



The Boca Raton Basketball Club and the City of Boca Raton are committed to providing a positive youth sports experience by encouraging parents, coaches, officials, and players to demonstrate good sportsmanship at practices and games. All parents and guests are expected to conduct themselves in an orderly fashion toward all players, coaches, officials and league/city staff.

We have adopted the following Parent Code of Conduct which must be adhered to at all times, without exception. Parents are responsible for their families and guests. Parents must sign the Parent Code of Conduct in order for your child to participate in the Boca Raton Basketball Club.

We reserve the right to remove a player from a team whose presence is disruptive to the other participants. This can include, but is not limited to, player or parent behavior, attitude and lack of availability/participation. Any parent guilty of improper conduct at any game or practice will be asked to leave the sports facility and be suspended from the following game. Repeat violations may cause a multiple game suspension, or forfeiture of the privilege of attending future events.

### **Parent Code of Conduct**

1. I will put the emotional and physical well-being of youth participants ahead of a desire to win. I will inform the coach of any physical disability or ailment that may affect the safety of my child or the safety of others.
2. I will respect my child at all times, and will not yell advice during practices or games. I will never ridicule or yell at my child, or other participants, for making a mistake or losing a competition.
3. I will be a positive role model for my child by demonstrating good sportsmanship and positive support for all players, coaches, officials and spectators.
4. I will respect players, coaches, officials, spectators, and families at all times and regardless of race, creed, color, sex or ability.
5. I will respect the decisions of officials and coaches. I will not question, challenge or confront officials or coaches at the court. I will take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time and place.
6. I will never use coarse or threatening language, profanities, verbal threats, violence, or any other forms of actual or perceived physical aggression, bullying, harassment or intimidation. I will not belittle or ridicule anyone involved in a youth sporting event. This includes any form of interaction: in public, private, in-person, or online.
7. Will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as booing, taunting, negative gesturing, refusing to shake hands, or using inappropriate language.
8. I will teach my child that effort is more important than winning, and praise my child for competing fairly and trying hard.

As a player, I have read and understand this consent form, and I volunteer to participate. As a parent or guardian, I have read and understand this consent form and I give permission for my child to participate.

Player Name \_\_\_\_\_

Player Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_