## 2025 Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct

(REQUIRED FOR PLAYER TO PARTICPATE)

## Parents/Guardians:

In order for All Valley Youth Football & Cheer ("AVYFC") to run smoothly, parents will behave in a respectful manner which will reinforce model behavior. In order to ensure parents, understand what constitutes appropriate conduct, the following items have been provided. Please read through the following items, sign and return.

It is a privilege to participate in the AVYFC, not a right. No league member, its personnel, representative, coaches, players, parents, relatives, or fans has any right to participate in any AVYFC sponsored events, in the same manner as AVYFC cannot force any league member, its personnel, representative, coaches, players, parents, relatives, or fans to participate. No league member, its personnel, representative, coaches, players, parents, relatives, or fans may bring any action against the AVYFC, and each agrees to indemnify and hold harmless AVYFC against any claims, disputes, and causes of action, judgments or decrees for actions carried out in accordance with the bylaws.

Parents/Guardians and guests understand that they will adhere to the following:

- Present themselves in a respectful manner at all times during AVYFC practices and games. Anyone using abusive, profane language will not be tolerated. This rule will be strictly enforced and if violated will result in suspension.
- Alcoholic beverages, tobacco or marijuana of any kind will NOT be allowed at any, games, practices, or program sponsored events.
- No criticizing players in front of spectators. Reserve constructive criticism for your child until you are in a private setting.
- No criticizing opposing teams' players, coaches or fans verbally or with gestures.
- Accept the decisions of the game officials on the field as being fair and the best of said official's ability. Remember, the players are learning from the actions of the parents. Any threats or physical harm to an official is an automatic end of season suspension.
- Emphasize that good athletes strive to be good students and that both are physically and mentally alert.
- Strive to make every AVYFC activity serve as a training ground for life, and the basis for good mental and physical health.
- Emphasis that the winning of a game is the result of teamwork.
- There is not a must play rule for players in any division. Coaches use discretion when selecting players for play time and Parents/Guardians shall not criticize or harass coaches with regard to playing time.
- Be aware that the Head Coach bares the final responsibility for all of their actions, their assistants, players and parents.
- Only approved coaches/staff are allowed on the sidelines during games and the playing fields during practices. -NO EXCEPTIONS
- I shall remember that the game is for children, not the adults.
- I shall support my child's team rules, coach's rules, and the rules of AVYFC.
- I shall not gossip or spread rumors about players, coaches, or other parents.
- Although you are signing the document, you are responsible for any other adult you invite to AVYFC events and their conduct while attending said events.
- I shall 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 will not utilize any social media platforms to post, publicly display, in any electronic means, any items that will negatively reflect on anyone participating in AVYFC, the AVYFC Board or the individual chapters who are a part of All Valley.

## AVYFC HAS A ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY FOR THREATS OR ACTS OF VIOLENCE

Print Parent/Guardian(s) Name	Signature of Parent/Guardian(s)	Date