# Viking Code of Honor for Grace Athletic Teams

GRACE LU<sup>+</sup>HERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

This Code of Honor serves as a promise between students, parents, and coaches to

work together with a productive and positive spirit. It is an example of our desire to be at our best for one another and provide the ideal setting for our programs to be successful and our children to thrive.

### Student-Athletes promise to:

-be positive contributors and behave with good sportsmanship. -show respect for teammates, coaches, opponents, officials, and our playing environment.

Ways to show these promises in your actions include listening to coaches' directions, using your words to encourage others, handling equipment responsibly, and serving as a good example to all those around.

### Parents promise to:

-conduct themselves in a manner that displays positive support for Grace programs and a respectful attitude towards all players, opponents, coaches, officials, and spectators.

Ways to show these promises in your actions include withholding comment on coaches' or officials' judgements, making arrangements to ensure a punctual arrival and pick up of student-athletes to and from games and practices, cheering with positive comments to our players if so moved, and communicating in a constructive manner to coaches.

### Coaches promise to:

-do their best to provide their student-athletes with a positive learning experience and instill in their players the principals of good sportsmanship.

-comply with decisions of officials and observe all rules set by the Lutheran School Association and our Conference.

-show respect for players, opponents, parents, officials, spectators, and other coaches.

Ways to show these promises in action include giving clear, thoughtful instruction to the team, demonstrating good sportsmanship in wins and losses, and holding student-athletes accountable for their actions in a constructive manner.

## Do justice, love kindness, walk humbly with our God. Micah 6:8

Athlete Signature	Date
Parent(s) Signature	Date
Coach Signature	Date