



Inver Grove Heights Traveling Basketball

Parent Code of Conduct

Team: _____ **Coach:** _____

The goal of IGH Basketball includes providing a developmental basketball experience for all boys and girls participating in the program. As a community-based program, we work towards providing a great youth basketball experience and positive environment for all participants and their families.

In order to achieve these goals, all parents and legal guardians are expected to comply with the following Code of Conduct.

1. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, team managers, contest administrators and officials at every game and practice. I will not engage in any unsportsmanlike conduct with any player, coach, team manager, official or parent such as booing and taunting, refusing to shake hands; or using profane language or gestures. I understand that coaches, officials, or league representatives can require me to leave a game or practice for demonstrating unsportsmanlike behavior.
2. I will place the emotional and physical well-being of the athletes ahead of my personal desire to win.
3. I will insist my child plays in a safe and healthy environment.
4. I will remember that the game is for the kids - not the adults.
5. I will do my best to make sure that youth sports are a FUN and POSITIVE experience.
6. I will treat other players, coaches, fans, volunteers and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, creed or ability.
7. I will never ridicule or yell at my child or any other participant for making a mistake, or losing a competition.
8. I will provide support for coaches and officials working with my child to provide a positive, enjoyable experience for all.
9. I will communicate my concerns through the proper channels in a dignified manner.
10. I will demand a sports environment that is free from drugs, tobacco and alcohol and will refrain from their use at all IGH Basketball events.
11. I promise to help to help my child enjoy the youth basketball experience by assisting with coaching, being a respectful fan, providing transportation or whatever else assistance is needed.

Print Name: _____ Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ Signature: _____