## **BGCNWNJ Panther Football**

## Parent and Player Code of Conduct for the 2025 Season

## **Parent Code of Conduct**

- 1. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches and officials at every game, practice or team function.
- 2. I will not enter the court during a game, scrimmage or practice unless otherwise asked to do so by the coach.
- 3. I will not verbally or physically abuse, confront, taunt, harass or demean a coach, player, opposing player or coach, or referee at any time.
- 4. I understand parents cannot coach their child or other student-athletes from the sideline or anywhere else during scrimmages, practices, or games.
- 5. I will make every effort to allow my child to attend all practices, games, tournaments, and team functions. If my child cannot attend a practice and/or game I will notify the coach well enough in advance so alternative strategies can be considered.
- 6. I understand that playing time is never guaranteed. I will not question the playing time of my child in any way and will only discuss with the coach what areas of their game requires further development to warrant additional playing time. I understand that playing time is determined by the following:
  - a.) Play well in games and practices = More playing time; Play poorly in games and/or practices = Less playing time.
  - b.) Execution: Player's ability to know the offense and defenses and execute them effectively in game situations.
  - c.) Players must exert maximum effort and be focused at all times.
  - d.) Be a team player and use good sportsmanship at all times: (cheer for teammates even when not in the game)
  - e.) Attendance at practice is required. Missing practices may result in less playing time.
- 7. I understand that if a player is removed/dismissed from the team for any reason, he or she may be subject to disciplinary actions that can result in a full or partial suspension of the following season as determined by the coach and the BGCNWNJ.

I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT LISTED ABOVE.

Parent Name		
Parent Signature	 	