

## **Indiana Storm Code of Conduct**

All Indiana Storm staff are committed to providing athletes a positive environment that will enhance their skills and ability in track and field. Therefore, the purpose of establishing this code of conduct is to promote learning in an orderly and efficient system where the responsibilities are shared by the staff, parent(s)/guardian(s) and athlete.

### Parent(s), Guardian(s) Responsibilities:

- To work with coaching staff and event coordinators to enforce appropriate athlete behavior
- To demonstrate respect for the rights, feelings and decisions of the coaching staff, athletes and event officials
- To confer with the coaching staff concerning your child's progress and/or development
- To encourage regular participation in practices and established events.

### Athlete Responsibilities:

- To regularly attend practices and established events
- To understand the established code of conduct and adhere to the expectations
- To demonstrate respect for the rights, feelings and decisions of the coaching staff, athletes and event officials
- To do your personal best
- To be on time

### The following behaviors will not be tolerated:

- a) Disruptive behavior
- b) Failure to follow directions (insubordination)
- c) Inappropriate language (written words, gestures, or speaking)
- d) Disregard for other's property (vandalism, theft, etc.)

The recommended consequences\* for the above violation(s) shall be:

	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Offense</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Offense</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Offense</b>
<b>Local Meet</b>	Warning discussion w/Athlete and documentation in file	Athlete and Parent or Guardian conference; documentation in file	Athlete suspension
<b>Out of State Meet</b>	Warning discussion w/Athlete and Parent; documentation in file	Athlete is sent home at Parent/Guardian expense; documentation in file	Athlete suspension

**\* The Indiana Storm Staff reserves the right to determine the appropriate level of corrective action based on the severity of the violation.**

Your signature below confirms you have read, understood, and agree to comply with the expectations established above.

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date

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Athlete Signature

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Date