

YOUTH VOLUNTEER COACH CONTRACT & APPLICATION

I _____, wish to participate in the South Whidbey Parks & Recreation District's **Youth Basketball League**, as a volunteer coach. I hereby recognize that volunteer coaches serve a vital need in helping provide positive recreation activities for youth. Further, I understand that serving as a volunteer coach, I will be setting examples for the youth I am coaching, and will strive to uphold a high set of ideals and standards in regards to sportsmanship and fair play. I agree to abide by all rules and procedures set forth by the South Whidbey Parks & Recreation Department, including, but not limited to:

- 1) Not using, or being under the influence of alcohol or using tobacco products while being associated with this program, including games, practices or league meetings.
- 2) Not using profanity, obscene gestures or comments, or abusive language to players, parents, officials, administrators or any other persons associated with this program.
- 3) Striving to always be positive towards my players and treating them fairly, realizing that each player has the right to have fun.
- 4) Stressing the importance of sportsmanship and fair play while teaching skill development and teamwork. Wanting to win is O.K., but not at the expense of the ideals and fundamentals of the game.
- 5) Certify that I do not have a criminal background that prohibits my working or associating with youth, or have displayed any improper conduct that should prohibit my working or associating with youth.
- 6) AGREE TO ALLOW A CRIMINAL HISTORY BACKGROUND CHECK BY THE SOUTH WHIDBEY PARKS & RECREATION DISTRICT WITH THE WASHINGTON STATE PATROL. **Please complete attached form and return to office.**
- 7) I assume all risks of injury incurred or suffered by me while at or participating in this activity.

I have read this document in its entirety, and agree to abide by all terms of this agreement. Further, I realize that failure to abide by any or all of the above items are grounds for immediate termination of this position. My signature below verifies this fact.

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature of legal guardian (if volunteer is a minor) _____

COACH INFORMATION

Name (print) _____ Date of birth _____

Signature _____ Day phone _____

Address _____ Evening phone _____

Street City Zip

Email _____ Cell phone _____

Are you trained in: First Aid ☐ CPR ☐ Grade level to coach _____ Boys ☐ Girls ☐ Shirt Size: S M L XL 2X

Experience coaching or working with children in other leagues or organizations: _____

References of persons who can attest to your skill and suitability to work with youth:

1) Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____ Phone _____

2) Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____ Phone _____

3) Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____ Phone _____