



Parent Conduct

Parents are expected to have a positive, supportive influence on their child's wrestling experience. This includes involvement with others and the responsibilities necessary to support UHS Wrestling.

The objectionable behavior of parents at youth sports events is all too common. It adversely affects coaches, referees, the game, and, unfortunately, the athletes.

UHS will not tolerate any negative behavior by parents.

Parents must:

- **NOT coach or give instructions to the players. Express encouragement, not instructions.**
- Never openly express criticism for players of either team.
- Never openly criticize referees during a game. They are HUMAN and will make mistakes, or in some cases not be that good. Regardless of circumstance, we will ALWAYS take the high road and demonstrate positive behavior.
- Never confront the coach or team manager with emotional issues in front of players.
 - There is a **time & place** to **discuss parental concerns** – **NOT** before or after a match or tournament.
 - **24 hour rule**; parents **MUST** wait **24 hours** before addressing an issue.
- Ensure that your child has the means to arrive and be picked up on time for practices and matches.
- Keep communication amongst parents open and positive.

We (parents) have read and hereby agree to abide by the UHS Wrestling code of conduct. We also understand that failure to do so is subject to disciplinary action, including but not limited to the following in any order or combination, at the discretion of the UHS coaches and administrators:

- Oral or written warning and reported to UHS Administration
- Suspension or immediate ejection from any UHS Wrestling event and meeting with UHS Admin.
- Suspension from multiple Wrestling events, followed with meeting with UHS Admin
- Season suspension
- Notification of and request for support by local law enforcement

Athlete Name_____

Parent Name_____

Parent Signature_____

Date Signed_____