

Oregon Trail Recreation District Youth Sports Leagues

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Coaches/Assistant Coaches Contract & Disclosure Statement

Last Name

First Name

Initial

Date of Birth

Female

Male

Email Address

City

State

Zip

Home Phone

Work Phone

Cell Phone

Please Answer All Questions Below

You may omit references, which indicate your race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, sex or age.

1. List your experience working with youth in sports. (Name of Organizations, your position, dates.):

2. List your coaching experiences with youth: _____

3. List at least two (2) personal references (no relatives) for character verification. (Name, address, phone):

4. List previous residence(s) for last five years: _____

A "YES" answer to one of the following questions will not necessarily disqualify an applicant. Additional information may be requested. Please explain all "yes" answers.

5. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? Y N
6. Do you use illegal drugs? Y N
7. Does a report accusing you of child abuse appear on the Child Abuse Index maintained by the Idaho Department of Justice? Y N
8. Has your Driver's License ever been suspended or revoked? Y N
9. Other than the above, is there any fact or circumstance involving you or your background that would call into question your being entrusted with the supervision, guidance, and care of young people? Y N

I understand that: (1) It is the intent of OTRD and its official sports organizations to deny certification to any person who has been convicted of a crime of violence or of a crime against a person; (2) I may be required to provide fingerprints for a criminal history check by the Idaho Department of Justice; (3) I declare each of these answers given to the questions on this application to be complete and true to the best of my knowledge, I understand that any misrepresentation or omission may be cause for dismissal. (4) I hereby release and agree to hold harmless from liability OTRD and there official organizations, officers and volunteers thereof, and any person or organization that provides information.

I have read, understand and agree to abide by the OTRD Youth Sports rules and the contract/code of conduct as written on the following pages.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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CONTRACT BETWEEN COACH AND OTRD YOUTH BASKETBALL BOARD

Coaches are a direct extension of the OTRD Youth Sports board's ideas and goals. If this is clearly expressed and understood there should be very few, if any, conflicts during the season. The OTRD board and the coaches must act as a team.... This is a position of RESPONSIBILITY. Please refer to the OTRD Youth Sports League rules for details on the text below.

Coach's Code of Conduct at games and practices

- No foul language and No alcohol.
- You must remain seated at all times during games
- Make it **FUN**.
- Learn new drills.
- **COMMUNICATE** with your team's parents.
- Do not run the score up. Remember that there are kids on the other team who are paying the price for your glory.
- **TEACH** the children **GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP**, be a good winner and a good loser.
- Encourage **TEAM PLAY** (a hot player or a ball hog doesn't make for a memorable TEAM experience).
- Part of your job is to **CONTROL** the **PARENTS** in a professional manner. Help your parents set a good example.
- **SCOREKEEPERS** are also your responsibility. Remember they are not to cheer and should act neutral.

Coach's Responsibility towards Referees

- Introduce yourself to the referees/umpires prior to the game starting and give them some encouragement.
- Remember they will not always make the right call (what official does?) No shouting, verbal or physical abuse to any referee at any time. There is NO room for arguments.
- Coaches must at all times comply and stand up for our referees.
- The referees are in charge of the game and the gym/field.

Your input as to the performance of the referees is requested, please direct these comments and suggestions to the referee coordinator (not the referee) AFTER the game.

Board Sanctions for Non-Compliance

Referees have the right to remove any player, coach or parent from the gym/field during game time. Please respect this right. The Board reserves the right to temporarily or permanently remove any coach at any time for any violation of the above or for any action the board feels is not in the best interest of the league at the sole discretion of the board.

E-Mail

It is very important we have an email address for all coaches. This will allow us to communicate and adjust things as we go through the season.