**Bergen Stars Player(s)/Parent(s) Agreement**

**As a player and/or parent with the Bergen Stars Football Organization, the player and parents agree to the following with the Bergen Stars Football Organization:**

1. **To give 100% mentally and physically during all team practices and games.**
2. **To maintain a positive attitude no matter where I play or what the score.**
3. **To attend and be ON TIME for all practices and games unless approved for an excused absence by the Head Coach only, in advance of the activity.**
4. **To display moral character both on and off the field.**
5. **Not to distract my team in any way during practices, meetings, games or any type of team-oriented function. I am expected to be focused at each and every practice/team function.**
6. **To treat myself, teammates, coaches, parents, referees and all opposing teams (inclusive of opposing team’s parents) with respect.**
7. **Not to post negative comments, team business, or anything negative directed toward a teammate, referee or player on another team through text or social media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Vine, TikTok etc).**
8. **I will do my absolute best to maintain the highest GPA possible at all levels of my education.**
9. **I fully understand that I am expected to work on my own during the season and off-season to become faster, stronger, and continue to grow my skills.**
10. **I fully understand and agree that this is not a “Pay to Play” Organization. Practice at ALL levels is of the utmost importance! Missing practice(s) will mean sitting games (Number of games TBD by Head Coach).**
11. **We have ZERO TOLERANCE for consumption of drugs or alcohol of any kind in or around our program. This is absolutely not permitted on or near the field. This means at any practice, game, tournament or showcase. Consumption of drugs or alcohol will result in your son being dismissed from the team.**
12. **Parents are to always stay in the stands during practices and games unless authorized by the board to assist in a team function. By NO means should any parents be on the field at any time.**
13. **There will be absolutely no refunds of any kind when a player/parent chooses to leave the team/organization. Should a player/parent choose to leave and want to join another team within the organization, there is no obligation from the coach/organization to provide a monetary credit from one team to another, regardless of both teams being within the same organization.**

**As a parent of an athlete playing with the Bergen Stars Football Organization, I/We agree to the above as well as the following:**

1. **To the terms in the player agreement and give my/our child permission to sign this agreement.**
2. **To commit to this team and ensure that my/our child will be present and ON TIME to all team activities unless the conflict is communicated with the Head Coach only prior to the event/meeting/game. I/We understand that perpetual tardiness/absence are grounds for dismissal from the team.**
3. **To handle all team concerns and issues with the coaching staff in person away from our son and other players and parents.**
4. **Not to coach, talk to, or distract my son or other players during games, practices or meetings.**
5. **To keep all comments positive and optimistic to other parents, spectators, coaches and players, I will not negatively address any opposing players, parents, or referees during any games or scrimmages.**
6. **Not to post negative comments or any team business through social media (Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, TikTok etc…)**
7. **I fully understand that playing time and position is determined by many factors and will be solely determined by the coaching staff and will not be a matter of discussion with parents. The only discussion will be with the player upon their request.**

* **We agree to all of the statements of understanding as well as the above terms and are aware that violating this agreement may result in removal from the Bergen Stars Football program. We acknowledge that should the player quit or be dismissed from the team for any reason, we will surrender any equipment that was purchased by the Bergen Stars Football Organization. We also understand and agree that any uniform(s) and or equipment purchased by the parent is theirs to keep ONLY if the full dues (tuition) have been paid to the Organization.**

**Parent Name**

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