

Allen Eagles Lacrosse

CODE OF CONDUCT AND SPORTSMANSHIP POLICY

Participation in the Allen Eagles Lacrosse club is a privilege that carries both honors and responsibilities for athletes, coaches and parents. Adherence to the following code of conduct will help to ensure a positive, rewarding experience for all involved.

ATHLETES

- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will display positive moral, academic and leadership qualities.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will show respect to officials, coaches and teammates on and off the field.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will abide by all AISD rules concerning personal appearance and grooming, including travel to and from all club related activities.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will not use obscene or vulgar language, intentionally violate rules, use illegal tactics or resort to displays of ill temper on or off the playing field.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will not openly dispute, argue with, embarrass or challenge the judgment of the official. Discussions with officials concerning the game shall only involve the team coach or the designate team captain.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will exhibit sportsmanlike conduct at all time, winning with honor, and losing graciously.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will attend practices and games unless receiving prior permission from the Coaching staff.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will refrain from using alcohol, tobacco and illegal drugs at all times.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will permit the Head Coach, anyone on the coaching staff, and/or a board member to search personal belongings when attending any Lacrosse sanctioned event. Should the player be found to be in violation of any AHS/Allen Eagle Lacrosse policies, the player's parents will be contacted and may be asked to transport the player home.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse athletes will abide by a modified version of the U.I.L. guidelines regarding the "no pass, no play" rule.

COACHES

- Allen Eagles Lacrosse coaches will be expected to adhere to the requirements of behavior asked of the athletes.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse coaches will strive to be proficient and knowledgeable in all aspects of the game of lacrosse in order to provide proper and skillful instruction to their athletes.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse coaches will be expected to enact non-partial disciplinary action towards any athlete not abiding by the athlete's "Code of Conduct."
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse coaches will not openly dispute, argue with, embarrass or challenge the judgment of the official. Discussions with officials concerning the game shall only involve the team coach or the designated team captain.
- The Allen Eagles Lacrosse Head Coach, anyone on the coaching staff, and/or a board member may search the personal belongings of any player when attending a Lacrosse sanctioned event. Should an AHS/Allen Eagle Lacrosse violation be discovered, the player's parents will be contacted and may be responsible for transporting the player home.

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PARENTS

- Allen Eagles Lacrosse parents will be expected to adhere to the requirements of behavior asked of the athletes.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse parents will provide positive support and encouragement for the athletes
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse parents will display proper sportsmanship to Allen Eagle opponents and spectators.
- Allen Eagles Lacrosse parents will not openly dispute, argue with, embarrass or challenge the judgment of the officials. Discussions with officials concerning the game shall only involve the team coach or the designated team captain.
- During Allen Eagle Lacrosse sponsored travel, upon notification that your son has committed a serious club violation (i.e., use or possession of alcohol/drugs), the parent agrees to make immediate arrangements to transport the player home. The player will not be welcome to travel with the team for the remainder of that specific event. Any further disciplinary actions will be coordinated with the board and the parents(s).
- As outlined in the club By-laws, if a player fails a class at the end of a six week grading period, the player's parent should complete a "Parental Grade Notification Form" and turn it in to the Head Coach. Disciplinary action will be determined by the Head Coach, Parent and Player.

For Players: Disciplinary action for violations of the Allen Eagles Lacrosse "Code of Conduct" will be in line with the Allen High School "Student Code of Conduct" up to and including dismissal from the team.

Athletes, Coaches and Parents acknowledge, by their signatures below, their acceptance of the promise to adhere to the above "Code of Conduct."

Athlete: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parents: _____

Signature(s): _____ Date: _____

Coach(es): _____

Signature(s): _____ Date: _____