

### **ATHLETE'S CODE OF CONDUCT**

As a student athlete at Notre Dame, St.Claude and Prairie Mountain high school, my personal conduct reflects upon the sport I play, my teammates, opponents, coaches, supporters and me. To be a student athlete at Notre Dame, St.Claude and Prairie Mountain school is to accept and adopt the concepts of fair play, respect, dignity, enjoyment and honour in all aspects of my sport participation.

I will conduct myself in a manner, in which my behaviour will not be considered a form of harassment, including comments and/or conduct which is insulting, intimidating, hurtful, malicious, degrading or otherwise offensive to an individual or group of individuals, or which creates an uncomfortable environment. As such, I agree to respect my fellow teammates by adhering to and upholding principles of not engaging in any form of hazing or any form of sexist, racist or discriminatory language and or behaviour.

As a student athlete, I am a representative of Notre Dame, St.Claude or Prairie Mountain high schools and as such, I am expected to conduct myself at all times in an appropriate manner. Poor conduct and other inappropriate behavior reflects upon the Mustangs and the schools.

I will refrain from the use of alcohol or illegal drugs during competition, during practice, in accommodations provided for my team on overnight trips, and while traveling to and from competition.

I am aware of Notre Dame, St.Claude and Prairie Mountain high schools' zero tolerance policy concerning abuse towards officials and as an athlete it is my responsibility to, respect the officials that officiate at all events, tournaments or games.

In addition, I am responsible for ensuring that my behaviour and deportment are above reproach while occupying accommodations while representing our schools. I am aware that I am personally responsible for any damages that are assessed to the room in which I have been assigned.

I am also aware that school is unequivocally opposed to the use of any banned or restricted substances or methods in contravention of the rules of national or international sport federations, the International Olympic Committee or Federation International du Sport Universitaire. As a student athlete, I am also aware that Notre Dame, St.Claude and Prairie Mountain high schools are equally opposed to any encouragement of the use of such substances and methods by individuals in positions of leadership in amateur sport (ie. Coaches, managers, medical practitioners, sport scientists, administrators etc.) or by other student athletes themselves.

Finally, I am aware that as a student athlete at Notre Dame, St.Claude and Prairie Mountain high school, failure to adhere to the Code of Conduct could result in any or all of the following taking place:

- verbal warning
- written warning
- suspension from the team's next competition
- further suspension depending on severity of offense
- suspension from the team for the rest of the season
- suspension from school
- suspension from extra curricular privileges

Prior to signing this document, I have had an adequate opportunity to read and understand it, I have had an opportunity to ask questions about it, and any questions have been answered to my satisfaction.

Agreed, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

Athlete's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Athlete's Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Sport Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_