

## Inter Academic Athletic League Sportsmanship Guidelines

The goal of the Inter Academic League Sportsmanship Code is to insure respect among participants, coaches, parents, other spectators and officials at all League contests. It is the responsibility of each member school to disseminate the following guidelines.

1. Coaches are responsible for setting a proper tone for their athletes.
2. Spectators should encourage their own teams and treat opponents with respect.
3. Noisemakers (indoor) and provocative signs are prohibited from all contests.
4. Officials are to be treated with respect by coaches, players, parents, and other spectators.
5. Abusive language, which includes taunting, is prohibited at all contests.
6. Anyone - coach, player, parent, or other spectator - who violates the Sportsmanship Code may be expelled from the premises.
7. It is recommended that a faculty representative from each school be present at each varsity contest.
8. InterAc schools never permit alcohol to be served as a prelude to a contest or during a contest. This includes, but is not limited to, tailgating. When contests occur at a neutral site, the competing schools will ask the host site to prohibit the consumption of alcohol by spectators.