

INTER-LAKES PRIDE FASTPITCH

PLAYER CONTRACT & CODE OF CONDUCT

_____ has agreed to play solely for the Inter-Lakes Pride _____ Team for the period of August 2021 through August 2022 and further agree to all terms and conditions set forth below.

PLAYER:

As a player, I accept the offer to play on the Inter-Lakes Pride _____ Team and will always try my best to:

1. Understand that all Inter-Lakes Pride players represent your team, our organization and our community. All Pride players will be respectful and display good sportsmanship to all players, coaches, parents and umpires.
2. Sign and abide by the Pride Softball team Code of Conduct that all players, parents, and coaches must sign in order to play.
3. Listen to my coaches, who are trying to improve my skills.
4. Have patience with myself...I know I'm going to make mistakes, but I'm going to let it go and move on to the next play or pitch and refocus for my team. We all make mistakes...just learn from it and move on.
5. Attend all practices, games and tournaments. My team will depend on me to be there for them. Players/Parents who are continually late, have unexcused absences or have extreme discipline issues can be suspended and/or removed from the team. Exceptions may be illness, family emergency, etc. The coaches understand that life happens and can accommodate when communication is given in advance.
6. Understand that the coaches will determine positions, playing time and batting order. Since this is a travel softball team, I also realize that all players won't play the same amount of innings or games. Failure to play a position or play a game resulting from a disagreement with a coaching/playing decision will be considered a formal protest and may result in removal from the team.
7. Always remember that this is a team game and I will do whatever I can to help the team. Any personal goals I have are secondary to team goals but are valued by the coaches and may be achieved with the help of coaches and teammates.
8. Understand that certain Pride teams will require me to wear a protective chest guard and fielding mask during all practices and games. This is a safety issue and will be strictly enforced on an individual team basis.
9. Understand that I cannot be on the roster of another travel softball team without the Head Coach's knowledge and approval.
10. Understand that failure to abide with the items contained in this contract may result in loss of playing time and may ultimately result in removal from the team.

PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

AS A PLAYER, I promise to always play with good sportsmanship and respect for my teammates and opponents. I will be courteous to all coaches, officials and other parent volunteers who are trying to help me become a better player. I will do my best in all practices and games, have patience with myself and others and remember that I am playing these games for fun. I will attend every practice and game I can, knowing that my team will depend on me to be there. Finally, I will play hard at every position that my coaches assign to me.

Player Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____