

## Tigers Regional Parent/Player Agreement By registering for the team, all Tigers agree to the following:

- 1. Players are a part of the team from the date they register until the one-year anniversary of the team start date. Players will need to renew their membership at the team renewal date the following year, regardless of the date the player initially registered.
- 2. Players need to register online and pay the associated membership fee once the coach has offered them a spot on the team. This step adds the player to the website, enables them to have VIP website access for discounts and Tiger information and adds them to the club system for team and club communication.
- 3. Families agree to order uniforms for their players during the timeframe set for ordering. All uniforms must be official Tigers uniforms from our approved uniform choices and vendor lists. Uniforms may only be worn in the combinations determined by the CLUB and approved by Rawlings. Required uniform items include:
  - a. Tiger Jersey
  - b. Official Tiger Pants
  - c. Tiger Hat
  - d. Tiger Helmet
  - e. Tiger Socks if wearing knickers
- 4. Parents agree to pay their coaches for team expenses in a timely manner. Some of these expenses include:
  - a. Outdoor practice facilities
  - b. League fees
  - c. Tournament fees
  - d. Team equipment
  - e. Other items determined by the head coach
- 5. Players are expected to wear the full approved Tiger uniform to all games.
- 6. Parents and other fans are expected to uphold the standard of the Tigers while watching games. This includes refraining from criticizing players on either team, umpires or coaches.
- 7. Parents and other fans are expected to follow the rules of the facilities and tournaments who are hosting the Tigers.
- 8. Tigers players are encouraged to use Rawlings products including bats, gloves, and catcher's gear.
- 9. Players and parents are expected to follow the guidelines and philosophies of the Rawlings Tigers club. These can be summed up with the idea that player development comes before everything else.
- 10. Players and parents are expected to follow any other specific guidelines set by their coaches and/or territory directors
- 11. Since the inception of our club, the Rawlings Tigers have held the expectation that all Tigers behave in a manner that is consistent with the Tiger Way. Players and families choose our club because of the reputation that we have and the culture that we have created. It is the responsibility of all Tigers to maintain the Tiger Way.
- 12. Head Coaches are expected to deal with all parent questions and concerns. As a result, parents are expected to communicate with the head coach regarding any questions and concerns. This includes issues with line-ups, playing times, positions, finances, schedules, etc. The CLUB corresponds with the head coaches directly, not the families on the roster.
- 13. The Director of each Territory (or the head coach of a team that is not in a territory) has the authority and obligation to determine the consequences for behavioral situations that arise within their teams. The National Directors will stand behind those decisions regarding the consequences enacted.