

Lynnfield Youth Sports Program, Inc.
Discipline Policy

Participation in any activity operated by Lynnfield Youth Sports Program, Inc. ("LYSP") is a privilege that comes with responsibilities for players, parents/guardians, coaches, and spectators, collectively "Guests."

The LYSP Discipline Committee shall be comprised of the LYSP President, Vice President, and the sport specific program Director and shall be responsible for addressing all disciplinary actions brought to the attention of the Committee. But for extenuating circumstances, the LYSP Discipline Committee shall only consider disciplinary actions stemming from actions occurring while participating in a LYSP sponsored practice, game, or other organizational event, or outside action that directly calls into question the character of an individual, such that their continued involvement with LYSP could create a safety concern.

The Discipline Committee shall have the authority to suspend, discharge, or otherwise discipline any Guest whose conduct is in violation of the LYSP Code of Conduct. The severity and terms of any such disciplinary action taken shall be determined solely by the discretion of the LYSP Discipline Committee. To ensure fairness and reasonable expectations for all involved, the Discipline Committee should make every effort to handle similar situations requiring disciplinary action with similar consequences. All decisions by the Discipline Committee are final.

Additionally, any LYSP coach or board member has the authority to demand immediate removal from an LYSP event of any Guest who he/she has determined to be in obvious violation of the LYSP Code of Conduct. That LYSP coach or board member shall subsequently report the incident to the Discipline Committee for consideration for potential further disciplinary action.

If any Guest wishes to file a complaint regarding allegations of improper conduct, that Guest must do so in writing addressed to the sport specific program Director and/or the LYSP President. The receiving LYSP party will investigate the allegations and refer the matter to the Discipline Committee, if warranted.