
FAN EJECTION POLICY

1. First offense:

Fans that are ejected from athletic contests for unsportsmanlike behavior shall be subjected to the same denial of privileges as our athletes and coaches. They shall immediately be removed from the event and barred from the venue for the remainder of the event from which they were ejected. They may not attend events of the district that are occurring at other venues that day. **They must schedule a conference with the athletic director and principal to discuss their inappropriate behavior, and serve a denial of admission penalty as determined by the athletic director and principal commensurate with the infraction and the policies of the Portage Trail Conference of which we are a member school. Depending upon the severity of the offense, as determined by the athletic director and principal, a fan can be barred from all Coventry athletic contests for ONE CALENDAR YEAR.**

2. Second offense:

Any fan that is ejected for the second time in a school year shall lose their privileges to attend any Coventry athletic contest – home or away – for a period of **ONE CALENDAR YEAR.**

3. Subsequent offenses:

Any fan that refuses to comply with the stipulations previously mentioned may be barred from attending any/all activities sponsored by the Coventry Local School District by the Superintendent of Schools.

We believe that each participant and spectator should be committed to upholding the ideals of good sportsmanship put forth in the Athletic Handbook. It is in that spirit that the suggested disciplinary actions are proposed. We also recognize the importance of communication and cooperation between school officials when incidents of inappropriate behavior arise. The quality of our athletic program depends upon this natural respect. We also believe that being proactive is vital to the education of our students and spectators and therefore offer the following suggested related activities.

- P.A. Announcements at contests
- Letter to community
- Insert in game programs
- Team night promotion of sportsmanship
- Beginning year assemblies
- Sportsmanship award given at end of school year