



Parent Code of Conduct

As a Tribe Lacrosse Parent:

1. I will support and encourage my child as he/she participates in Tribe Lacrosse and understand that my role as a parent is critical to the success of my child.
2. I will have my child on time to practice (15 minutes prior to start time) and games (45 minutes prior to start time), and if for some reason I cannot be on time will communicate with the appropriate person.
3. I understand that lacrosse is a team game and shall support and encourage both my child and his or her teammates.
4. I understand that specific rules guide each activity and that necessary discipline of the participants by the coach is part of the activity.
5. I will let the coach do the teaching/coaching, and will respect the coach's decisions regarding participants and participation. I will save all questions and comments regarding the activity, participants or participation for a time when the atmosphere is conducive to problem solving and in particular I will not approach or contact the coach immediately before or after a game or a Tournament. If I feel I have a concern that was not addressed by the Coach, I understand that I should contact the Director of Coaching first and then the Tribe Lacrosse Board President.
6. I will be a positive role model for my child and to refrain from public displays of anger. I will abide by the mantra of H3 – Honor (the game, opposing players, referees and teammates), Hustle, and Humility.
7. I will accept officials' decisions and understand that verbal abuse or harassment of an official could be detrimental to my child, the activity, the team, and the league.
8. I will watch the action away from the players' benches and on the opposite side of the field, during practices and games and will not coach players, including my child, from the sidelines.
9. I will cheer good plays made by either team.
10. I will respect the game of lacrosse and all participants (the officials, the opposing players and their fans, and the coaches, who give their time for the benefit of my children).
11. I will emphasize the FUN and effort involved in playing the game, not wins and losses.
12. I will NEVER criticize players regardless of the circumstance.
13. I will be good sports on and off the field and not participate in any conduct, including foul and abusive language and/or gestures, taunting, fighting, trash talking, boastful celebration, damage to property or belongings, or any other conduct that reflects poorly on myself or Tribe Lacrosse.
14. I understand that these standards apply to myself and my spouse, partner and/or other family members.

Signature

Printed Name

Date

Child's Name