

**(Code of Conduct Agreement)**

**CRESTED BUTTE DEVO CODE OF CONDUCT**

**CRESTED BUTTE DEVELOPMENT TEAM, INC.**

Athletes participating in any Crested Butte Devo, Inc. programs or events agree to abide by and are bound by this Code of Conduct.

1. Athletes shall treat themselves, coaches, team members, parents and team members' siblings with respect and dignity and make a sincere effort to support the team and the shared goals of the team. This includes using respectful language and refraining from using cuss words as well as inappropriate words.
2. Athletes shall not possess, transport or use any illegal drugs, including any and all performance enhancing drugs as defined by the United States Anti-Doping Agency, alcohol, any form of tobacco, marijuana or any other form of liquid concoctions or edibles containing any marijuana nor shall any athlete possess, transport or use any contraption to smoke or otherwise ingest or inject any of the substances described in this provision.
3. Athletes shall not bully, aid or abet any other athlete to engage in conduct that constitutes a violation of this Code of Conduct.
4. Athletes shall not engage in any manner of criminal activity.
5. Athletes shall always wear a helmet while riding.
6. Athletes shall not take unnecessary or excessive risks (willingly attempt anything which is beyond one's ability to control their bike safely).
7. Athletes shall stay on legal, established trails to limit damage and erosion to the environment and shall model and display a 'Sharing the Trails' ethic at all times.
8. Athletes will follow all traffic laws.
9. Athletes shall not tamper with, trespass upon or damage any property of anyone else.
10. Athletes are ambassadors. Athletes are responsible for all of their actions and words while riding with the Crested Butte Devo Team, and while riding independently. An Athlete's behavior reflects upon the team as well as the community itself. Athletes will think of themselves as ambassadors for the team, the sport of mountain biking, and their community.

By signing below, athletes and one parent or guardian acknowledges that they have reviewed the Code of Conduct and fully understand, accept, and agree to be bound by them. Violations of the Code of Conduct will be reviewed and sanctioned in accordance with Crested Butte Devo's Disciplinary Policy.

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Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name

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Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

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Date

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Athlete/Participant Printed Name

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Athlete/Participant Signature

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Date