

LOS ALAMOS ADULT SOFTBALL CODE OF CONDUCT

The goal of our league is to provide a fun, social atmosphere where competitive games can be played while promoting good sportsmanlike behavior among participants and spectators. Therefore we will hold participants to a standard of behavior. The games managers and league president are responsible for administering these standards. A no tolerance policy has been instituted for unsportsmanlike behavior in our programs. Below is a list of our expectations and penalties for not living up with them. This is to be used as a guideline, however under special circumstances, the league president has the right to change, modify or adapt any of these offenses or penalties as needed. This Code of Conduct is meant to help control the observance of our rules. Should you have respectful comments or suggestions to improve this document, please contact the league president.

As a **player**, I understand that I must follow these rules to stay in good standing:

1. Respect the game, play fairly and follow its rules and regulations.
2. Show respect for authority to the officials of the game and of the league.
3. Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during and after games.
4. Help fans understand the league philosophy so they can watch and enjoy the game.
5. Be courteous to opposing teams and treat all players and coaches with respect.
6. Be modest when successful and be gracious in defeat.
7. Participate in the spirit and intent of the Los Alamos sport game rules and policies.
8. Accept judgment decisions made by umpires during the contest.
9. Respect the privilege of the use of public facilities.
10. Refrain from continually complaining about umpires decisions and display dissention which may include derogatory or abusive remarks.
11. Refrain from excessive arguing between opposing team / spectators.
12. Refrain from pubic indecency, vulgarity, or obscenity including foul or profane language and obscene gestures, non-directed or directed at an opponent, official, teammate, supervisor, spectator, or league official.
13. Refrain from taunting an opponent or opposing team spectator (unwanted trash talk).
14. Refrain from physical abuse of participants/spectators in the form of fighting with an opponent, teammate, official, or staff member before, during, or after a game.

I hereby agree that if I fail to conform my conduct to the foregoing while participating in a Los Alamos Adult Softball event I will be subject to disciplinary action, including but not limited to the following in any order or combination:

- A. Minimum Penalty: Warning by the umpire or league official.
- B. Maximum Penalty: 1) Suspension from the current game and any subsequent games on the same day or 2) Stoppage of play with game awarded as a forfeit victory to the opponent.
- C. Maximum Penalty: 1) Suspension from play for multiple games or 2) banning from the league either the individual or the entire team. No registration funds will be refunded in this instance.

Maximum Penalties can only be implemented by League President, UIC and league captain's.

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