

COACH CODE OF CONDUCT

Portland Parks & Recreation Youth Coach Code of Ethics Pledge

Portland Parks & Recreation's Goldenball youth basketball program stresses the practice of good sportsmanship by all participants. This includes players, coaches, officials, and fans. Please remember this when participating or attending games.

I will remember that I am a volunteer youth sports coach and the game is for children and not adults.

I will treat each player as an individual, remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for the age group.

I will be knowledgeable of the rules of the sport I coach and will teach these rules to my players.

I will do my best to provide a safe playing environment for my players.

I will do my best to organize practices that are fun and challenging for all my players.

I will provide a sports environment for my team that is free of drugs, tobacco and alcohol and I will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.

I will refrain and discourage the use of offensive, abusive, and derogatory language.

As a volunteer coach, I will remind my team and fans to always exhibit good sportsmanship. I will lead by example in demonstrating fair play to all that are participating.

I understand that as a volunteer coach I am not to argue, question or touch an official or PP&R staff member. All questions or concerns should be sent to the PP&R Sports Office.

Coach Name (*Please Print*)

Coach Signature

Assistant Coach #1 Name (*Please Print*)

Assistant Coach #1 Signature

Assistant Coach #2 Name (*Please Print*)

Assistant Coach #2 Signature

School/Group and Team Name

Grade

Boys/Girls/Coed

Date