



RED RIVER HOOPS ASSOCIATION PARENT AND PLAYER CONTRACT

- 1. Parents** – Parents understand that they too represent our team, community, and basketball program. As a parent(s), you agree to show your belief in your child, their teammates and coaches, and demonstrate methods to reinforce positive self-esteem. You will also do your best to attend your child’s games to show that you are proud of them. Parents agree to encourage and cheer for the team in a positive fashion during games and to refrain from rude or obnoxious behavior or comments toward the opposing team and officials. Parents should never confront referees or other game personnel – this is solely the province of the coaching staff. Parents should respect and support the decisions of the coach. As a parent, you understand you must get involved in fundraising to sustain the needs of our basketball teams and volunteer to work during home games. Each family will be **required** to work **at least three (3) fundraisers per year**. Two (2) parents are expected to work the game clock and official scorebook for each home game. Two (2) parents will also be expected to work the concession stand. In the absence of volunteers, parents will be assigned these tasks on a rotating basis.
- 2. Problems** – If a parent or player has any problem with a coach or other team related matter, the parent or player should **FIRST** speak directly with the head coach. If the parent or player is unable to do so or is unsuccessful in doing so, the next line of communication is with the Director of Operations. All issues should be addressed in an appropriate manner, bearing in mind the expertise and judgement of coaches should be respected, particularly when it comes to positions and playing time. If the problem is still not being adequately addressed, the issue may be raised with the Red River Hoops Association Board of Directors at a meeting, typically held on a monthly basis.
- 3. Player Conduct** – As a member of a Red River Hoops team, each player represents and serves as a reflection of their coaches, their team, their family and their community. Players must agree to conduct themselves responsibly both on and off the court, display sportsmanship on the court and demonstrate concern for the rights, safety and welfare of others off the court. All players agree to treat their coaches, teammates, competitors and referees with respect and courtesy. Players agree to always work hard, to learn as much as they can to improve their individual skills and contribute to the success of the team. While all players should have fun, this is not the sole goal of the program. The Red River Hoops experience requires commitment and dedication on the part of the player, their family and the coaches. The objective of the program is to develop advanced basketball skills while at the same time, learning the values of hard work, preparation and teamwork.

As a player, you commit to always do your best, whether it is during a practice or a game. In doing so, you will always know you have no one to blame but yourself if you give less than your best. Behavior that shows disrespect toward other players, coaches, referees or demonstrates lack of self-control will be subject to discipline. This includes the use of profanity. The coach will determine all appropriate

disciplinary actions. Should the behavior continue to be inappropriate, the coach may seek the removal of the player from the team, subject to approval of the Red River Hoops Association Board of Directors.

All players who are members of Red River Hoops understand playing basketball demands tremendous commitment and dedication to the game and their team. Likewise, parents make great commitment and sacrifice for their child to play with the team. Playing for our team is a privilege, not a right. As Red River Hoops players and parents, we understand and agree to follow the contract.

Player Responsibilities:

1. All players will treat officials and opponents with dignity and respect.
2. All players, regardless of ability and/or playing time, are equal members of the team. Every player will treat all teammates with acceptance, respect, and friendship.
3. All players will provide maximum effort in practice and in games.
4. Attendance at all practice, team meetings, and games is strongly encouraged.
5. In the event a player must miss practice or an event, parents or players are responsible for informing the coach, with a phone call or a text message, at the earliest possible time.
6. Players are to be on time for all practices and games. Tardiness may affect playing time during games.
7. Players are expected to directly seek understanding and resolution when questions or problems arise with coaches and teammates.
8. Players will conduct their personal lives in a manner that brings honor to themselves and the team. This includes school performances, self-respect, healthy behaviors and social responsibility.
9. Players will participate in the raising of monies needed to sustain the needs of the basketball program regardless of the amount of playing time given.

I, as a player, ACCEPT and UNDERSTAND these conditions.

Player Signature: _____

Date: _____

I, as a parent of a player, ACCEPT and UNDERSTAND these conditions.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____



Medical Information and Consent

Player's Name _____
D.O.B _____
Father's Name _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____
Cell Phone _____ Email _____
Mother's Name _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____
Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Emergency Contact _____
Phone _____

Medical Information:

Family Physician's Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____

Allergies and/or Medical Conditions (list):

Medications (list):

Date of Last Tetanus Booster: _____

Person Responsible for Charges (if different from above):

Insurance Company: _____

Policy Number: _____

I/we hereby grant consent to any and all health care providers to administer any necessary medical care as a result of injury/illness. This consent includes First Aid and transportation to/from health care providers.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Warning: Protective equipment cannot prevent all injuries a player might receive while participating in athletic activities.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY FOR MINOR PARTICIPANTS

*******READ BEFORE SIGNING*******

IN CONSIDERATION OF _____, my child/ward, being allowed to participate in any way in the related events and activities of the Red River Hoops Association, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates and agrees that:

The risk of injury to my child from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent disability and/or death, and while particular rules, equipment and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and:

1. FOR MYSELF, SPOUSE, AND CHILD, I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my child's participation; and:
2. I willingly agree to comply with the program's stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If I observe any unusual, significant concern in my child's readiness for participation and/or in the program itself, I will remove my child from the participation and bring such attention to the nearest official immediately; and:
3. I myself, my spouse, my child and on behalf of my/our heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS Red River Hoops Association, it's directors, officers, officials, agents, employees, volunteers, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event ("Releasees"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH or loss or damage to person or property incident to my child's involvement or participation in these programs, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
4. I, for myself, my spouse, my child, and on behalf of my/our heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS all the above Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my involvement or participation in these programs, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THEIR NEGLIGENCE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
5. I, the parent/guardian, assert that I have explained to my child/ward the risks of the activity, his/her responsibilities for adhering to the rules and regulations, and that my child/ward understands this agreement.

I, FOR MYSELF, MY SPOUSE, AND CHILD/WARD, HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND IT'S TERMS, UNDERSTAND WE HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Print Name

Date Signed: _____

UNDERSTANDING OF RISK

I understand the seriousness of the risks involved in participating in this program, my personal responsibilities for adhering to rules and regulations and accept them as a participant.

Participant Signature

Print Name

Date Signed: _____

PHOTO/VIDEO USE RELEASE

I, _____, hereby grant and authorize, Michael Granstaff, the right to take, edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish, distribute, and make use of any and all photos or video taken of, _____, to be used in/and/or for legal promotional materials including, but not limited to, newsletters, promotional flyers, posters, brochures, advertisements, fundraising letters, annual reports, press kits/submissions to journalists, websites, social networking sites, and all other print and digital communications, without payment or any other consideration. This authorization shall continue indefinitely, unless I otherwise revoke said authorization in writing.

I understand and agree these materials shall become the property of Michael Granstaff.

I hereby hold harmless and release Michael Granstaff from all liability, petitions, and causes of action which I, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators, or any other person may make while acting on my behalf or my estate.

Participant Signature

Date

If the person signing is under the age of consent, this release **MUST** be signed by a parent/guardian as follows:

I, _____ hereby certify that I am the parent/guardian of _____, named above, and do hereby give my consent, without reservation, to the foregoing on behalf of this individual.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date