

Coppell Girls Softball Association

CGSA Board Members will be in attendance at all scheduled games, and will represent the league. Please direct concerns or questions to the member with field duty for that day.

CGSA COACH CODE OF CONDUCT

Coaches are representatives of the league and as such are charged with supporting and implementing league rules and policies. Head Coaches are responsible for controlling the behavior of their coaches, players and player's parents during scheduled games. Coaches are expected to follow the spirit of the rules as well as the letter, as good sportsmanship requires.

THE OFFICIAL SUPPLIED BY CGSA WILL BE THE GOVERNING FORCE AT ALL GAMES. Judgment calls are **NOT TO BE DISPUTED!!** The HEAD COACH ONLY may question what rule was used to make the call, but the call itself cannot be argued. Any coach exhibiting bad sportsmanship will be ejected from the game and will also be suspended from coaching for a minimum of one (1) additional game and a maximum of the remainder of the season.

Harassment of the umpire will result in ejection from the game. If the offender is a coach and he/she does not immediately remove him/herself from the playing area, he/she will be suspended for the remaining season and will be subject to disciplinary review by the CGSA Board. CGSA rules sec. 5.5

There will be no profanity by players, coaches, or spectators at any time while engaging in the activities of this program, including practices. Also, there is to be no abusive or derogatory comments or names directed to or about any player, coach or umpire by other players, coaches, or spectators. Violators will be ejected from the game. If the offender is a coach, he will also be suspended for a minimum of one (1) additional game and a maximum of the remainder of the season. Players will be ejected from the game and may be suspended for additional games subject to review by the CGSA Board.

CGSA PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

We expect our parents to understand this is a recreational league that stresses sportsmanship, character and enjoyment over winning. As such, we ask you to learn the player's names and cheer for all of them. Your coach will direct the team and we ask you to support them. They volunteer to coach and we appreciate their time and effort.

The same rules above for coaches are below for parents. It is not our intention to stifle competition, but to ensure the focus is properly on the girls at all times, to ensure they have a positive experience.

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A special word about our umpires. Many of them are former CGSA players now in middle school or high school. They are daughters and sisters, and are umpires because they love the game. We cannot tolerate anything but respect for them, and they are great role models for our CGSA players.

We thank you for your support and participation!