## EAST MOUNTAIN LITTLE LEAGUE CODE OF CONDUCT

Please read, understand and sign this form.

East Mountain Little League has implemented the following Code of Conduct: All managers, coaches, umpires, parents, and spectators must set good examples of sportsmanship and competition for all of our children.

Any parent, coach or spectator engaging in improper conduct at any game or practice will be asked to leave the sports facility and be subject to suspension. Repeat violations may result in multiple game suspensions, or forfeiture of the privilege to attend any games for the remainder of the season. Remember that children participate to have fun and that the game is for youth, not adults.

- \*Follow all COVID-19 Safe Practices established by the league.
- \*Accept the policies that are in the EMLL 2021 League Handbook & Parent Guide.
- Be a positive role model for every child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy, and by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials and spectators at every game or practice.
- Respect all coaches and umpires and never question, discuss, or confront coaches or umpires at the game field; take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time and place.
- Not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as booing and taunting; refusing to shake hands; or using profane language or gestures.
- Teach children to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
- \*Unless I am an official coach of the team, I will only offer positive encouragement and I will refrain from unnecessary coaching.
- Never ridicule or yell at any child or other participants for making a mistake or losing a game.
- Emphasize skill development and teamwork over winning. I also agree to deemphasize competition in the lower age groups.
- Promote a sports environment that is free from drugs, tobacco, and alcohol and I will refrain from their use at all Little League events.

By clicking the "I Accept" button below, you are acknowledging that you have reviewed and agree to follow the above code of conduct.