

Redskins Code of Conduct

Every Dearborn Heights Redskin Junior Football and Cheer athlete's parent or guardian has read and accepted the Redskins Parent's Code of Conduct Contract during the registration process. It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to also share the following code of conduct expectations with any other friends and family members who may also attend Dearborn Heights Redskins games and events, as all are expected to adhere to the policy.

Thank you for helping to maintain a positive environment for all to enjoy!

The Dearborn Heights Redskins Junior Football and Cheerleading Club is a volunteer-driven, nonprofit organization whose mission is to help the youth of the Dearborn Heights and surrounding community develop the knowledge of and skills for youth football and cheerleading. We strive to teach and model the values of sportsmanship, teamwork and fair play to each participant and offer a positive, life-building experience in a safe and healthy environment.

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care and encouragement for my child participating in the Dearborn Heights Redskins Youth Football and Cheerleading Programs by supporting and following this code of conduct:

I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all participants, (football players and cheerleaders), Coaches, Board Members, League Officials, Game officials, etc., at every practice, game and at any other Dearborn Heights Redskins activity or event sponsored by the Western Suburban Junior Football League (WSJFL).

I will place the emotional and physical well being of my child ahead of any personal desire to win and I will applaud good effort in victory and defeat and emphasize the positive points of the game.

I will support the WSJFL rules, the Dearborn Heights Redskins rules and the coach's team rules.

I will emphasize the benefit of skill development and practices and how this will benefit my child's game/performance.

I will make every effort to have my child at every practice and game on time and have them fully prepared with the required uniform and equipment.

I will make every effort to be on time to pick up my child at the end of practice.

I will remember that the game is for the participants and not for the adults.

I will ask my child to treat other participants, coaches, board members, officials, and fans with respect.

I understand that the Dearborn Heights Redskins is a non-profit, volunteer-driven organization, and I will support the Dearborn Heights Redskins organization by cheerfully volunteering with concessions, fundraising, "chain gang," or at least two of the many activities, jobs, or committees that fit with my talents.

I will be courteous to the participants, coaches and fans of the opposing teams.

I will respect the Dearborn Heights School District properties that we use for practices and games and will follow the rules that they and the State of Michigan set forth for field usage. This includes the state law that prohibits drugs and alcohol on public school property.

I will never embarrass my child or the Dearborn Heights Redskins organization by verbally abusing/insulting participants, coaches, board members, other parents, teams or officials. Including posts on Social Media.

Also, I understand that the stands are not the place to shout personal instruction.

If something occurs with which I disagree, I will calmly seek an appropriate solution, at the appropriate time. I understand that instigating or participating in a confrontation in front of any child is never appropriate and will not be allowed. I will wait 24 hours after a game to address any issues with the Head coach only; this will be before or after practice.

I will never lose sight of the fact that I am a role model. I understand that children imitate their role models and by acting appropriately I will be modeling what I expect of my child.

I/we Acknowledge that I/we have read the following Dearborn Heights Redskins Parent's Code of Conduct Contract, will share it with other friends and family members who may also be spectators, and will adhere to it. I understand that violating the Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action by the D.H. Redskins Board of Directors. This may included but is not limited to restrictions placed on my access to the practice field, expulsion from games, and suspension or termination of my child's participation in the Dearborn Heights Redskins Youth Football and Cheerleading Programs without the refund of any fees.

Parent: _____ Date: _____.

