

Golden Valley Little League Player and Parent / Guardian Codes of Conduct

Players' Code of Conduct:

- I will demonstrate good sportsmanship and encourage it from fellow players, coaches, officials and parents at every game and practice.
- I will treat my teammates, other players, officials and fans with respect at all times
- I will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct, at any time. Examples include but are not limited to: booing, insulting, and taunting; refusing to shake hands; using profane language or gestures.

Parent (s')/ Guardian (s') Code of Conduct:

- I will support the rules and policies of GVLL.
- I (and my guests) will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as booing, taunting; yelling or using profane language or gestures.
- I will never ridicule or yell at my child, other players, coaches or umpires for making a mistake, losing, or a judgement decision.
- If I have concerns or disagreements with the manager or coaches I will speak with them at a mutually agreed upon time and place.
- I will refrain from using tobacco, vaping, alcohol and/or drugs at any GVLL events.

Enforcement and Consequences:

Anyone who fails to conform their conduct to this Code will be subject to disciplinary action, including but not limited to the following in any order or combination:

1. Immediate verbal warning issued by an authorized GVLL representative.
2. Immediate ejection or exclusion from an occurring GVLL event issued by an authorized GVLL representative. Ejection requires departure from the field and/or park. Ejected parties are not allowed to be involved with GVLL activities until the next calendar date or the time period in the Little League Baseball Rulebook.
3. Written warning issued by the GVLL Executive Committee authorized to issue such warning.
4. Multiple GVLL events suspension issued by the GVLL Executive Committee authorized to issue such suspension.
5. GVLL season suspension or multiple GVLL season suspension issued by the GVLL Executive Committee authorized to issue such suspension.

A GVLL authorized representative is any current GVLL Board Member, rostered GVLL Team Manager, rostered GVLL Team Coach, rostered GVLL Team Parent or game umpire. The GVLL Executive Committee is the current GVLL President, Vice President and Player Agent.

Reconsideration/Appeal Process: If someone who has been informed of a multiple GVLL event suspension wishes to appeal the decision, they need to contact the GVLL president via email gvlittleleagueinfo@gmail.com The league president will assemble a small group of GVLL board members to meet with the person. The decision made by that group is final and will not be reconsidered.