

## Cheer Code of Ethics

- I hereby pledge to be positive about any Bronco experience and accept responsibility for my participation by following the Cheerleader Code of Ethics.
- I will encourage good sportsmanship from fellow cheerleaders, players, coaches, officials and parents every game and practice by demonstrating good sportsmanship.
- I will help my teammates, coaches and unit director
- I will attend and be on time for all practices and games
- I understand that attendance at practices is mandatory and excessive absences are a hardship for my coaches and teammates.
- I understand that if I miss more than two (2) practices and/or games prior to the three (3) weeks before Cheerfest, I will not be allowed to participate in Cheerfest, unless excused with a doctor note or other emergency, ie. death of immediate family member or prior arrangement made prior to the start of the season. School events are also considered excused absences. Documentation is required.
- I pledge to maintain an environment that is free of drugs, alcohol, and tobacco. I will inform my coach if I am in need of any prescribed medications during practice or games.
- If I do not understand something on the Cheerleader Code of Ethics pledge, I will ask my parent/guardian to help me understand.
- I understand that while wearing the Bronco uniform, I am a representative of the Lakeland Broncos and could be subject to disciplinary action if involved in unacceptable behavior.
- I understand if I was ejected from a Livingston County Football League game, I will not be able to play in the following game.
- I will make sure my parents receive letters, flyers, or other communication passed out to me during practices or games.
- I will listen to, learn from and respect my coaches.
- I will remember to take home with me what I brought which includes clothing and bottles, and I will remember to pick up and throw away any trash I am responsible for, on the field or in the stadium.
- I will be in full uniform (as required by coaches) on game days and in appropriate attire/equipment for practices or I will not be able to participate.
- I will take care of the uniforms and equipment assigned to me and will respect all Bronco and school property
- I understand that this form must be completed and returned to my unit director prior to the first practice date
- I understand that if I do not follow this Cheerleader Code of Ethics pledge, I may not be able to participate in the Lakeland Broncos Football/Cheer program. This decision is at the discretion of the Lakeland Bronco Jr. Football /Cheer Board of Directors