

Eden Prairie Track and Field Association (EPTFA) Code of Conduct

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This Code of Conduct applies to all Athletes, Coaches, Parents, Spectators, and Volunteers at EPTFA events.

1. I will not use profanity.
2. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all athletes, coaches, and officials at every meet and practice.
3. I will treat other players, coaches, fans, volunteers and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, gender, creed or ability.
4. I will place the emotional and physical well-being of all athletes, including teammates and opponents, ahead of my personal desire to win.
5. I will do my best to remember that youth sports are supposed to be a FUN and POSITIVE experience, and that winning and losing are part of everyone's experience.
6. I will not initiate a fight or scuffle, push, shove, or retaliate, with any athlete, coach, parent, spectator, volunteer, or official.
7. I will express my concerns through the proper channels in a dignified manner.
8. I will not berate the officials.
9. I will not undermine the coaches' instructions or directions.
10. I will respect the volunteers that are assisting with the conduct of these events.
11. I will demand a sports environment that is free from drugs, tobacco and alcohol. Even if I am an adult, I will refrain from their use at all EPTFA sporting events.
12. I will remember that the game is for the kids - not the adults.

Any violation of the Code of Conduct may result in a temporary or permanent expulsion from any EPTFA sponsored events.