

Waupun Soccer Expectations

The following team rules apply to all student athletes associated with the Waupun High School Soccer Program. The coaching staff has the responsibility to rule on all matters concerning modifications or violations of the rules. If a player/parent has a concern during the season, please meet with the coaching staff at an appropriate time.

Player Expectations:

- 1) Maintain good academic standing
- 2) Follow all school code of conduct rules
- 3) Don't be late/miss practices
- 4) Follow all directions given to you by the coaching staff
- 5) Give 100% all the time
- 6) Be enthusiastic
- 7) You will be required to have a curfew the night before games

You have made a commitment to play high school soccer (you only have two possible reasons to miss practice):

1. Family responsibilities (e-mail before)
2. Academic responsibilities (*need note from teacher*)

If you are unable to make practice/game you need to contact the coaches directly (not friends, or teammates).

Practice: If you are late for practice, or you miss practice, for any reason other than those listed above you may be benched one game for each offense. The coaching staff will determine the severity of each incident. **Needed for all practices: *shin guards, cleats and tennis shoes, water bottle.***

Game Infractions: No one other than the coaching staff is allowed to talk to the referees; captains will only talk to the referees if instructed to do so by the coaching staff. During the game if you are issued a card, politely listen to the the ref and when excused come directly to the bench.

Game Dress Code: You are representing Waupun High School; you will wear **Waupun colors/athletic wear**. Failure to dress appropriately for games will result in punishment that will be decided by the coaching staff.

Earning a letter: A player must be responsible, respectful and represent our high school and community in a dignified manner. Must have played a major role in at least 8 games or has appeared in at least 13 games. A player unable to finish a season due to suspension or ineligibility may forfeit their letter opportunity. Coaching staff will have the final decision in regard to earning a varsity letter. This is based on a 24 game season.

Player Remind: Text Number **81010** in message type **@mrjbuch** Then send and follow prompts

This is a living document and can be changed throughout the year.

More Player Expectations

- Have all gear ready to go for the game and on time to leave.
- Listen, play hard, and have fun.
- Show good sportsmanship at games and practices.
- Show respect for others and their property.
- Support **all** team members.
- Be in school the day of and day after a game.
- Be a positive role model in and out of school.
- Be present even if injured and cannot play unless other arrangements are made.

***All in or out of school suspensions will result in game suspensions

1st will be the next game... 2nd will be the next two... 3rd you will be done for the season.

Other expectations can and will be added as the season progresses. Coaches will meet with players violating these and any other school rules to decide the appropriate consequences.

Parent Expectations

Remind Text Number **81010** In message type **@a97626** send message and follow prompts.

1. Support the entire team, not just your child.
2. Show good sportsmanship at all events.
3. Let the coach, coach. Please do not be another sideline coach telling the players where to go.
4. Help with any fundraising functions of the team.
5. If there is a problem, set up a meeting with the coaches instead of letting things go and get out of hand. (wait 24 hours after incident)
6. Unless there is a previously talked about reason with me or an emergency, all players will ride the bus to and from games.
7. Make sure your child is aware of what their expectations are.

Expectations for Coaches

1. Be prepared for all practices and games.
2. Be fair with players.
3. Be supportive and encouraging.
4. Know the game.
5. Know how to handle injuries.

6. Show good sportsmanship.