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Letter to Parents/Guardians

As a parent Myself, I emotional part of being on the sideline

Dear Parent/Guardian of EDSC Athletes

We are asking for your support in providing positive role-modeling for our athletes. The involvement of our children in athletics and activities contributes to the development of their values system. Trustworthiness, citizenship, caring, fairness and respect are lifetime values that are taught through interscholastic activities and are principles of good sportsmanship and character. With these principles, the spirit of competition thrives, fueled by honest rivalry, courteous relations and grateful acceptance of the results.

The following are the expectations of parents/guardians of our athletes:

- ☒ Understand the purpose of educational athletics.
- ☒ Soccer is about Character building, learning, and having fun.
- ☒ Don't live your life through your child's activities. This is their time.
- ☒ Accept all decisions of officials.
- ☒ Applaud during the introduction of players, coaches, and officials.
- ☒ Make your cheers supportive and not instructions as to how to play.
- ☒ Be a positive role model through your own actions. Remain calm and composed during games.
- ☒ There is enough pressure on kids to perform as it is. Your added pressure from reacting to mistakes they make, being critical and negative, and heightened emotions create unneeded stress and take away from the fun of the game.

We have made a commitment to promote good sportsmanship by athletes, coaches and spectators at all athletic events. Profanity, degrading remarks, and intimidating actions directed at officials or competitors will not be tolerated and are grounds for removal from the event site. Thank you for your cooperation in the promotion of good sportsmanship!

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call or text me, Thank you for your participation.

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