ROMEO PEACHMEN LACROSSE CLUB

PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

Developing Players On and Off the Field

PURPOSE

The Peachmen Lacrosse program is committed to developing young men of character, integrity, accountability, leadership, and sportsmanship. Participation in Peachmen Lacrosse is a privilege that carries responsibilities both on and off the field.

Every player is expected to understand that their actions, decisions, and behavior reflect not only on themselves, but also on their teammates, coaches, school, and the Peachmen Lacrosse program. Therefore, players are expected to uphold the highest standards of conduct in the classroom, in the community, online, and in competition. Being a Peachmen Lacrosse player is a year round responsibility, and players are expected to represent the values of the program with pride at all times.

CORE EXPECTATIONS

- Demonstrate integrity, honesty, and accountability in actions and decisions.
- Treat teammates, coaches, officials, opponents, and spectators with respect.
- Represent Peachmen Lacrosse with pride, class, and sportsmanship.
- Put the success of the team ahead of individual accomplishments.
- Strive to become a better player, teammate, student, and person every day.
- Understand that conduct both on and off the field impacts the reputation and culture of the program.

COMMITMENT AND ATTENDANCE

- Attend all practices, games, team meetings, and scheduled events unless excused.
- Arrive on time and prepared with all required equipment.
- Communicate proactively regarding absences, tardiness, or conflicts.
- Give full effort and maintain a positive attitude during team activities.

ATTENDANCE AND PLAYING TIME POLICY

- Any player who misses two (2) practices immediately preceding a game, unless excused by the coaching staff, will have their playing time reduced for that game.
- Playing time adjustments are at the discretion of the coaching staff.
- Repeated attendance issues may result in additional disciplinary action.
- Availability does not guarantee playing time, but commitment and consistent participation are fundamental expectations of being a member of Peachmen Lacrosse.

SPORTSMANSHIP AND CONDUCT

- Demonstrate conduct that reflects positively on Peachmen Lacrosse both on and off the field.
- Display respect toward coaches, teammates, officials, facility staff, and spectators.
- Refrain from profanity, taunting, bullying, hazing, fighting, intimidation, or unsportsmanlike conduct.
- Accept coaching and constructive feedback with maturity and professionalism.
- Understand that behavior bringing discredit to the player, team, school, or program may result in disciplinary action.

ACADEMIC EXPECTATIONS

- Maintain eligibility requirements and demonstrate accountability in the classroom.
- Complete assignments and communicate if academic challenges arise.
- Understand that academics are a critical component of personal development.

SOCIAL MEDIA AND DIGITAL CONDUCT

- Use social media responsibly and respectfully.
- Refrain from posting inappropriate or offensive content.
- Understand that online conduct may result in disciplinary action if it negatively impacts the program.

SUBSTANCE FREE EXPECTATIONS

- Abstain from the use, possession, or distribution of alcohol, tobacco, vaping products, illegal drugs, or controlled substances.
- Comply with all school district and athletic department policies.

COMMUNITY AND LEADERSHIP

- Demonstrate leadership through actions and decisions.
- Support teammates and contribute to a positive team culture.
- Participate in community service initiatives whenever possible.
- Serve as a positive ambassador for Peachmen Lacrosse and the Romeo community.

DISCIPLINARY PROCESS

Failure to comply with this Code of Conduct may result in a verbal warning, parent/player meeting, suspension from practices or games, temporary removal from team activities, or dismissal from the program.

PLAYER COMMITMENT

I understand that participation in Peachmen Lacrosse is a privilege, not a right. I have read and understand the expectations outlined in this Player Code of Conduct and agree to uphold these standards both on and off the field.

PLAYER NAME

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PARENT OR GUARDIAN NAME

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PLAYER SIGNATURE

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PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

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