## ADULT PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

The Spanish Fork Parks & Recreation Department promotes sportsmanship, respect, integrity and fair play in all of its programs. We have an ongoing concern about keeping a high standard of sportsmanship in each of our sports. Players, spectators and recreation employees (officials, score keepers, supervisors) should be able to feel they are in a "safe" environment when they are participating, watching or working. We desire that all players in our adult programs be aware of our "Adult Player Code of Conduct" before choosing to participate in the city's recreation programs.

Spanish Fork Parks & Recreation has established the following "Adult Player Code of Conduct" for all adults involved in any of our programs. All participating adults are expected to know, promote and adhere to the following standards of conduct. This code of conduct will apply in all of our adult programs and activities.

- 1. I will participate within all league rules and guidelines.
- 2. I will display good sportsmanship and fair play and encourage others to do the same.
- 3. I will recognize and support good effort, teamwork and sportsmanship, win or lose.
- 4. I will respect my team captain, teammates, the opposing team members, officials, spectators as well as site and league supervisors.
- 5. I will not physically or verbally abuse a coach, official, scorekeeper, player, spectator or supervisor while participating in or attending any event/game. This includes pre & post game as well as during the contest.
- 6. I will not argue with an official's judgment decision. I will let the team captain calmly discuss with the official any calls that need to be disputed based on the interpretation of the rules.
- 7. I will respect the decision of the game officials and league supervisors.
- 8. I will leave the field/gym in as good or better condition than when I arrived.
- 9. I will arrive at practices and games on time with all the necessary uniforms, equipment and protective gear.
- 10. I will demand an environment that is free from drugs, tobacco and alcohol and will refrain from their use during all adult sports leagues, tournaments or events.
- 11. I will make sure that any children that I bring to the field / gym have adequate supervision while I am participating.
- 12. I understand that there are rules and guidelines, including minimum and maximum penalties for specific offenses for each adult sports program. Further information will be reviewed at organizational meetings and will be available on the city website.

## **ACCEPTANCE OF CODE OF CONDUCT**

I acknowledge that Spanish Fork City Parks & Recreation has created an "Adult Player Code of Conduct". I have read this code of conduct which is described above and agree to abide by these standards. I understand that if I do not abide by this code of conduct, I may be removed as a participant and may be prohibited from participating in future events.

It is the goal of Spanish Fork Parks and Recreation to uphold the integrity of each program it offers. I further acknowledge that participating in Spanish Fork City's Recreation programs or events is a privilege and I fully agree to adhere to the "Adult Player Code of Conduct." Failure to do so may result in ejection, forfeited games, and or suspension from future participation.

