization and am required to pay a uniform deposit fee when the uniform is issued to my child. I understand that in order to receive my FULL deposit back I MUST do the following:

1. Return ALL uniform components in the same or better condition.
2. Complete two (2) shifts at the Concession Stand during games, or Chains during games.
3. Participate in at LEAST two (2) Organization fundraisers OR donate to the Concession Stand, bake sale or basket raffles.
4. Parent, Child, and Coaches Codes of Conduct are not broken at any time during the season.
5. Uniforms should be returned at designated uniform return dates TBA, but absolutely MUST be returned NO LATER THAN November 30 of the current year.

DISCLAIMER: UNIFORM DEPOSIT DOES NOT COVER THE FULL COST OF THE ITEMS GIVEN TO YOUR CHILD. ANY BALANCE THAT IS OWED IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PARENTS OR THE ORGANIZATION WILL FILE WITH THE MAGISTRATE FOR ANY LOSSES OF EQUIPMENT.

If I should violate any of the above stated guidelines, I understand there will be appropriate repercussions for my actions:

- 1st Offense: **VERBAL WARNING**
- 2nd Offense: **WRITTEN WARNING**
- 3rd Offense: **EXPULSION FROM THE ORGANIZATION**
 - Behavior or conduct will be reported to the ACCJFL and the Riverside Junior Vikings will follow their decision.
 - Going directly to the ACCJFL without first discussing issues with the Organization, following the aforementioned chain of command will result in **IMMEDIATE BANISHMENT FROM THE ORGANIZATION.**

I affirm and agree with the above stated guidelines and I will respect and follow the rules and bylaws of the Riverside Junior Vikings and the ACCJFL. Failure to abide by this **Parent / Guardian's Code of Conduct** will result in the appropriate action being taken to ensure the safety and wellbeing of the children and volunteers of the Organization.

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Social Media Policy

The ACCJFL and Riverside Junior Vikings Football & Cheerleading Organization will enforce zero tolerance for any derogatory comments made on social media, team websites, or any public forum, by all ACCJFL members. Allegations of violations of the ACCJFL social media policy shall be presented to the Board for investigation. The Board, at a special meeting called for that purpose, shall make a determination, and when appropriate sanctions as prescribed in the bylaws up to and including a permanent ban from participation with any ACCJFL organization shall be imposed (*see Article XVII Penalties of ACC Bylaws*).

The ACCJFL Board of Directors reserves the right to impose any penalty it determines to be appropriate based on the severity of a violation of any provision of these Bylaws.

TEAM:

- **FORFEITURE OF GAME**

COACH:

1. 1st Offense: **VERBAL WARNING**
2. 2nd Offense: **WRITTEN WARNING**
3. 3rd Offense: **EXPULSION FROM THE ORGANIZATION**
 - Behavior or conduct will be reported to the ACCJFL and the Riverside Junior Vikings will follow their decision.

OTHERS: (Parents, Team Officials, Spectators, Volunteers, Players, Cheerleaders ETC.)

- **EXPULSION** from attending ACCJFL games or functions.

The Riverside Junior Vikings Football and Cheer Organization will implement, follow and enforce this **Social Media Policy**.

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