

# MAMMOTH MOUNTAIN SKI & SNOWBOARD TEAM

## Athletes' Code of Conduct

The following code of conduct represents a code of behavior for all of our athletes.

The code reflects a commitment to academic achievement at school, athletic achievement on the mountain, and citizenship in the community. We require that each athlete accept and abide by this code. Each athlete and a parent must sign a copy of this code, which will then become an agreement between the MMSST, the athlete and parents.

### General Code of Conduct

1. MMSST athletes will maintain high standards of moral and ethical behavior, which includes self control, responsible behavior, consideration for other's physical and emotional well being, courtesy, good manners and sportsmanship at all times.
2. MMSST athletes must show respect to coaches, parents, ski area facilities, and the guests and employees of MMSA at all times.
3. MMSST athletes will be respectful of teammates' space, belongings and feelings.
4. MMSST athletes will place academic achievement as a high priority and strive to maintain scholastic eligibility.
5. MMSST athletes must not use illegal drugs, alcohol or any form of tobacco.
6. MMSST athletes must not use profane language or engage in disruptive behavior in the locker rooms or at Team activities.
7. MMSST athletes will be respectful of all race officials, volunteers, spectators and other participants.
8. MMSST athletes must maintain a healthy lifestyle.
9. MMSST athletes must be honest and truthful in all they endeavor.
10. MMSST athletes must abide by the FIS, USSA, USASA, IFSA rules of competition and Codes of Conduct in all events entered.
11. MMSST athletes are representatives of the Town of Mammoth Lakes and MMSA and must act accordingly.
12. MMSST athletes must know and abide by the Responsibility Code.
13. MMSST athletes must obey all of the locker room rules.
14. MMSST athletes will not commit criminal acts while representing the program at home or away at competition.

### Academic Code

The MMSST requires athletes to maintain a satisfactory standard of academic achievement throughout the year. Mammoth Mountain Ski Area believes that a successful athlete is one who can make a commitment to academic achievement while pursuing personal goals in ski and snowboard competition. Mammoth Mountain Ski & Snowboard Team maintains a close relationship with the Mammoth Unified School District to ensure that all athletes maintain their grades and adhere to school policies. In the event an athlete's academics fall behind, the MMSST stance will be to support the corrective action outlined by the school. This could include loss of privileges and suspension from the Team.

### Mammoth Mountain Ski Area Safety & Awareness

There is an acute concern with skier safety at Mammoth Mountain. All skiers and snowboarders, including competitors in competition and training situations, are responsible for their own conduct and safety. They must be aware at all times of conditions affecting their own safety and the safety of others around them. In addition, the MMSST requires all coaches, officials, parents and athletes to become more aware of safety in competition and training situations. All athletes will need to learn and abide by the Responsibility Code.

### Your Responsibility Code

1. Always stay in control and be able to stop or avoid others.
2. People ahead or downhill of you have the right of way. It is your responsibility to avoid them.
3. You must not stop where you obstruct a trail or are not visible from above.
4. When starting downhill or merging into a trail, look uphill and yield to others.
5. Always use devices to help prevent runaway equipment.
6. Observe all posted signs and warnings. Keep off closed trails and areas.
7. Know how to ride lifts safely prior to using them.

Be safety conscious.

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#### California State Penal Code

The following violations are punishable by a fine of up to \$1000 and/or loss of lift privileges:

- \* Skiing/snowboarding within or entering a CLOSED area. PC 602.r.
- \* Leaving an accident scene except to notify authorities or obtain assistance. PC 653.i.

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## Athlete Code of Conduct

### Participant Agreement

I (we) have read and understand the Athlete Code of Conduct for the Mammoth Mountain Ski & Snowboard Team. I (we) agree to the requirements of the program and to follow the program rules. I (we) understand that "Code of Conduct violations" may result in disciplinary action and I (we) agree to accept the disciplinary action of the Director of the Program.

Print Athlete's First and Last Name(s):

Age:

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Parent/Guardian: If athletes are under 18 years of age a legal guardian must also sign.

PRINT NAME OF PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_ RELATION: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent Code of Conduct

### Parent Agreement

I (we) have read the Parental Code of Conduct for the Mammoth Mountain Ski and Snowboard Team. I (we) agree to abide by these guidelines and support all athletes in a positive way.

Print Parent's First and Last Name(s):

Parent's Signatures:

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