



CLAY TARGET PROGRAM

SPORTSMANSHIP CONTRACT

TEAM NAME: _____ ATHLETE NAME (Print): _____

The California Youth Shooting Sports Association Clay Target Program places a strong emphasis on sportsmanship and safety. As part of this effort, parents/guardians are asked to read and discuss this contract with their child/athlete. This is a contract among the CYSSA, the parent/guardian and his/her child. The signatures on this form signify an agreement to comply with the provisions of this contract.

PARENTS:

I understand the California Youth Shooting Sports Association program's first and foremost priority is SAFETY. I will enforce the CYSSA safety standards with my child at all times. I will encourage my child and other team members to have fun. I will behave as a positive role model, respect the goals of the CYSSA, and reinforce the character values of good sportsmanship, teamwork, and self-discipline. I agree to stay off the shooting field. Any problems or criticisms will be presented in a positive way to the coaches or a designated assistant. I will refrain from criticizing other shooters, coaches, using abusive language, or consuming alcohol or drugs before or during all CYSSA program activities that I attend. I understand that unsportsmanlike behavior on my part may result in my being asked to leave the area. Such actions on my part could also result in my child being disqualified or even removed from the CYSSA program.

By signing this form, I affirm that I have read and understand the behavioral standards for parents as stated above and the behavioral standards for my child as stated below, and that I agree to abide by the stipulations therein.

Parent or Guardian's Name: (Please Print) _____

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

ATHLETE:

I understand shooting on a California Youth Shooting Sports Association team is a privilege. I agree to act responsibly and obey all rules as specified in the CYSSA Handbook while participating in CYSSA activities. I will encourage and support my teammates, cooperate and show respect to my coaches, and represent the team in a positive manner both at practices and in competition. I will set specific attainable goals, attend practices with a positive attitude, practice good sportsmanship at all times, and conduct myself as a lady or gentleman at all times. I understand that unsportsmanlike behavior, use of illegal drugs or alcohol, or acts of violence on my part may result in my disqualification and even expulsion from the CYSSA program. I will not lie, cheat, or steal nor tolerate those who do. By signing this form, I affirm that I am academically eligible to participate in extra-curricular activities as set forth by my school, that I have read and understand the behavioral standards for athletes as stated above, and that I agree to abide by the stipulations therein.

Athlete's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

IMPORTANT! A parent or guardian and his/her child must sign and return this form along with a completed Consent and Waiver form and Medical Release form to the team's Head Coach.