

Stony Point High School

2009-2019

Player/Parent

Handbook

Attention School Authorities: *This form must be signed yearly by both the student and parent/guardian and be on file at your school before the student may participate in any practice session, scrimmage, or contest. A copy of the student's medical history and physical examination form signed by a physician or medical history form signed by a parent must also be on file at your school.*

Student's Name _____ **Date of Birth.** _____

Current School _____

Parent or Guardian's Permit

I hereby give my consent for the above student to compete in University Interscholastic League approved sports, and travel with the coach or other representative of the school on any trips.

It is understood that even though protective equipment is worn by the athlete whenever needed, the possibility of an accident still remains. Neither the University Interscholastic League nor the high school assumes any responsibility in case an accident occurs.

I have read and understand the University Interscholastic League rules on the reverse side of this form and agree that my son/daughter will abide by all of the University Interscholastic League rules.

The undersigned agrees to be responsible for the safe return of all athletic equipment issued by the school to the above named student

If, in the judgement of any representatives of the school, the above student needs immediate care and treatment as a result of any injury or sickness, I do hereby request, authorize, and consent to such care and treatment as may be given to said student by any physician, athletic trainer, nurse, hospital, or school representative; and I do hereby agree to indemnify and save harmless the school and any school representative from any claim by any person whomsoever on account of such care and treatment of said student.

I have been provided the UIL Parent Information Manual regarding health and safety issues and my responsibilities as a parent/guardian. I understand that failure to provide accurate and truthful information on UIL forms could subject the student in question to penalties determined by the UIL.

The UIL Parent Information Manual is located at www.uil.texas.edu/athletics/manuals/pdf/parent_information.pdf.

Your signature below gives authorization that is necessary for the school district, its trainers, coaches, associated physicians and student insurance personnel to share information concerning medical diagnosis and treatment for your student.

To the Parent:	Baseball	Football	Softball	Tennis	Wrestling
Check any activity in which this student is allowed to participate.	Basketball	Golf	Swimming & Diving	Track & Field	
	Cross Country	Soccer	Team Tennis	Volleyball	

Date _____

Signature of parent or guardian.

Street address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Home Phone _____

Business Phone _____

The student's signature is required on the second page of this form.

GENERAL INFORMATION

School coaches may not:

- Transport, register, or instruct students in grades 7-12 from their attendance zone in non-school baseball, basketball, football, soccer, Softball, or volleyball camps (exception: school coaches may hold one 6-day camp in their school district for incoming 7th, 8th and 9th grade students),
- Give any instruction or schedule any practice for an individual or a team during the off-season except during the one in school day athletic period in baseball, basketball, football, soccer, Softball, or volleyball.
- Schools and school booster clubs may not provide funds, fees, or transportation for non-school activities.

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY RULES

According to UIL standards, students are eligible to represent their school in interscholastic activities if they:

- are not 19 years of age or older on or before September 1 of the current scholastic year. (See 504 handicapped exception.)
- have not graduated from high school.
- are enrolled by the sixth class day of the current school year or have been in attendance for fifteen calendar days immediately preceding a varsity contest.
- are full-time day students in a participant high school.
- initially enrolled in the ninth grade not more than four calendar years ago.
- are meeting academic standards required by state law.
- live with their parents inside the school district attendance zone their first year of attendance. (Parent residence applies to varsity athletic eligibility only.) When the parents do not reside inside the district attendance zone the student could be eligible if: the student has been in continuous attendance for at least one calendar year and has not enrolled at another school; no inducement is given to the student to attend the school (for example: students or their parents must pay their room and board when they do not live with a relative; students driving back into the district should pay their own transportation costs); and it is not a violation of local school or TEA policies for the student to continue attending the school. Students placed by the Texas Youth Commission are covered under Custodial Residence (see Section 442 of the *Constitution and Contest Rules*).
- have observed all provisions of the Awards Rule.
- have not represented a college in a contest.
- have not been recruited. (Does not apply to college recruiting as permitted by rule.)
- have not violated any provision of the summer camp rule. Incoming 10-12 grade students shall not attend a baseball, basketball, football, soccer, or volleyball camp in which a seventh through twelfth grade coach from their school district attendance zone, works with, instructs, transports or registers that student in the camp. Students who will be in grades 7, 8, and 9 may attend one baseball, one basketball, one football, one soccer, one Softball, and one volleyball camp in which a coach from their school district attendance zone is employed, for no more than six consecutive days each summer in each type of sports camp. Baseball, Basketball, Football, Soccer, Softball, and Volleyball camps where school personnel work with their own students may be held in May, after the last day of school, June, July and August prior to the second Monday in August. If such camps are sponsored by school district personnel, they must be held within the boundaries of the school district and the superintendent or his designee shall approve the schedule of fees.
- have observed all provisions of the Athletic Amateur Rule. Students may not accept money or other valuable consideration (tangible or intangible property or service including anything that is usable, wearable, salable or consumable) for participating in any athletic sport during any part of the year. Athletes shall not allow their names to be used for the promotion of any product, plan or service. Students who inadvertently violate the amateur rule by accepting valuable consideration may regain athletic eligibility by returning the valuable consideration. If individuals return the valuable consideration within 30 days after they are informed of the rule violation, they regain their athletic eligibility when they return it. If they fail to return it within 30 days, they remain ineligible for one year from when they accepted it. During the period of time from when students receive valuable consideration until they return it, they are ineligible for varsity athletic competition in the sport in which the violation occurred. Minimum penalty for participating in a contest while ineligible is forfeiture of the contest.
- did not change schools for athletic purposes.
- **I have been provided the UIL Parent Information Manual regarding health and safety issues and my responsibilities as a parent/guardian. I understand that failure to provide accurate and truthful information on UIL forms could subject the student in question to penalties determined by the UIL.**

I have read the regulations cited above and agree to follow the rules.

Date _____ Signature of student _____

Round Rock Independent School District

Extra Curricular Code of Conduct

I. Extracurricular Activities

The term "extracurricular activities" means, without limitation, all interscholastic athletics, cheerleading, drill team, academic clubs, special interest clubs, extra curricular fine arts performances, student government, and any other activity or group that participates in contests, competitions, or community service projects on behalf of or as a representative of the District. The term includes any non-curricular event and membership or participation in groups, clubs, and organizations recognized and approved by the Board of Trustees and the school district and sponsored by the district or a campus. All extracurricular activity participants, including elected and appointed officers of all campus organizations, will be subject to the provisions of this Extracurricular Code of Conduct.

n. Jurisdiction

Student participation in extracurricular activities is encouraged. Round Rock ISD makes extracurricular activities available as an extension of the regular school program, with this important difference: participation in the regular curriculum is a right afforded to each student, while participation in the extracurricular program is a privilege that carries additional expectations for acceptable conduct. Students engaging in extracurricular activities represent not only themselves, but also other students and the school district when performing, competing, or participating in extracurricular activities and while wearing uniforms or other clothing that identifies the student to the community or public in any setting as Round Rock ISD students. For this reason, their behavior must be exemplary and reflect the finest attributes of the total Round Rock ISD student body at all times and places. Important goals of the extracurricular program are to give students direction in developing self-discipline, responsibility, pride, loyalty,, leadership, teamwork, respect for authority, and healthy living habits. '

Because participation in extracurricular activities is a privilege and not a right, Round Rock ISD is authorized to set higher standards for participants of extracurricular activities than it would for those students who choose not to participate in these activities, Therefore, this *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* extends beyond the *Round Rock ISD Student Code of Conduct* not only in types of behavior prohibited, but also in corresponding consequences and jurisdiction for imposing discipline. In case of a conflict between this Code and the activity or sport specific campus handbook, the Code will prevail.

This *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* will be enforced with all students grades 7th-12th participating in extracurricular activities:

- regardless of whether school is in session',
- regardless of whether the student is directly involved with the extracurricular activity at the time the prohibited conduct occurs;
- regardless of whether the extracurricular activity is in-season; and
- regardless of where or when the conduct occurs.

It is possible that a student who violates the *Round Rock ISD Student Code of Conduct* will incur consequences from both the appropriate school administrator and from his or her coach or sponsor for the same particular violation. It is also possible that a student participating in extracurricular activities could violate the *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* and be subject to discipline by a coach or sponsor without having violated the *Round Rock ISD Student Code of Conduct*.

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III. Prohibited Conduct

Round Rock ISD students who participate in extracurricular activities are prohibited at all times from:

- any conduct resulting in arrest and/or citations from law enforcement officers;

IV. Procedures

The coach, director and/or sponsor will determine whether an *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* violation has occurred. Upon determination of an *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* violation, the following individuals will be notified:

1. student
2. student's parent(s) or guardian(s)
3. appropriate school counselor to provide counseling, support, and guidance in dealing with issues associated with alcohol, drugs, mood-altering chemicals, and other prohibited activities.

V. Disciplinary Action

Coaches, directors, and sponsors will review all the facts and circumstances surrounding a particular violation and impose appropriate disciplinary action. Coaches, directors, and sponsors will strive for consistency and exercise sound professional discretion. School personnel may remove a student who violates the *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* from his/her current sport or school-sponsored activity. The person making the final determination regarding disciplinary action will have any relevant records pertaining to the student.

Violation of any of the above-mentioned rules by a student participating in extracurricular activities will be subject to the following disciplinary action:

- Suspension from all extracurricular activities until one of the following choices has been completed:

- 1st Offense –
Community service (documented) HS:30 hours/MS:15 hours
OR
Completion of sport/activity specific skill improvement drills to be determined by the coach, director or sponsor.
- 2nd Offense –
Removal from the program

Nothing in this *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* limits the authority of a coach, director, or sponsor to impose reasonable sanctions, including extra workouts, for students who breach team or organization conduct expectations but do not engage in prohibited conduct.

VI. Appeals

Questions or complaints from parents regarding disciplinary measures should be addressed to the campus administration, in accordance with Policy FOC (Local). A copy of this policy may be obtained from the principal's office or the central administration office or through Policy On Line at the following address: www.roundrockisd.org

Disciplinary consequences will not be deferred pending the outcome of an appeal.

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A condition to participating in any Round Rock ISO extracurricular activity or holding any office (elected or appointed) is to sign an acknowledgement that the student has read and understands the *Extracurricular Code of Conduct*. The student's parent or guardian must also sign an acknowledgement. The acknowledgement states that the signing party understands the consequences for engaging in prohibited conduct. ➤

Date _____

I have read the Round Rock ISD *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* and agree to adhere to these rules as a condition for my voluntary participation in Round Rock ISD extracurricular activities. I understand that failure to do so will result in disciplinary measures related to my extracurricular participation.

Student Name _____

Student Signature _____

I have read the Round Rock ISD *Extracurricular Code of Conduct* and understand requirements for my child's voluntary participation in Round Rock ISD extracurricular activities. I understand the consequences that my child will face if he or she fails to adhere to these rules and agree to such terms.

Parent Name _____

Parent Signature _____

Travel Protocol:

All students-athletes will ride the school bus to and from the competition sites.

Parental Expectations:

Support your son or daughter academically.

Communicate with the coach to address any issues.

Support the tennis team in a respectful manner.

Participation:

To participate in the Stony Point Tennis Team Program is a privilege and not a right. A player's positive, respectful and cooperative attitude will be needed. A player can be removed from the team at the discretion of the coach, if the player is negative, disrespectful, and or uncooperative, or displays any behavior that hinders the coach's ability to coach. All players will be address with respect and dignity while enforcing discipline to build individual characteristics such as reliability and determination to excel.

Team Unity:

Each players is required to support the coach, the rules, and the program while understanding that the team success comes before individual recognition, and not vice-versa.

Injuries:

Any injured player must visit the trainer for evaluation and or treatment.

Challenges:

Only the top seven boys and seven girls who best perform on challenges and are able to follow the rules will make the Varsity traveling team. The next 8-14 boys and 8-14 girls will be Junior Varsity traveling team. The team will hold the next 15-21 boys and 15-21 girls only as substitutes when needed. Those who do not make the top 21 boys or top 21 girls will be assigned to another PE class

and will be given another chance to try out next semester.

Practice Schedule:

All Varsity players will work out before first period. Each player must report to the tennis courts no later than 7:10AM. Player's will be dismiss at 8:30AM to shower, dress and attend 1st. Period at 9:10AM.

All Junior Varsity and substitute team will work out during the last period of the school day.

To determine the line up, all players will originally need to report to 7:10 am for challenges and once the line-up is determined, each player will adhere to the practice schedule assigned.

Players Objective: Use the life time sport of tennis as a tool to mature into responsible adults; work cooperatively while understanding the sacrifice of discipline; learn about the challenges and outcomes of competition; and last but not least, to succeed in life.

Tennis Coach

Athletic Coordinator

HS Principal

Parent/Guardian/Player's Agreement. I have read and agree to follow these rules:

Player's Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Work ph.#

Home ph.#

