

## ABE STUDENT ATHLETE CODE OF CONDUCT



## **Congratulations. Welcome to Aberhart Athletics!**

You are now a member of our high school athletic program, with high expectations, immense time and energy commitments and a rich tradition of success, both in the classroom and on the court/field. Take PRIDE in your conduct; RESPECT yourself and others and seek **EXCELLENCE** in everything you do. Welcome to **ABERHART ATHLETICS.** 

You have been chosen to represent William Aberhart on the SR Boys' basketball team. The expectations for all students outlined in the <u>CBE Code of Conduct</u> was reviewed with you during school opening and it your responsibility to ensure you understand expectations fully. There are special responsibilities and requirements that accompany being a student-athlete and representing Aberhart.

- **1) Academics:** Academics are the most important aspect of high school athletics. The expectation is that its student-athletes to attend and be on time for classes. Regular attendance is mandatory.
- **2)** The Team before the individual: All decisions and actions will be made with the team's best interest in mind. All players must understand their role so the team can achieve success in reaching their goal.
- 3) Team Conduct:
  - Be gracious when you win or lose
  - Obey the rules of the game
  - Work for the good of your team
  - Accept official's decisions with grace
  - Believe in the integrity of your opponents
  - Applaud the efforts of your teammates and other teams at Abe
  - You are a leader! Drinking, smoking/vaping, drugs and misuse of social media fall outside of Student Code of Conduct expectations.

Any behaviour that is inconsistent with the above expectations may affect the student-athlete's continued participation on the team.

## **ATHLETES**

- You are expected to perform at the highest level you are capable of academically. Failing grades
  is a concern and a meeting with the student, coach and teacher (s) to discuss strategies is
  important to maintaining good standing on the team
- You are expected to maintain excellent attendance and be on time for your classes. Missing classes without an appropriate reason during the day means no games or practices that day unless an arrangement has been made with the coach.
- You are expected to demonstrate leadership and cooperation in classes. Your teacher should know that they can count on you to demonstrate a high level of citizenship and do you best at all times.
- As an athlete, you are representing yourself and Aberhart at all times with tremendous sportsmanship. We expect only the best behaviour at all times and in every circumstance.

I, an athlete at Aberhart, recognize that there are hig expectations of my conduct both during competition and in school life. I agree to adhere to the above expectations to the best of my ability. I understand that if at any time I do not live up to the expectations above, my continued participation on the team may be impacted.	
Student Signature	Parent/Guardian Signature



## **ABE PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT - SPORTSMANSHIP**



- 1. Be a positive role model for your student-athlete by practicing and demonstrating the rules of good sportsmanship. Heckling of officials or opposing teams will not be tolerated.
- 2. Parental support is a critical component of our program. You can greatly influence "team unity" by the examples you set. Please refrain from 'coaching' your athlete during games. Our coaching staff is knowledgeable and dedicated and works with the team dynamics to achieve the best strategies possible for competitive play.
- 3. Trust the coaches that are with your athletes. The coaches at Abe *volunteer* 200 400 hours of their time to develop your athlete. Please respect that.
- 4. Coaches *will discuss* with parents about a) any issue that cannot be resolved through coach/athlete dialogue or captain/coach/athlete dialogue b) ways to help your athlete improve c) academic concerns d) behavior of your athlete.
- 5. Coaches *will not discuss* with parents about a) playing time b) coaching style or strategies c) other players
- 6. We ask for the 24 hour rule for any discussion. We would like the issue to try to be resolved through the following steps in the following order...
  - a. Athlete and teacher coach
  - b. Parent/Student and teacher coach
  - c. Parent and Athletic Directors
    - Jaimie Thibeault jathibeault@cbe.ab.ca
    - Rory Hayes rohayes@cbe.ab.ca
  - d. Parent/Student and Assistant Principal
    - Brunelle, Veronique (Surnames A-G)
    - Scott, Michael (H-N)
    - Vryenhoek, Jocelynn (O-Z)

Student Athlete's Name	Parent/Guardian Signature

We look forward to an amazing year of ABE Athletics!!!

