

PLAYER and TEAM CONTRACT

DATED the _____ day of _____, 20__

BETWEEN _____ (Player)

AND _____ (Team)

IT IS AGREED as follows:

1. PLAYER OBLIGATIONS

The player agrees:

- (a) To attend and be “on time” for all practices, team meetings, and matches at the time determined by the coaches therefore in proper attire 5 minutes prior to the appointed start time
- (b) To obey curfews issued by the coaching staff during overnight stays for all competitions
- (c) To help set up and put away all team equipment at practices and help keep track of equipment at competition events
- (d) To take pride in his play and the performance of the team as well as make a serious effort to improve play and accept constructive criticism from the coaching staff when mistakes are made
- (e) To not complain, behave negatively, participate in cliques, pout, act selfishly, or engage in any other behavior that undermines team chemistry and morale.
- (f) To treat teammates with respect and not engage in gossip, criticizing other teammates behind their back but rather speak to a teammate privately if a problem arises; if discussion does not conclude with a solution, the coach must be aware of the problem thereafter
- (g) To not consume illegal drugs as well as alcohol for the duration of the season
- (h) To actively show support to your teammates, especially when not on the court

- (i) To always exhibit good sportsmanship when competing. This includes showing respect for the officials, the opponents and the spectators

2. PLAYTIME TIME AND COMMITMENT

The player agrees and accepts:

- (a) That playing time is earned and not guaranteed
- (b) That all players will **not** receive equal playing time and there will be no discussion regarding playing time between coaches and parents
- (c) That the coach makes the final decision on which player plays, the amount of playing time that player earns as well as the amount of sets and games each player plays
- (d) That lates or absences that are not justified may affect playing time
- (e) That if there are any anticipated lates or absences, you must notify the coaching staff **in advance**

3. SUSPENSION AND EXPULSION

The player agrees and accepts:

- (a) That any violation to the parameters outlined in this contract will result in suspension or expulsion at coach's discretion.
- (b) That the coach reserves the right, at his sole discretion to, at any time, suspend or expel any player.
- (c) That if you elect to leave the team for any reason at any point in time during the season, you will not be allowed back on the team next year if you are eligible.

I hereby attest and certify by my signature below that I have read, understand, and accept this player and coach contract outlined above.

Player Signature

Parent Signature (if child is not over 18)

Witness Signature

Coach Signature