Oueen of Peace CYO Parent/Athlete Rules/Code of Conduct

The purpose of the following Parent/Athlete Code of Conduct is to help define appropriate actions and behaviors that support the mission of Queen of Peace CYO. All participating parents and student athletes should read, understand and sign this form prior to participation in our sports program.

Parents

- 1. SINCE WE ARE A CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION, IN ORDER TO BE PART OF THE CYO PROGRAM, EACH CHILD AND FAMILY WILL NEED TO MAKE A COMITMENT TO ATTEND SUNDAY MASS.
- 2. Each team will be asked to go to Mass together as a team during the Season.
- 3. All registration forms must be filled out by the child and his/her parent or guardian prior to the child participating in practice or event.
- 4. All CYO fees must be paid before a child can participate in any CYO activity. Any financial hardship must be brought to the attention of Fr. Scott.
- 5. All volunteers must go through a Background check and Protecting God's Children.
- 6. Encourage good sportsmanship, effort and teamwork from student athletes, coaches and spectators. Parents should avoid communications with referees and are encouraged to speak respectfully to their coaches outside game time in the event they have concerns.
- 7. Place the well being of my child before a personal desire to win.

- 8. Model Christian behavior for all students, spectators and coaches. Remember you represent your school, parish and your child in the community.
- 9. Respect the judgment of the officials and efforts and strategies of the coaches.
- 10. Keep winning in perspective; help your child do the same.
- 11. Help your child meet the responsibilities to the team and coach.
- 12. Place academics as first priority...schoolwork is still the primary task.
- 13. Present to Fr. Scott a copy of your child's report card and progress report each marking period.
- 14. Let the coach guide and instruct your child during competitions and practices.
- 15. Advocate a sports environment for my child that is free from drugs, tobacco, alcohol and abusive language and refrain from their use during youth sporting events.
- 16. Encourage my child to play by the rules and respect the rights of other players, coaches, fans and officials.
- 17. In the interest of safety, parents will be prompt in delivering and picking up students to practices and games. No student may be left unattended. If the coach has not arrived, parents must wait with the child until he or she arrives.
- 18. Anybody who speaks against Queen of Peace will be dismissed from the CYO program.
- 19. Any parent/guardian or spectator who does not abide by this code of conduct can be asked to leave the facility

and may be subject to further penalties and/or being barred from attending future practices and/or games.

Student Athletes

- 1. SINCE WE ARE A CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION, IN ORDER TO BE A PART OF THE CYO PROGRAM, EACH CHILD AND FAMILY WILL NEED TO MAKE A COMITMENT TO ATTEND SUNDAY MASS.
- 2. Each team will be asked to go to Mass together as a team during the Season.
- 3. Attendance is very important; not attending practices jeopardizes your play time during the games.
- 4. Once you have reached three(3) un-excused absences, the coach reserves the right to remove you from the team.
- 5. If you are not going to attend practice, you are required to contact your coaches to inform them.
- 6. Respect the game, play fairly and follow its rules and regulations.
- 7. Respect coaches, referees, teammates and opposing players at all times.
- 8. Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during and after the games.
- 9. Be courteous to opposing teams and treat all players and coaches with respect. Taunting of opponents will not be tolerated.
- 10. Must not use of drugs, tobacco, alcohol and abusive language. Immediate removal from the team will be the consequence.

- 11. Students will arrive at all practices on time and at least fifteen minutes before scheduled games unless otherwise instructed by the coach.
- 12. Any player ejected from a game because of unsportsmanlike conduct will be suspended from the next game and may be subject to additional penalties.
- 13. Games and practices will not be accepted as excuses for missed school assignments or poor test preparation and/or performance.
- 14. You must have a passing grade to maintain your status on the team. A failing grade will get you suspended from team play.
- 15. Behavior in the classroom will affect your participation on the team. Students who regularly fail to hand in homework, who perform unsatisfactorily in class and /or exhibit inappropriate behavior in or out of school will be suspended from the team.
- 16. Repeated late arrival to school may result in in temporary suspension from practice/play.
- 17. Three detentions may result in suspension from games.
- 18. Use self control.
- 19. Listen and learn from the coach. Work hard to improve skills and help the team.
- 20. Any player who physically and/or verbally abuses another player, coach or official may be suspended from play for the remainder of the season and may be disqualified from other Queen of Peace Sports Teams.

I have read and agree to Queen of Peace's Athletic
Code of Conduct

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Date	
Parent/Guardian	
Date	