## **Coaches Code Of Conduct**

- 1. I will exemplify the highest moral character, behavior and leadership, adhering to strong ethical and integrity standards. Practicing good citizenship is practicing good sportsmanship.
- 2. I will respect the integrity and personality of individuals on my team.
- 3. I will abide by and teach the rules of the game in letter and in spirit.
- 4. I will describe and define respectful and disrespectful behavior. I will stress that disrespectful behavior; especially taunting, trash talking and intimidation will not be tolerated.
- 5. I will set a good example for players and spectators to follow. I will refrain from arguments in front of participants and spectators; no gestures which indicate an official or opposing coach does not know what he is doing or talking about; no throwing of any object in disgust. Shake hands with officials and opposing coaches before and after the game in full view of the public. I will also demand the same of my players.
- 6. I will respect the integrity and judgment of officials, treating them with respect, even if I disagree with their judgment, which will only make a positive impression on my team and in the eyes of all people at the game.
- 7. I will display modesty in victory and graciousness in defeat in public and in meeting with the parents.
- 8. I will instruct participants and spectators in proper sportsmanship responsibilities and demand that they make sportsmanship the No. 1 priority.
- 9. I will develop a program that rewards participants and spectators for displaying proper sportsmanship and enforces penalties on those who do not abide by sportsmanship standards.
- 10. I will be no party to the use of profanity, obscene language or improper actions.
- 11. Remember no score is kept in all city leagues except for travel leagues. The program is designed to teach the kids the fundamentals of the sport while having fun
- 12. I will make sure that my assistant coaches follow the above-mentioned rules.

Coach(s) Signature:	Date:
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Sport Coached:	Age Level: