

# NTAA Game Expectations

## **Player Expectations**

1. All players will treat officials and opponents with dignity and respect.
2. All players, regardless of ability and/or playing time are equal members of the team. Each and every player will treat all teammates with acceptance, respect, and friendship.
3. If there is a doubleheader you should not wander the opposing school. One person at a time should use the bathroom.
4. If a technical is given the coach will take the player out and use this as a learning moment. Same should be the case if a yellow card is given. In the event of a 2nd technical or red card, besides being ejected, the player will sit out a minimum of the next game and whatever the school decides from there.

## **Parent Expectations**

1. Parents will treat players, coaches, opponents, and officials with respect and dignity.
2. All comments by parents and their guests from the sidelines will be encouraging and/or complimentary. Parents and guests will refrain from making comments about players' mistakes or errors.
3. Parents will refrain from making derogatory comments to referees at any time.
4. Coaching is to be done only by coaches on staff. Parents agree to refrain from coaching or directing their child or other players during all games.
5. Parents will discuss player and/or team concerns and problems directly with the head coach. These discussions will not take place right before or after a game. A meeting will be scheduled with the head coach to address any issue or concern. If any issue/concern is unresolved, the parent may then bring it to the attention of the school's athletic director. During the meeting, playing time and comparisons to other players will not be discussed.
6. Parents will support coaches and encourage their child to do the same.

## **Student/Fan Expectations**

1. Visiting students must arrive & be seated with a parent.
2. Once the ball has been handed over during a free throw or the whistle has been blown for a volleyball serve nothing should be screamed out.
3. Fans will stay off the court the entire game. At the conclusion of the game fans will walk around the boundaries and exit the building.
4. NO phones are allowed in the building.
5. Once seated you should not leave the gym.