

2022-2023 PARENT EXPECTATIONS

The parent / coach relationship is very important and it is our desire to have relationships with the parents of our student-athletes. The following expectations will allow us to take positive steps toward building these relationships.

I/We, the parent (s), will adhere to the following expectations during the 2022-2023 athletic school year.

Role of Parent

1. Support the program in a positive fashion
 - Do not say negative things about the coach, team, or other team members: In private, public, and via social media.
2. Be willing to be involved if/when asked
3. Show good sportsmanship
 - Refrain from harassing referees and the opposing team/coaches
4. Allow the coach to coach during games and practice (1 voice)
5. Follow procedures when wishing to discuss an issue with a coach.
 - There will be moments when events do not go the way students or parents would prefer. During these situations, a timely and respectful discussion with the coach will most likely bring about a clearer understanding of the issues and the positions of all involved.
6. Letting the coach know of any conflicts with practice and/or games

APPROPRIATE ISSUES PARENTS CAN ADDRESS WITH COACHES / ADVISORS

1. Treatment of your son or daughter.
2. Ways to help your son or daughter improve.
3. How to support the program.

INAPPROPRIATE ISSUES TO DISCUSS WITH COACHES / ADVISORS

1. Playing time. We want this to be discussed from Coach to player first to help identify role on the team.
2. Team strategy.
3. Play calling.
4. Other student participants.

PROCEDURES USED TO DISCUSS A CONCERN WITH A COACH / ADVISOR

1. Call or email to set up an appointment. Do not confront a coach or advisor during an event, after an event, or during/after a practice. Please wait 24 hours before setting up this appointment.
2. If the coach cannot be reached, call the athletic director or the principal.
3. If the parent-coach meeting does not reach a satisfactory resolution, call to make an appointment with the athletic director. At this meeting, the parent, coach, and athletic director will discuss the issue and try to reach a satisfactory resolution.
4. If a satisfactory resolution is not reached, call and make an appointment with the principal.