

CROSS COUNTRY YUKON

PARENTS CODE OF CONDUCT

- 1 I will not force my child to participate in sports.
- 2 I will remember that my child plays sport for his or her enjoyment, not for mine.
- 3 I will encourage my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
- 4 I will teach my child that doing one's best is as important as winning, so that my child will never feel defeated by the outcome of a game/event.
- 5 I will make my child feel like a winner every time by offering praise for competing fairly and trying hard.
- 6 I will never ridicule or yell at my child for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- 7 I will remember that children learn best by example. I will applaud good plays & performances by both my child's team and their opponents.
- 8 I will never question the officials' judgement or honesty in public.
- 9 I will support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from children's sporting activities.
- 10 I will respect and show appreciation for the volunteer coaches who give their time to provide sport activities for my child.

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(adopted from B.C. Fair Play Code)