

TCDY-DOC6

TCDY Statement of Courtesy

TCDY seeks to provide an atmosphere where children learn to respect themselves and others by watching how adult league members communicate with each other. We encourage you to keep this in mind when interacting with other parents, players, coaches, and volunteers. If you are not satisfied with the coaching staff, quality of instruction, or the actions of any league member or volunteer, we encourage you to calm down, put everything into perspective, and wait the appropriate amount of time to approach the person in a respectful, empathetic, and constructive manner.

The league's sole purpose is to the youth of Brunswick County. Petty squabbles, undermining coaches, or disrespecting others, **WILL NOT BE TOLERATED** at Town Creek Dixie Youth. Adults that do not respect this policy will be asked to leave the ballpark immediately.

All league members are here to help your player(s) learn the game of baseball/softball. Coaches and board members work on a **volunteer only** basis and neglect their own personal responsibilities during ball season. Many coaches step up to do so because **no one else will** and do the best they can. All each asks in return is respect from players and parents/family.

We cannot stress enough the importance of tolerance and patience during ball season. Coaches and volunteers will NOT accept any verbal abuse from parents/guardians or players and, in turn, are expected to treat others as they wish to be treated.

Unfortunately, due to past circumstances, **any parent/guardian/family member that mistreats or curses at a coach/volunteer, either verbally or through text/email, will be banned from the park for the remainder of the season.**

If you disagree with this policy, or any other policy enacted by TCDY board members, we encourage you to attend board meetings to express your concern(s) in person. As always, the board is here to serve the league and **ALWAYS** has volunteer positions that need to be filled.