



Coastal Homeschool Athletic Association
UNITY- CHARACTER- HONOR

CHAA Expectations

CHAA is a Christ-centered athletic organization built around the ideals of Unity, Character & Honor.

- UNITY – We unite ourselves as a team and learn the importance of working together for a common goal, and trusting in our teammates, coaches and parents.
- CHARACTER – We desire to demonstrate Christ-like character in all that we do including our interactions with teammates, coaches, parents, officials and opponents.
- HONOR – We strive to honor God by giving our best in practice and competition, and by praising Him whether we win or lose.

CHAA expects its Coaches to:

1. Promote the CHAA ideals of Unity, Character & Honor.
2. Pray with their Teams.
3. Lead by example in being respectful of players, coaches, fans, and officials at all times.
4. Never publicly demean a player, official, opposing coach, or parent.
5. Be responsible for their own behavior and also the behavior of their team, their parents, and fans.
6. Ensure that their players are supervised by a coach or another designated adult and never allow their players to be left unattended or unsupervised at a game or practice.
7. Never knowingly permit an injured player to play or return to the game.
8. Take reasonable steps to see that all equipment used by their players is safe and conforms to standards.
9. Take the initiative in resolving any known or suspected conflict relating to a player or family.
10. Accept positive and negative feedback graciously as from the Lord.

CHAA expects its Players to:

1. Uphold the CHAA ideals of Unity, Character & Honor.
2. Show respect for authority to all coaches and game officials.
3. Respect the privilege of using playing facilities by cleaning up benches, locker rooms, stands, and grounds after a practice or game.
4. Avoid profanity or demeaning speech on all occasions, even in the “heat of competition.
5. Communicate to the coach ahead of time when they will miss a practice or game.
6. Understand that the TEAM comes before the welfare of an individual player.
7. Be willing to serve in any role to build TEAM success.
8. Show up for practice on time, with proper equipment and ready to play.
9. Tell the coach of their concerns or problems instead of talking to others about them.
10. Seek to resolve personal conflicts with teammates. Speak to them first and seek reconciliation.

CHAA expects Parents to:

1. Trust the coach to coach the team.
2. Volunteer to help with team needs whenever possible.



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3. Let the officials and umpires call the game, remembering that they too are only human and that rarely is the outcome of a game determined by a "bad call."
4. Demonstrate exemplary sportsmanship at games by using only positive cheers and never laughing at errors or jeering an opponent.
5. Assist their athletes to show up to practice and games on time, with proper equipment, and ready to play.
6. Direct their athletes to communicate to the coach in advance of any anticipated missed practices or games.
7. Speak to the coach privately (and not to others) about any issues concerning any aspect of their family or athlete's participation on an CHAA team.
8. Speak to the particular CHAA Commissioner about any issue not adequately resolved with a coach.
9. Be familiar with the CHAA Rules of Eligibility and to notify the coach of any reason their athlete might not qualify to play with CHAA.
10. Fill out the post-season evaluations with truth and love.

All participants in CHAA programs; players, parents, coaches and other volunteers; must sign the acknowledgement of the CHAA Statement of Faith. All Coaches, Commissioners and Board Members must be professing believers of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.