Electronic & Social Media Policy

This policy is an addendum to the Coach's, Player's and Parent's Codes of Conduct document that every member of the TNLI organization has signed and any violations can lead to the consequences defined in them.

With the numerous Electronic Communication capabilities and Social Media websites, it is important that we define guidelines that need to be followed by all representatives and participants of TNLI. Understand that we are all agents or representatives of the Team Nitro organization and these guidelines are being outlined to safeguard against any unexpected situations arising due to communications being misinterpreted or taken differently then what was intended.

Coaches

- Friend Requesting or Following of a player via Facebook, Twitter, Instagram or any other Social Media website is highly discouraged.
- Placing of comments, or sending of electronic communications to a player via these Social Media websites is also highly discouraged.
- Electronic Communications to players should only occur via emails and when it is directly to a player, the player's parents MUST be included in the distribution list.
- Texting is only acceptable in group texting communications format, one-to-one texting between a Coach and a Player is highly discouraged.
- Video/Picture taking of players should only occur for training purposes only and are not for public or personal use or display.
- The TNLI Website is the only approved electronic media that should be open for public consumption. The dissemination of organization and team information needs to be controlled via one portal and that will be the TNLI website. If teams have individual team pages or Facebook account, these should be closed and accessible by membership only (Membership means coaches, players, parents)

Players

- Should not Friend request their Coaches or solicit the Following of via any Social Media websites.
- Take care in what you post (pictures or comments) on any social media website as it must then be considered Public that anyone can see no matter if you intended it or not.
- Any Posting or Comments you make electronically on websites or in groups chats, etc to other players should only be of a Positive nature. Bullying of any sort will NOT be tolerated.
- The TNLI Facebook page is controlled by the administrators of the organization. All posts will be reviewed and accepted prior to publishing. We pride ourselves in our contributions both on the field and off and will share such information.
- Remember, you are a Nitro player and a representative of the Organization. Inappropriate posing and inappropriate language reflects poorly on yourself, your fellow players and our Organization as a whole and will NOT be tolerated.
- Understand that college and professional recruiters can see anything that is posted and hence can misrepresent who you really are as a person and a player.

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- We highly encourage that you activate security/privacy settings on all your social media accounts so you are aware of who is accessing your information.

Parents

- Friend Requesting or Following of any other players on the team, unless you have a personal relationship with the parents, is highly discouraged.
- Any Posting or Comments you make electronically regarding Team Nitro, the Coaches or any other Player or Parent should only be of a Positive nature. If you have any issues or concerns, they are not for public consumption. They should be addressed directly with that adult, parent, coach or with the President of the TNLI organization.
- The TNLI Facebook page is controlled by the administrators of the organization. All posts will be reviewed and accepted prior to publishing. We pride ourselves in our contributions both on the field and off and will share such information.
- TNLI highly recommends that all parents know what their children's electronic and online activities are. Review their security setting to ensure that only those that you want can see your child's online activities.

Understand that the TNLI Organization cannot and will not be held responsible for the Electronic and Social Media actions of any individual whether related to the TNLI Organization or not. Their actions will be held solely responsible by that individual. The TNLI Organization will review any infractions and appropriate actions will be implemented accordingly.