



Sports Code of Conduct

All rules will be strictly enforced. The term "individual" includes: manager, coach, player and spectator. The term "official" includes: umpire, league directors and/or city staff. The team is responsible for the conduct of its individuals. Misconduct may result in penalizing an individual and/or a team with respect to the Cactus Cities Softball League and NAGAAA tournaments.

1. **No Individual Shall:** At any time lay a hand upon, shove, strike or threaten to strike an official or individual.
2. **No Individual Shall:** Be guilty of objectionable demonstration of dissent by throwing gloves, bats, ball; or any other forceful action.
3. **No Individual Shall:** Discuss with an official, in any manner, the decision reached by such official except the manager, coach or captain.
4. **No Individual Shall:** Be guilty of using unnecessary rough tactics in the play of the game.
5. **No Individual Shall:** Be guilty of a physical attack as an aggressor upon any official or individual.
6. **No Individual Shall:** Be guilty of an abusive verbal attack upon any official or individual on or off the playing field.
7. **No Individual Shall:** Use profane, obscene or vulgar language in any manner, at any time, on or off the playing field.
8. **No Individual Shall:** Appear on the field of play at any time in an intoxicated condition or under the influence of any other type of drug which will infringe upon the individual's safety or the safety of others.
9. **No Coach, Manager or Player Shall:** Drink alcoholic beverage during league or tournament games.
10. **No Individual Shall:** Drink alcoholic beverages in any City facility parking lot. Alcoholic beverage permits are restricted.
11. **No Individual Shall:** Be guilty of damaging, destroying or stealing property of any kind.
12. **No Individual Shall:** Be guilty of any demonstration of unsportsmanlike conduct.

The severity of an infraction will determine the penalty. Penalties can fall between a warning from the official, suspension of the team for the remainder of the season and/or monetary fines. The Executive Committee and/or the Commission will determine the penalty within a reasonable time limit.

Please note: Certain penalties such as warnings and ejections from the game are enforced by the official of the game and any decisions made by any such officials will be adhered to by the Executive Committee.