

Roxbury Jr. Lacrosse Parent And Spectator Codes Of Conduct

To All Parents & Spectators:

Thank you for supporting your child as they participate in The Roxbury Gaels Jr. Lacrosse program.

The main objective of the program is to create a positive learning experience for all players. The primary goals are to have fun, learn/improve skills, and understand how to function as part of a team. These goals require hard work within a disciplined, structured environment. The coaches are responsible for creating this environment. This is done through appropriate practice and coaching techniques, as well as encouraging the efforts of all players.

There are several ways parents and spectators can contribute: Make sure your child attends all practices/games at the specified times; help him to practice fundamentals and be there to encourage his game performance. By Encouragement, we mean ONLY positive comments/cheers and setting a GOOD EXAMPLE of sportsmanship by doing the following:

1. Refrain from any derogatory comments directed at players, officials, coaches or spectators.
2. Refrain from any inappropriate language toward the opposing team, officials, or coaches.
3. Accept all decisions made by the officials.
4. Demonstrate good sportsmanship when cheering for your team.
5. Refrain from actions that may endanger the safety or comfort of the players, officials, spectators or coaches.

Failure to comply with the above will not be tolerated. Failure to comply will result in stoppage of play/game, and the offending party will be asked to leave the game venue immediately. Should the party refuse to comply the local authorities will be summoned to assist.

CODES OF CONDUCT CONTINUED:

Any party who has been asked to leave a game will not be allowed to attend any future game (home or away) until a meeting with the disciplinary committee of Roxbury Jr. Lacrosse/Roxbury Recreation has been completed. Should a party attempt to attend a game (home or away) without conforming to the above regulation, the game will not start until the party removes themselves from the game venue.

Should the party be allowed to attend future games per the disciplinary committee and upon attending those games commit a second violation, the penalty will be as follows: The offending party will be asked to leave the game venue immediately. Should the party refuse to comply the local authorities will be summoned to assist. The SECOND OFFENSE will result in the IMMEDIATE EXPULSION of the FAMILY (parents and player) from the Roxbury Jr. Lacrosse program and forfeiture of all payments made for same. The offending party will have the opportunity to appeal the expulsion before the disciplinary committee within 10 days of the 2nd violation.

THIS IS A REQUIREMENT:

BOTH Parents/Guardians must sign below and return to your head coach at once. Players will not be able to participate in any game until signed copies are in the possession of the Roxbury Jr. Lacrosse Executive board. Noncompliant Parents/Guardians will be refunded their registration fee only (subject to review by the Roxbury Recreation Department) and be excluded from the Roxbury Jr. Lacrosse program.

I/We agree to abide by the codes of conduct above and display good sportsmanship at every event associated with Roxbury Jr. Lacrosse. Should I/we fail to do so I fully understand the penalties listed above and will comply with the decisions of the disciplinary Board. (Both Parent/Guardian signatures required)

X _____
Parent or Guardian Date

X _____
Parent or Guardian Date

