All club sport participants are held to the following standards anytime they’re engaged in club activity. Family, friends, and classmates accept the same behavior standards when attending events, and participants are responsible for enforcing their behavior. You must agree to abide by this conduct by reading and signing at page bottom.

**SPORTSMANSHIP**

- I will exhibit my best behavior and sportsmanship during all club sport activities, both on and off the field of play.
- I will show respect to officials, opposing team members, spectators, and employees.
- I will not engage in negative posts, belittling, bullying, denigrating comments, inappropriate photographs, or impersonations on social media.
- I will adhere to a professional dress code appropriate to the event.
- I will leave the activity venue neat and clean.
- I accept the standards of club/team behavior and bylaws, and will work to resolve issues between me, teammates, and/or coaches.
- I will respect my teammates regardless of gender, nationality, sexual orientation, creed, age, class year, or race.
- I will ensure apparel and promotional designs and language are within Club Sports and University policy.
- I understand I can find additional Yale Club Sport information and guidelines on the website here: [https://sportsandrecreation.yale.edu/club-sports-ims/club-sports](https://sportsandrecreation.yale.edu/club-sports-ims/club-sports)

**ACADEMIC AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- I must be in good academic standing with the University to participate.
- I will abide by the rules of my club’s governing body.
- I am a fulltime Yale undergrad or grad student (others are not permitted to participate).
- I may not sign any contract or agreement on behalf of Yale University, but I may sign a personal wavier or code of conduct.
MEDICAL AND SAFETY

- If I am injured, team leadership or I will submit an accident report to the Club Sports office within 24 hours of the incident.
- If I receive a blow to the head/neck and exhibit nausea, dizziness, blurred vision, disorientation, headache or related symptoms, I will immediately cease sport participation and seek medical follow-up.
- I will not play outdoors during lightening or thunder or until it is absent for 1/2 hour.
- I will not play unless the required safety personnel are present, which may include lifeguard, coach, trainer, or EMT/EMS personnel.
- I agree not participate if the playing surface is or appears unsafe.
- I will not enter or use a sports facility or venue unless authorized.
- I will not use alcohol, marijuana, or illegal drugs when participating in any club activity.
- I will not engage in hazing or initiations, and I understand they are illegal and will not be tolerated in any form.
- I will adhere to Yale’s Club Sports Covid Safety Guidelines found on the website.

TRAVEL

- I understand all drivers must take the Yale Driver Safety Awareness course.
- I will not transport a seriously injured player, and will summon an ambulance instead.
- I will act responsibly and follow all vehicle safety recommendations and state laws.
- I understand all club travel requires approval from the Club Sports office.
- I will follow Yale’s Club Sports Covid Safety Guidelines found on the website.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

Anyone who breaches this Code of Conduct will be held accountable for his/her/their actions, including loss of ability to compete, travel, or practice and/or put on probation, have budget revocation, and/or other penalties as decided by the University.

I have read and understand the above *Yale Club Sports Code of Conduct*, and I agree to abide by its contents. I am aware additional regulations and details can be found in the *Yale Club Sports Handbook* on the Club Sports website and/or by consulting the Club Sports office.

Club Name:________________________________________

Athlete’s Name (Print)_________________________________ Net ID____________

Signature__________________________________________ Date ______________

Email (Print)________________________________________

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