

Chinook School District

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

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Spectator Conduct and Sportsmanship for Athletic and Co-Curricular Events

Any person, including an adult, who behaves in an unsportsmanlike manner during an athletic or co-curricular event may be ejected from the event the person is attending and/or denied admission to school events for up to three years on a first offense, up to five years on a second offense, and up to a lifetime ban on a third offense, after a Board hearing. Examples of unsportsmanlike conduct include, but are not limited to:

- using vulgar or obscene language;
- possessing or being under the influence of any alcoholic beverage or illegal substance;
- possessing a weapon;
- fighting or otherwise striking or threatening another person;
- failing to obey the instructions of a security officer or school district employee; and
- engaging in any activity which is illegal or disruptive.

The Superintendent may seek to deny future admission to any person by delivering or mailing a notice, sent by certified mail with return receipt requested, at least 10 days before the Board hearing date, containing:

1. The date, time, and place of a Board hearing;
2. A description of the unsportsmanlike conduct;
3. The proposed time period that admission to school events will be denied.

Legal Reference:	§ 20-4-303, MCA	Abuse of teachers
	§ 20-1-206, MCA	Disturbance of school
	§ 45-8-101, MCA	Disorderly conduct

Policy History

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