

ELKTON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
CODE OF CONDUCT

The Elkton Recreation Commission may at its own discretion review, change, amend, and enforce rules pertaining to conduct at any time. The Elkton Recreation Commission may also choose to impose any penalties it deems appropriate with respect to any conduct detrimental to the goals of the activity whether written, implied or otherwise stated.

1. The proper conduct of players and fans shall be the responsibility of the team manager.
2. Disorderly conduct including, but not limited to, the use of profanity, shall not be tolerated.
3. Any manager, coach, player, parent, or fan that voices strong and/or persistent displeasure with and official's decision or who loudly criticizes any player, official, coach, manager, or fan, before, during, or after and activity while on public grounds, shall be suspended for one activity period/game.
4. The penalty for a second offense, or if a first offense is deemed to be excessive in nature, shall result in suspension of the guilty party for the remainder of the season. The suspended person(s) will not be permitted to participate in any Rockingham County Parks and Recreation activities as well.
5. The use of particular facilities is granted to the Recreation Department and the rules of each facility shall be adhered to. Failure to adhere to the rules could result in the loss of use indefinitely.
6. Accidents resulting in damage to the facility and its equipment shall be reported immediately. Failure to report may result in loss of use indefinitely.
7. Any willful abuse of a facility and/or its equipment shall result in a one-year suspension from all Elkton and County recreational activities. The parties responsible for the damage shall be asked to pay for all damages. Failure to pay for damages may result in legal action.
8. The use of tobacco and possession of alcohol and/or illegal narcotics is strictly prohibited on Rockingham County school grounds.
9. The use of alcohol and/or illegal narcotics is strictly prohibited at any recreation activity or county owned property.
10. Any participant, who threatens bodily harm to anyone, shall be suspended from all Elkton and Rockingham County recreation activities for a minimum of one year.
11. Any participant, parent, or fan that physically assaults anyone shall be suspended from all Elkton and Rockingham County recreation activities indefinitely.
12. Using Social Media to voice strong and/or persistent displeasure with officials, coaches, managers, players or fans about any Elkton Recreation Program is prohibited.
13. Legal action may be taken in the event of any unlawful activity.

NOTE: The Elkton Parks and Recreation Department and the Rockingham County Parks and Recreation Department have adopted their respective Rules of Suspension. The Elkton Parks and Recreation Department may suspend indefinitely any participant for repeated offenses; the Rockingham County Parks and Recreation Department will honor this suspension.

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