

NORTH AUSTIN OPTIMIST
Youth Activities
PARENT/GUARDIAN BEHAVIOR

North Austin Optimist (NAO) expects all spectators to provide positive support, care and encouragement to all children participating in Youth Sports.

As a parent or guardian of a child at NAO, you have additional responsibilities. You are a role model and will be held accountable for your behavior, and the behavior of your children, at all practices and games.

You are further responsible for encouraging positive behavior, mutual respect, and healthy competition. NAO's goal is to provide children with an enjoyable youth sports experience, and we expect the adults in our community to do the same.

The following is acknowledgement that you, as a parent or guardian of a child at NAO, understand and accept the following guidelines:

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

1. Consumption of alcoholic beverages at games and practices is prohibited.
2. Cheering is encouraged but should not use or provoke foul language and behavior.
3. Profane language is unacceptable at all times.
4. Harassing or "name calling" the umpires, opposing team players, coaches, and spectators WILL NOT be tolerated.
5. Cooperation with Team Representatives and league officials is expected.
6. An uncontrollable outburst directed toward anyone is unacceptable. All disputes should be handled through the proper channels.
7. If opposing team's spectators violate the rules, it doesn't entitle you to do the same. Remember that you are in a public setting and need to set a good example for our children.
8. Parents/guardians will exhibit and promote good sportsmanship at all times to the best of their ability.

Failure to comply with any of these provisions will NOT BE TOLERATED and could result in immediate expulsion from the NAO Complex.

This signed form will be kept on file by NAO.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read the policies and rules concerning parent/guardian behavior. I understand that I am a role model and have a responsibility to foster a positive environment for my child. I also understand that these guidelines are designed to protect the integrity of NAO's Youth Sport Program.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

N.A.O. REPRESENTATIVE _____ DATE _____