



Hillsboro Sports Association Basketball

4th, 5th, & 6th Grade

Contract for Boys & Girls



The Hillsboro Sports Association is supporting a Basketball Program for 4th, 5th, & 6th Grade for the 2018-2019 Season, including both recreational and tournament teams.

The overall emphasis of both the rec and tournament team programs will be to have fun while learning the game of basketball – fundamental basketball and sports skills, teamwork, physical fitness, and good sportsmanship.

The recreational teams will play approximately 12-16 games against other towns in addition to one or two local tournaments. The “rec” teams will strive to enhance every child’s personal growth and development, focusing on fundamental basketball skills, sportsmanship, teamwork, and physical fitness. While the rec teams will play in competitive games, the primary focus during both practices and games will be on the areas mentioned above.

For those wishing to participate on a more competitive team, there may be additional tryouts for “tournament teams” that didn’t hold spring tryouts. Participation on a tournament team is completely voluntary and will include five or more tournaments in addition to a number of additional competitive games. Similar to the rec teams, the tournament teams will also focus on each child’s personal growth and development, fundamental basketball skills, sportsmanship, teamwork, and physical fitness. However, the main difference will be the tournament team’s focus on the competitive aspect of basketball, and therefore playing time will be distributed on a more competitive basis.

The basketball season typically runs from early November through February. Practices are generally held one to three times per week.

The participation fee for the rec team is \$45.

The participation fee for the tournament team is \$75. (\$45 is due at time of registration; those selected for tournament teams will pay an additional \$30)

Completed contracts and fees are due by September 21st

Questions/Comments please contact:

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Hillsboro Sports Association

Code of Conduct

I. Purpose

To provide an atmosphere conducive to high quality, enjoyable youth athletic events for players, coaches, officials & spectators.

II. Core Beliefs

- A. Good sportsmanship
- B. Game officials provide a valuable and necessary function

III. Methods

- A. One parent from each team will be appointed/volunteer to be a monitor for each game
- B. Violations of the code of conduct shall be privately discussed with the offender by the monitor at the time the violation occurs or as quickly as the game flow allows.
- C. Coaches shall be responsible for disciplining their own players.
- D. This code applies to all HSA activities in which HSA is the sponsoring organization. It also applies to all HSA teams, players, coaches and spectators visiting other venues.
- E. Any violation of the Code of Conduct resulting in a penalty shall be reported to the Director of the sport involved and/or President of HSA.

IV. Violations

- A. Berating/taunting officials, coaches or players
- B. Fighting
- C. Physically abusing or touching officials
- D. Tobacco use
- E. Intoxication from alcohol or illicit drugs
- F. Open alcohol containers
- G. Sale of illicit drugs
- H. Damage to HSA property or facilities used by HSA

V. Penalties

- A. Ejection from a game or the venues for any reason results in automatic suspension from the next game.
- B. Instigating or participating in a fight other than in self-defense results in suspension for the remainder of the season
- C. Physically abusing or touching an official results in suspension for the remainder of the season.
- D. Repeated minor offenses may be cause for ejection from the game or venue.

The above penalties are automatic and given at the discretion of the coach, monitor, game officials or member of the Board of Directors of HSA. Appeals to any penalty should be made to the Board of Directors of HSA. The Code of Conduct in no way supersedes the disciplinary actions delineated by the HSA Bylaws, Article XVI. Ideally each participant in HSA activities should be made aware of this policy prior to their involvement. However, ignorance of the policy will not be a reason to excuse a violation of the Code of Conduct and its penalty.

**Please mail only this page with your check made payable to
Hillsboro Sports Association - P.O. Box 484 - Hillsboro, IL 62049.**

**Rec Team Participation Fee: \$45
Tournament Team Participation Fee: \$75
(\$45 due at registration, \$30 after tournament team selected)**

Due Date: September 21st

NO LATE CONTRACTS. No refund for entry fees. Scholarships are available for those unable to afford the entry fee.
Please contact Kendra McSperritt if a scholarship is needed.

Child's Name: _____

Grade: 4th 5th 6th

T-Shirt size:

(we recommend ordering a size larger since these are used as a warm-up)

Boy Girl

Youth Small

Adult Small

Recreational Team

Youth Medium

Adult Medium

Tournament Team

Youth Large

Adult Large

Adult XL

Any relevant medical conditions (e.g., asthma, allergies, etc.): _____

1st Parent/Guardian: Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please indicate if you are able to help with: Coaching

2nd Parent/Guardian: Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

I/we the parent(s) of the above child, hereby give my/our permission and approval for his/her participation in any and all activities during the current season. I/we do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the Hillsboro Sports Association, Inc., organizers, sponsors, supervisors, officials, and persons transporting the above-named child, except to the extent and in the amount covered by accident or liability insurance.

Parent/Guardian (Only one signature required) _____

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Limited secondary insurance will be provided for participants. This insurance is secondary only and cannot be considered for primary coverage for accidents that may occur during practice or games.

(For internal use only):

Payment received Received by _____ Cash Check _____