

As a Parent or Guardian, I understand that I must abide by the following standards and rules to remain in good standing with the Monongalia County Girls Softball Association (MCGSA) and maintain my child or guardian's eligibility to participate in the activities supported and/or provided by the MCGSA:

1. Encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, fans and officials at games, practices and other events.
2. Place the well-being of my child, other children and players, coaches, officials, umpires and board members before a matter of personal interest or desire to win.
3. Take personal responsibility for assuring that my child plays by the rules and respects the rights of other players, coaches, fans and officials.
4. Refrain from the use of drugs, tobacco, alcohol and abusive language during MCGSA events.
5. Be courteous to opposing teams and treat all players, coaches, umpires and officials with respect.
6. Be modest when successful and be gracious in defeat.
7. Respect the privilege of the use of all public facilities.
8. Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during and after games.
9. Help parents and fans understand the league philosophy so they can watch and enjoy the game.
10. Provide a good example of respect for the game, fair play and the rules and regulations of the game.
11. Show respect for the officials of the game and of the league.
12. MCGSA players that participate on non-sanctioned teams are not supported by MCGSA. (This pertains to travel and 'all-star' teams) If a parent/guardian allows their child to participate, they do so at their own responsibility and acknowledgement that the MCGSA insurance will not cover their child's participation. In addition, the use of any MCGSA resources such as equipment, fields, and the use of the Mon County Girls Softball Association or MCGSA names/ logos are disallowed.
13. Refrain from posting negative comments on any social media site pertaining to a players, parents, coaches, or other MCGSA members.
14. Remember that MCGSA is a recreational league, while healthy competition can be good, the goal is to encourage growth and development of all of the girls participating.