## Hawley Youth Basketball Association Player Code of Conduct

- The player will understand the rules of basketball, as well as HYBA, and abide by them.
- The player is expected to respect the game officials and refrain from addressing them or commenting on their decisions during the play of the game.
- The player is expected to maintain control of his/her emotions, avoiding the use of abusive language or profanity, humiliating remarks, and/or gestures of ill temper, and physical assault upon another player at any time.
- The player is expected to respect the coaches and players of the opposing team and demonstrate appropriate gestures of sportsmanship after the game be humble and generous in victory and proud and courteous in defeat.
- The player is expected to follow all building rules and regulations, respecting at all times the property of others.
- The player is expected to do his/her best in school, recognizing scholastic achievement is one of the foundations of HYBA.
- The player is expected to listen, respect, and learn from his/her coaches.
- The player is expected to support and encourage all teammates and members of the HYBA.
- Berating, humiliating or taunting our coaches, participants, or spectators when in attendance at an event or at any other time in a public forum, including social media, will not be tolerated to any degree.
- The HYBA Executive Board will carry out the consequences of not meeting HYBA's expectations. The consequences will be dealt with on an individual basis.
  - o 1st Offense: Written Warning
  - o 2nd Offense: Will not be allowed to play 1 game
  - o 3rd Offense: The player will be required to sit out the rest of the season
  - o The HYBA also reserves the right to dismiss a player immediately for any illegal activity.

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