

Hillsboro Sports Association Basketball 2nd & 3rd Grade Contract for Boys & Girls



The Hillsboro Sports Association is sponsoring a Basketball Instructional League in cooperation with the Nokomis Mustang League for 2nd and 3rd Grade boys and girls. Games will be played in Nokomis at the former South School and at either Coffeen or Beckemeyer. Games will be played against both Nokomis and Hillsboro teams. Team practices will start in late November or early December and occur once or twice a week in the evening at Beckemeyer or Coffeen. Games will begin in January and run through mid-February. The games will be played on the weekends. Game dates and times are to be determined. The number of games will be determined by the number of participants and teams. The estimated number of games per team is 7 to 9.

This is a developmental/Instructional/Intramural League focused on learning the game of basketball, teaching fundamentals, developing players to their potential, and playing with good sportsmanship. As part of the learning experience, players may be corrected and encouraged by referees during the game to learn what they may have done wrong or could have done better. IESA rules are used to the degree allowable such as reasonable fouls, excessive traveling, double dribbling, etc. This league will use 8 foot hoops and a 28.5 inch ball (Women's Regulation size).

The participation fee for the program is \$35.

Completed contracts and fees are due by October 26th.

Basketball shoes or appropriate gym shoes are required.

Questions/Comments please contact:

Director - Kendra McSperritt <u>kmcsperritt@hillsboroschools.net</u> 217-556-0005 OR

Assistant Director – Kassie Greenwood ckgreenwood5@gmail.com 217-556-0048

***Your child should be notified by a coach, no later than November 9th. If you turned in a contract and haven't received a call, please contact us. ***

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.

Mail to: Hillsboro Sports Association

Hillsboro, IL 62049

P.O. Box 484

Participation Fee: \$35

Due Date: October 26th

NO LATE CONTRACTS. No refund for entry fees. Scholarships are available for those unable to afford the entry fee. Child's Name: Grade: $[] 2^{nd} [] 3^{rd}$ T-Shirt size: [] Boy [] Girl [] Youth Small [] Adult Small [] Youth Medium [] Adult Medium [] 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 [] Concessions/Entry [] Scorekeeping 2nd Parent/Guardian: Name: ______ Phone: _____ Email: _______
Please indicate if you are able to help with: [] Coaching [] Concessions/Entry [] Scorekeeping Note: In order to minimize fundraising efforts, it is expected that parents/guardians of each child volunteer for concessions/entry or scorekeeping. ************************************* 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)_____ Parent/Guardian (Only one signature required)_____ ************************************ 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 _____