

## STANDARDS FOR PARENTS

1. Be knowledgeable of the game.
2. Remember children are involved in organized sports for their enjoyment, not yours.
3. Be supportive. Be sure the player attends practices; pick player up on time.
4. Teach your child that hard work and an honest effort are often more important than a victory.
5. Help your child work toward skill improvement and good sportsmanship in every game. Your child will then be a winner, even in defeat.
6. Do not ridicule or yell at your child for making a mistake or losing a game. Show your child positive reinforcement.
7. Encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every game.
8. Recognize the value and importance of volunteer coaches, referees, and officials and give them their due respect.
9. Ask your child to treat teammates, opposing players, coaches, fans, and officials with respect.
10. Encourage communication between coach and parent.

In addition to the above standards the following policies must be adhered to:

1. Spotsylvania County School System policy states that the use of tobacco products is prohibited on school grounds.
2. Vehicles must be parked in designated parking lots.
3. Pets must be on a leash if brought on park/school grounds.