

## TRI COUNTY CONFERENCE

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## **Tri County Conference Spectator Code of Conduct**

Under the Tri County Conference Sportsmanship Policy, unsportsmanlike conduct of <u>any fan or spectator</u>, directed towards officials, coaches, players, other spectators, school staff or security, at any/all athletic events including but is not limited to the actions listed below will be subjected to the disciplinary actions listed below:

- Strikes or physically abuses an official, coach, player, or spectator
- Intentionally incites participants or spectators to violent or abusive action
- Uses obscene gestures or profane or unduly provocative language or action towards officials, opponents, or spectators
- Engages in harassing verbal or physical conduct related to race, gender, ethnicity, disability, sexual orientation or religion at an interscholastic event.
- Use of profanity, threatening comments, or biased language before, during, or after an interscholastic event.
- Verbally harasses an official or opponent participant (i.e., coaches or players from any participating school) by using names or uniform numbers.
- Entering the field of play before, during, or after an interscholastic event.
- Physical altercation with an official, coach, player, school staff, school security, or spectator before, during, or after an interscholastic event.
- Use of artificial noisemakers or other instruments intended to disrupt the interscholastic event or distract the participants during an interscholastic event.

## **Violations of the Code of Conduct include:**

- Immediate removal from the event and school premises.
- Suspension from the next interscholastic event for a first offense.
- Longer suspensions from interscholastic events for multiple violations in a defined period of time (season, school year, calendar year, etc.).
- Completion of required educational component(s) before attendance at future interscholastic event. The Tri County Conference recommends the following educational components, from the National Federation's "NFHS Learn" website (www.nfhslearn.com):
  - Positive Parenting within School Programs
  - Sportsmanship
  - Teaching and Modeling Behavior
  - The Parent Seat

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