

## **Ladner Minor Baseball Player Code of Conduct**

The actions of players are a reflection of themselves, their team, Ladner Minor Baseball Association and our community. A player's involvement in baseball provides opportunities and experiences that are important to the development of well-rounded individuals; players must remember that their participation in LMBA is a privilege, and not a right.

As a Player in Ladner Minor Baseball, I agree:

- to follow the rules and codes of conduct imposed by LMBA and its governing bodies;
- to follow the rules and guidelines set by my coach, assistant coach or other team officials;
- to practice good sportsmanship at all times;
- to attend all practices and games to the best of my ability and I will inform my coach in advance whenever I cannot attend;
- to treat my coach, teammates, umpires, opposing teammates, and opposing coaches with respect at all times;
- to always support and encourage my teammates and never harass or display bullying behaviour to anyone in any form, including social media;
- exercise self-control at all times and will refrain from unsportsmanlike gestures,
  language, profanity or throwing equipment in disgust (bat, helmet, glove or any object);
- to not use physical force or threaten to use violence of any kind; I understand there is "zero tolerance" for this type of conduct;
- that there is no place in baseball for illegal drugs, cannabis/cannabis products, alcohol, tobacco, tobacco products, vaping, performance enhancing drugs or supplements. I promise to abstain from the use of any of them;
- to respect and show appreciation for the volunteers who give their time to baseball for my enjoyment;
- to remember that winning isn't everything that having FUN, improving SKILLS, making FRIENDS and doing my BEST are the most important!

\*\*Violation of any part of this Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action by the LMBA.\*\*