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Sportsmanship Creed

A good sportsman always—

Is dependable.
Makes courtesy her first thought.
Takes part in all activities willingly.
Plays "clean" in talk and actions.
Plays "fair" and takes no advantages.
Plays hard to the end, does not sulk and is not yellow.
Does her best cheerfully and truthfully.
Backs her fellow-students in every honest way.
Hates an "alibi", knowing that the one who makes excuses admits her weaknesses.
Is loyal to her school, to her teams, to her activities.
Abides by this creed whether winning or losing.
Realizes that all life is a game and therefore she plays it hard.

*"For when the Great Scorer comes
To write against your name,
He writes—not that you won or lost,
But how you played the game."*

Girls at the Northwest School have developed a high code of sportsmanship which has been retroactive in its effect. Those who have "played the game" well have found their days spent at the school full of keen interest and enjoyment.

Interclass competition in basketball, kittenball, swimming, and the field meet have opened up opportunities for practically every girl to display her ability in some line.

This year for the first time a silver trophy was awarded to the winning basketball team. Competition was strong and the fact that a total of twelve games was played, instead of the usual six, led to greater interest on the part of the whole school.

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