## **CV Golf Team Philosophy**

The CV golf team adheres to the following philosophy. We will do our best to create the most competitive team possible while understanding that sport is secondary to academics. It is our philosophy that the players will know and adhere to the rules of golf, dress appropriately for practice and tournaments, and positively represent Castle View High School, the Castle Rock Community, their parents, the team and themselves. Additionally, the players will participate in every practice and tournament with 100% effort and a positive and respectful attitude toward all coaches, tournament officials, players, and golf course staff.

Participation in tournaments will be determined based on the eligibility guidelines in the Player Contract, CHSAA eligibility rules and weekly scoring results, it being understood that the CV academic eligibility requirement is higher than the CHSAA requirement and the team requirement takes precedence. The coaching staff will always keep the players informed of their status on the team via weekly communications with the players and their parents.

Additionally, since we are helping to shape the students into responsible young adults, we believe they need to communicate with us as well. We will always encourage open and honest communication with the coaching staff, especially in the event of a conflict.

The coaching staff believes it is important that the players understand exactly what is expected of them. Therefore, before any player is allowed to participate, we will have a mandatory parent/player informational meeting at the beginning of the season. Each player and parent will sign a player contract indicating that he/she understands the rules and expectations.

Finally, the CV administration and coaching staff will have a zero tolerance policy as it relates to the use of drugs, alcohol, tobacco, cheating and the hazing of players.