

GENESEO ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIP CULTURE

<p>MISSION</p>	<p><i>Growing L.E.A.F.S.: Rooted in GENESEO</i></p>
<p>VISION</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>L.E.A.F.S. FOR LIFE</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Prepare athletes for life after high school Represent Geneseo in a way that makes the community proud Be humble in victory and defeat Instill a productive response to adversity Learn how to hold yourself and peers accountable Learn to compete and redefine limits Embrace the privilege of the high school athletic experience Trust and Commit to Process > Result</p> <p><u>L.E.A.F.S. TODAY</u></p>
<p>CORE PRINCIPLES</p>	<p>L — Loyalty to the Standard The Identity: We say what we mean and mean what we say. We leave our jerseys, our locker rooms, and our community better than we found them.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Behaviors: Integrity; Ownership; Accountability; "Leave it better than you found it." ● The Motto: <i>How you do anything is how you do everything.</i> <p>E — Effort & Intensity The Engine: We outwork the competition in the weight room, the classroom, and the arena. We do more than the minimum and "Leave it all out there" until the task is finished. We strive to be better than yesterday (BTY).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Behaviors: 1% Better Everyday; Relentless pursuit; Finishing every rep; Doing more than expected. ● The Motto: <i>The standard is relentless.</i> <p>A — Altruism (Team > Me) The Foundation: We are one community, not just a collection of teams. We are selfless in our actions and intentional with our presence. We choose to be "where our feet are" and elevate those around us.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Behaviors: Selfless service; Emotional intelligence; Connectivity; Supporting other programs. ● The Motto: <i>One School, One Vision.</i> <p>F — Fortitude The Response: We embrace discomfort because the "Hero's Journey" requires a dragon to slay. When we get punched, we don't react emotionally; we respond with courage and attack the problem.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Behaviors: Resilience; Mental toughness; "Get to" vs. "Have to" mindset; Battle-tested. ● The Motto: <i>So what, now what?</i> <p>S — Savage Competitor The Execution: We possess "Competitive Greatness"—a real love for the hard battle. We are "Savage Gentlemen/Ladies"— the fiercest competitors between the lines, but we remain humble and respectful after the final whistle.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Behaviors: Intensity; Not timid; Fierceness; High-level execution under pressure. ● The Motto: <i>Love the battle.</i>

	ABOVE THE LINE BEHAVIOR	BELOW THE LINE BEHAVIOR
PERSON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Act with Integrity ● Give Your Best Effort ● Communicate Appropriately 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Making excuses ● Disrespect ● Acting Entitled
STUDENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Own Your Learning ● Complete Work & On-time ● Respect the Class 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Apathy ● Dishonest ● Disruptive
ATHLETE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Competitor (Cares about winning) ● Emotional Control in Big Moments ● Resilience and Grit through Adversity ● Strong Work Ethic ● Selflessness and Team-First Mentality ● Holds Self & Teammates Accountable ● Willing to Do the Unseen, "Dirty Work" 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Casual Participant (Doesn't care) ● Volatile and Reactive Under Pressure ● Fragile and Easily Discouraged ● Lackadaisical or Entitled Work Ethic ● Self-Centered and Individualistic ● Enables Mediocrity/Avoids Accountability ● Glory-Seeker (Avoids the "Dirty Work")
COACH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Maintain & Model the Standards ● Coach the Whole Person ● Focus on the "Why" ● Develop Empowered Leaders ● Continue to Learn 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Transactional Leadership ● Inconsistent Standards ● Discourages multi-sport ● Poor/Negative Energy ● Lack of Preparation and Care
PARENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Maintain Perspective ● Role Clarity ● Support the Standards ● Be a Fan of Everyone ● Trust the Process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Coaching from stands ● Achievement by Proxy ● Negativity towards Officials/Coaches/Athletes ● Creating Excuses
FANS & SUPPORTERS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Support All Programs ● Be a Positive Force ● Engage with Events ● Maintain Sportsmanship ● Invest in the Future 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Unrealistic Expectations ● Public Bashing of Coaches/Athletes ● Negative Presence ● Aggressive Action towards Officials/Opponents ● Obstruction to Student Success