

Kelseyville Youth Football League (KYFL)  
P.O. Box 1281, Kelseyville, CA 95451  
**KYFL VOLUNTEER CODE OF CONDUCT**

Since the principles of sportsmanship, fair play, skill development, and mutual respect among players, parents, officials, and spectators are the primary considerations governing competition in the Kelseyville Youth Football League (KYFL), the following Code of Conduct has been established and adopted for any Coach, Board Member, and/or volunteer of KYFL.

I acknowledge that my primary responsibility is to foster the stated purpose of the KYFL, which is to promote a healthy, pleasant, and safe environment for boys and girls to participate and learn tackle football and cheerleading

**To satisfactorily meet this responsibility, I will**

1. Conduct myself in an appropriate manner, so as to set a positive example for the players, parents, officials, and spectators.
2. Respect the Game Officials and refrain from communicating with them in an abusive or derogatory manner.
3. Respect the KYFL Liability Insurance policy by only allowing coaches, players, game officials, KYFL officials on the sidelines, end zones, or practice areas. Spectators are to remain in the stands.
4. Read and abide by the Mendo-Lake Youth Football League bylaws who govern our League.
5. Read and abide by the Kelseyville Youth Football League bylaws.
6. Become Concussion certified by a credited Concussion Heads Up Program and abide by concussion procedure recommended.
7. Abide by the Mendo-Lake Youth Football League's bylaws regarding practice sessions that states:
  - a. A minimum of 10 hours conditioning with the team shall be held before participant can practice in pads.
  - b. A minimum of 10 hours of practice with the team in pads must be held before the first game.
  - c. No practice shall exceed two hours. No closed practices will be held.
  - d. Beginning the day after Labor Day, practices will be limited to three per calendar week.
8. Be a positive role model for KYFL participants and game officials by **NEVER**:
  - a. Using or tolerating obscene language and/or gestures.
  - b. Physically or verbally intimidating, abusing, or assaulting anyone.
  - c. Smoking, or using tobacco products (including vaporizers) in front of players, cheerleaders, during practice, games, or official team function.
  - d. Encouraging, tolerating, or indulging in substance abuse.
  - e. Making discriminatory remarks based on race, religion, gender, or national origin is strictly PROHIBITED.
  - f. Consuming or allowing consumption of alcohol, or be in an inebriated state during practices, games, or official team functions. Open alcoholic beverages are PROHIBITED on the field, in the stands, or parking areas.
  - g. Allow a player in any game that does not meet the weight, or any other guidelines of the team.

I acknowledge the conditions of this Code of Conduct and understand that if anyone violates these rules, that they will be removed from the premises by Team Officials or Law Enforcement. Other sanctions may be enforced, as deemed appropriate by the President or Board of Directors of the Kelseyville Youth Football League and/or Mendo-Lake Youth Football League, including being banned from a game, season, or permanently.

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KYFL Volunteer Signature

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Printed Name

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