



Muskegon Catholic Central Athletics

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Spectator Code of Conduct

The essential elements of character building and ethics in athletics are embodied in the concept of sportsmanship and six core principles: trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and good citizenship. Excellence in athletics is achieved when competition reflects these “six pillars of character”.

Therefore I agree:

1. I will refrain from coaching my child or other players during games and practices.
2. I will respect the officials and their authority during games and will never question, discuss or confront coaches at the game field or court, and will take time to speak to coaches at an agreed upon time and place no earlier than 24 hours after an incident of concern has occurred.
3. I will support the coaches in demanding that my child treat other players, coaches, officials, and spectators with respect regardless of race, creed, color, sex, or ability.
4. I will promote the emotional and physical well-being of the student athletes ahead of any personal desire I may have for my own child to win.
5. I will not encourage or set an example of any behaviors or practices that would endanger the health and well-being of student-athletes.
6. I (and my guest/s) will be a positive role model for my child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy, and by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials, and spectators at every game, practice, or event.
7. I (and my guest/s) will not engage in in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as boing and taunting; refusing to shake hands; or using profane language or gestures.
8. I understand that any violation of this code of conduct will be cause for dismissal, suspension, or permanent expulsion from current and future athletic events.

I have read, understand, and agree to the spectator code of conduct for Muskegon Catholic Central High School sporting events.

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

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Date Signed: _____

PLEASE NOTE: This form must be reviewed and signed by every student that is participating in athletics at MCC and returned on Orientation Day or to the Athletic Office prior to athletic participation or attending an athletic event.