



## PARENT AGREEMENT

A successful sports program can only be achieved when there is harmony and general agreement from players, coaches, and parents. To that end, your signature below signifies you have read, agreed to, and will abide by the following statements.

1. Everything that we do is to bring glory to God. (Rom 11:36; 1<sup>st</sup> Cor 6:20)
2. Players are to be at practices and games on time. If you have a challenge getting your kid(s) to practice or a game, please notify the coach in advance. Multiple absences or tardies are disruptive for the team and can result in less playing time.
3. The coaches are the leaders of the team. Parents, please do not interfere with the management of the practices or games.
4. If you disagree with a coach on anything, pray about it and after prayerful consideration, parents should speak to the coach about it in private. No coaches are to be approached, **at any time**, at a game field or court to discuss a disagreement. If, after prayer and discussion with your child's coach, you are still dissatisfied, then contact the appropriate Athletic Director. (Matthew 18:15-20)
5. The game officials have authority on the field or court. Spirited cheering is encouraged but unsportsmanlike behavior or criticizing has no place on our sideline. *Set the example for our kids*; the same Godly character that is expected from our coaches and players is also expected from our parents. Never argue with an official regardless of the situation.
6. This is a competitive sports program. Participants (players, parents, coaches) will adhere to the F.I.S.H. athletic philosophy in para. IV of the F.I.S.H. Athletic Policies and Procedures.
7. There shall be no Public Display of Affection (PDA) for students; this includes, but is not limited to, holding hands, sitting on laps, sitting with arms around each other, kissing, etc.
8. Please ensure your children wear modest clothing. We would like to promote clothing that draws attention to eyes and not bodies.
9. Please set the example with regard to language; offer encouragement rather than foul language, harsh comments and other negative speech. (Eph 4:29)
10. Please do not let your child/children roam facilities unattended; please ensure coaches are present before dropping off children. Children not participating in a sport should not be left unattended at practices or games, regardless of their ages.
11. Please do not leave food or drink containers/packaging on/around the sports fields or courts.
12. No smoking, vaping, drug use etc. allowed on the property hosting any FISH athletic practice or event.

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Parent's Signature

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Date

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Player's Name

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