

2017/2018 PARENTAL/GUARDIAN PERMISSION AND WAIVER

1. **PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE:**

I, the parent/guardian of the below-named participant ("Participant") hereby acknowledge that the Participant is in good general health and is capable of participating in the sport of basketball, and I give my approval for the Participant to participate in any and all Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association regional, league/conference, association and team/squad activities, including transportation to and from the activities by a licensed driver with proof of insurance. I understand, hereby give my approval for, and assume any and all risk of the Participant's use of various playing surfaces and conditions, including, but not limited to, wood floor, tile, multi-use, and rubber flooring and I hereby acknowledge and understand that said surfaces may be regular or very irregular.

2. **INTENT TO INFORM:**

I acknowledge that I am fully aware of the potential dangers of participation in any sport and I fully understand that participation in basketball may result in serious injuries. Furthermore, I fully acknowledge and understand that protective equipment does not prevent all Participant injuries that Participant may incur, and therefore I do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association and any and all organizers, sponsors, supervisors, coaches, volunteers, participants, and persons transporting the above named participant to and from activities, from any claim arising out of any injury to my/our child whether the result of negligence or for any other cause.

3. **EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION:**

I hereby grant my permission for any and all emergency medical/dental treatment and/or first aid to be administered to Participant, including authorizing any medical treatment facility/hospital to administer emergency treatment, for any illness/injury/accident resulting from participation in any and all basketball and basketball related activities.

4. **EQUIPMENT RESPONSIBILITY:**

I agree to assume full responsibility for any and all equipment/uniforms loaned to the Participant and I agree to promptly return, upon request, the uniform and other equipment issued to Participant in as good condition as when received except for normal wear and tear. If I fail to adhere to this policy, I will be responsible for the full replacement cost of such equipment.

5. **INSURANCE DISCLOSURE:**

I am aware that the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association carries group accident insurance which is considered secondary or excess for medical purposes to any and all valid insurance I possess is considered primary insurance. Furthermore, I agree to notify in writing my head coach and Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association of any medical claim as a result of Participant's participation in Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association activities as soon as reasonably possible. I understand that any registration fee paid does not constitute a direct premium for insurance and that a deductible(s) may apply.

6. **FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY:**

I hereby acknowledge that I have been informed by the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association of my rights, if any, to a refund in accordance with the local organization policies.

7. **COMMUNICATION AND PROMOTIONAL CONSENT:**

As a condition to Participant's participation, I hereby consent to receive communications via email and mail to/from the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association. Furthermore, I hereby grant to the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association the absolute right and permission to make, reproduce, broadcast or otherwise use Participant's name and likeness, any photograph, films, videos, recordings, or other depictions or images in whatever form or media in connection with participation in the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association throughout the universe in perpetuity and in any and all advertising and promotion materials, in any manner or media whatsoever for purposes of art, advertising, editorial, trade or promotion or any other purpose whatsoever. To the extent that any benefit accrues or may accrue to the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association, I hereby and forever waive, individually and on the Participant's behalf, any interest in or claim to such benefits and acknowledge that it is under no obligation to exercise any rights granted herein.

8. **ADULT CODE OF CONDUCT:**

- a. In order to uphold the goals of the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association and ensure that all participants have the benefit of a safe and fun learning environment, all parents, guardians and other adults and attendees of Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association events, including but not limited to practices, competitions, and banquets, must behave in a respectful, courteous and sportsmanlike manner at all times.
- b. Any adult who is using alcohol, tobacco or non-prescription drugs and/or appears intoxicated at a Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association event, and/or who is flagrantly rude, attempts to intimidate, verbally abuse, heckles, taunts, ridicules, boos, throws objects and/or uses vulgarity or profane language/gestures with an official, coach, volunteer, staff member, participant or other event attendee, shall receive a verbal warning and/or be asked to leave the event. The member organization may also provide a written warning to the individual regarding the misbehavior. Any youth of which such person is the Parent or Guardian may also be removed from the event. Any adult who commits one of the above stated offenses a second time, will be banned from any and

all Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association events for a period of one year from the date of the second offense, and youth of which such person is the parent or guardian may also be removed from the program(s) for that time period.

c. Any adult who physically assaults an official, coach, volunteer, staff member or participant or threatens grave bodily harm may be banned from any and all Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association events for one year from the date of the offense, and any youth of which such person is the parent or guardian may also be removed from any and all Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association programs for that same period of time. After the ban has expired, if the individual commits another offense of the adult code of conduct, the individual will be permanently banned from any and all Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association events and the youth of which such person is the parent or guardian may also be permanently removed from any and all Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association programs.

9. **ADHERENCE TO RULES AND PROCEDURES:**

I hereby understand and acknowledge that as a parent/guardian of a Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association Participant it is my responsibility to comply with all rules and regulations stipulated, adopted or recognized and understand that any non-compliance with any and all rules and regulations may be cause for discipline and/or dismissal of the Participant, myself, and/or any spectators or other persons affiliated with the undersigned and the Participant. I further understand that the Participant must meet Lakeville North Association age requirements and I agree to furnish a signed medical release for the Participant. I/We hereby hold the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association harmless of any financial loss as the result of any disciplinary action.

10. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION POLICY SEVERABILITY:**

I hereby understand and acknowledge that all civil disputes between the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association and any and all affiliated parties will be subject to binding arbitration in accordance with Minnesota law under the guidelines and rules of the American Arbitration Association. I hereby agree that this binding arbitration shall be in lieu of any litigation by and between myself, Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association and any and all affiliated parties. I also understand and agree that if I contest any decision or ruling of the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association and seek other recourse, that I will reimburse the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association for all legal fees and expenses it reasonably incurs. If any portion of this form shall be deemed unenforceable, illegal, and/or invalid, the remainder shall remain in full force and effect.

11. **RULES & REGULATIONS:**

In consideration of participation in the Lakeville North Boys Basketball Association activities and by my signature below, I hereby stipulate that I have read, fully understand and voluntarily agree to be bound by all of the above and that all information provided by me is true and accurate to the fullest extent of my knowledge.

Signature: _____

Name of Parent : _____

Player & Team: _____

Date: _____