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2020 Jr. Warriors Parents, Players, and Coaches - Code of Conduct

**Must be signed by all players, parents and coaches when you register your team or all games will be forfeited*

PLAYERS

- *Play by the rules*
- *Never argue with an official. If you disagree, have your captain, coach or manager approach the official during a break or after the competition.*
- *Control your temper. Verbal abuse of officials and sledging other players, deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent are not acceptable or permitted behaviors in any sport.*
- *Work equally hard for yourself and/or your team. Your team's performance will benefit so will you*
- *Be a good sport. Applaud all good plays whether they are made by your team or the opposition.*
- *Treat all participants in your sport as you like to be treated. Do not bully or take unfair advantage of another competitor.*
- *Cooperate with your coach, team-mates and opponents. Without them there would be no competition.*
- *Participate for your own enjoyment and benefit, not just to please parents and coaches.*
- *Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.*

PARENTS

- *Remember that children participate in sport for their enjoyment, not yours.*
- *Encourage children to participate, do not force them.*
- *Focus on the child's efforts and performance rather than winning or losing.*
- *Encourage children always to play according to the rule and to settle disagreements without*
- *Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing a competition.*
- *Remember that children learn best by example. Appreciate good performances and skillful plays by all participants.*
- *Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.*
- *Respect officials' decision and teach children to do likewise.*
- *Show appreciation for volunteer coaches, officials and administrators. Without them, your child could not participate.*
- *Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.*



COACHES

- *I shall not indulge in conduct that would incite players or spectators against the officials, program coordinators, coaches, or teams. Public criticism of officials, players, program coordinators, or coaches is unethical.*
- *I will treat all players, coaches, officials, event staff, and fans with respect regardless of race, gender, creed or ability.*
- *I will not use profanity.*
- *I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials, and contest administrators at every game.*
- *I will respect the volunteers that are assisting with practice or youth basketball events.*
- *I will shake hands with the opposing team and coaches after a game.*
- *I will place the emotional and physical well being of others ahead of my personal desire to win.*
- *I will provide a positive sports environment for my team at all youth basketball events.*
- *I will do my very best to provide a safe playing situation for my players.*
- *I will remember that I am a youth coach, and that the game is for the children and not the adults.*
- *I will respect and adhere to the policies and procedures of the Jr. Warriors Programs and Leagues.*
- *I understand that the SFRPD Staff has the right to remove any coach whose actions are not proper towards players, fans, coaches, officials, and staff.*

**By signing this document I agree with the rules above, and will follow them to the best of my ability as a parent, player, or coach.*

* Coach's Name/Signature _____

PARENT - PRINT NAME/SIGNITURE	PLAYER - PRINT NAME/SIGNITURE