

WAIMEA HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC RULES
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WAIMEA, KAUAI HAWAII

It is an honor and a privilege for me to participate in athletic activities at Waimea High School. I realize as an athlete, I am a member of a team. This means that sometimes it may be necessary for me to make personal sacrifices in the interest of the whole team. I further realize that as an athlete, I am a “public figure” whose conduct will be constantly under the observation of a “critical public”. Therefore, I hereby agree to obey the following general rules, the athlete’s code of conduct, and the training rules set up by the athletes, the Waimea High School Athletic Department, and the Kauai Interscholastic Federation.

GENERAL RULES

- ❖ In order to be eligible for a sport, I realize that I must meet the **2.0** academic requirements for participation in co-curricular activities.
- ❖ I realize if my attendance record is reported to the coach as unsatisfactory by any teacher, I may be ineligible to participate until cleared by the Teacher, Coach, Athletic Director or Principal.
- ❖ In order to be eligible, I realize that though I may participate in an **OUTSIDE LEAGUE**, I must have the clearance and permission by my high school coach.
- ❖ To be eligible to participate in athletics, I must take and pass a physical examination by a physician, and I must be covered by an accident and health insurance policy. I must have my parent’s or guardian’s written permission before I can participate or engage in athletic activities.
- ❖ I will not accept any trophy or award from an outside person or organizations for accomplishments gained in any KIF sport without the approval of the KIF. If I am guilty of receiving such awards, I will be barred from further competition until reinstated by the KIF.
- ❖ I will conduct myself in an exemplary manner, both on and off the campus/field. This also means that I will show due respect toward all teachers, parents, schoolmates, and members of the community at all times and would expect the same respect for me.
- ❖ In all the athletic contests played away from school, I will ride to and from the game in school provided transportation unless prior to a game, a written request is signed by my parents or guardians and approved by the coach or Athletic Director for each game.
- ❖ I will immediately report to my Coach all injuries I may sustain.

ATHLETES CODE OF CONDUCT

- ❖ I will at no time, in or out of school, consume and/or be in possession of any alcoholic beverages or any form of tobacco products, illegal substances or drug paraphernalia.
- ❖ I will not use or have in my possession marijuana, LSD, narcotics, hallucinogens, in any forms or any other type of drugs, the use of which is considered unlawful.
- ❖ I will not be involved in any fighting or gambling in or out of school.
- ❖ I will abide by any other training rules set by the team or Coach.
- ❖ I will obey all school rules in any activity sponsored by the KIF schools.
- ❖ Truancy from school will result in disciplinary action by the Athletic administrator.
- ❖ Quitting or leaving the team will result in immediate dismissal from the team.

RULES

- ❖ Any athlete who is found guilty of infractions of rules on conduct A,B,C,D, and E, as spelled in the ATHLETIC CODE OF CONDUCT may be suspended from further athletic activities until reinstated.
- ❖ The Coach may suspend athletes from any team by the Athletic Director, or for infractions of training rules, disrespect to coaches and other school officials or for any other misbehavior warranting suspension. The Principal is the only person that has the authority to drop an athlete from the team.
- ❖ Cyber Bullying is “ZERO TOLERANCE” and will not be TOLERATED and may result in termination from team by ADMINISTRATION and or ATHLETIC DIRECTOR.
- ❖ The Principal, upon the recommendation of the Athletic Director or Coaches, may withhold from participation: (1) any athlete whose undesirable behavior or attitude may be detrimental to the team: (2) any athlete who has been arrested for a law violation.
- ❖ Any athlete suspended from participation in athletics may be reinstated to the team, the length of suspension to be determined by the Coach, Athletic Director, and approval by the Principal. However, no suspensions shall continue beyond the school year in which it is made.
- ❖ Nothing in this athletic rules and policies shall construe as requiring proof beyond a reasonable doubt before suspension may be imposed.

The Athletic Department realizes that the following rules may, in the future become outdated. Therefore, anyone connected with the school athletic program (school athletes, their parents, coaches, athletic director, principal or faculty members) may effect a reconsideration or change part or parts of any of these policies by submitting a written request to the Athletic Director.

We have read the above general rules, athlete’s code of conduct and the policies of the athletic department. We hereby agree to abide by the above rules and we fully understand any infraction of these rules may result in suspension and or expulsion from the school team,

Players Name: _____ Sport: _____
(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Players Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Head Coach Signature: _____ Date: _____