

Code of Conduct and Liability Release for Student Impact Basketball

Respect, sportsmanship, and self-control are expected from all players, coaches and parents/spectators of this league. Participation in this league is a privilege, which will be jeopardized if respect, sportsmanship and self-control are not exercised.

Liability Release:

The undersigned accepts full responsibility for the above-named participant if under the age of 18 and shall release Westfield Washington Schools, Student Impact, and Pacers Athletic Center, Grand Park, its coaches, officials, commissioner and board of directors from any liability as a result of injuries a child may incur while practicing or playing basketball. The undersigned accepts total responsibility for the participant's safety to and from all practices and games, and while the child is at a league-sponsored event. Parent or guardian acceptance required if participant is less than 18 years of age.

Devotions and Prayer

A brief devotion and prayer will be presented by Student Impact staff, volunteers, or coaches prior to games each week.

Respect

Opponents, players, coaches, captains and officials will be treated with respect. Accepting the decisions of referees, coaches or captains without criticism is an important value held by this league.

Our facilities are provided for our use by Pacers Athletic Center and Westfield Washington Schools. We are their guests and we treat these facilities with the utmost respect.

Sportsmanship

This league encourages hard play, but fair play. Good sportsmanship is highly valued by our league, and unsportsmanlike behavior will not be tolerated.

Self-Control

Emotions are a natural part of participation in any sport. Keeping emotions under control is indispensable in basketball and in all of life. Angry outbursts by players, coaches, captains or spectators will not be tolerated. Participants in this league are also expected to exercise self-control by not using tobacco, alcohol, or illegal drugs. Evidence of using these substances in the playing area or grounds will be cause for immediate dismissal.

Code of Conduct Procedure

Each participant will be given a copy of the code of conduct. League commissioner will review the code of conduct with all coaches or captains. Blatant or repeated violations of the code of conduct will result in the loss of the privilege of full participation in this league. The league

commissioner, in consultation with the coaches or captains will determine the severity of penalties assessed for violating the code of conduct. Violations of the code of conduct deemed to be slight, will receive proper warning. Subsequent violations will be cause for dismissal from the league. Anyone dismissed from the league will forfeit their registration fee.

League Procedures

- Middle School Boys League for 7th & 8th coached by adults.
- 7th-12th Girls League coached by adults.
- 9th-10th Boys League coached by adults.
- Open Boys League coached by senior and possibly junior captains.
 - No players will join a team once the draft is complete, unless approved by the commissioner.
 - o Games will be played with two, twenty-minute halves with a running clock. Three, one-minute time outs per team are available with the clock stopping during a time out.
 - Clock will stop during the last two minutes of a game and during overtime periods.
 - o 1st OT will be 3 minutes, if a 2nd OT is required it will be 2 minutes, 3rd OT will be 1 minute.
 - o IHSAA rules will otherwise be followed.
 - o Each player present must participate in at least half of the contest.

Student/Player Acceptance

The undersigned accepts full responsibility as a participant of Student Impact Basketball and all the procedures, guidelines, and conduct laid out herein.

Eligibility

- 1. Members of a Westfield High School basketball team are not eligible to participate in this league in accordance with IHSAA rules.
- 2. Participants must be full time students of Westfield High School or residents of Washington Township.

(Signature of Participant) Date
I am of legal age and am freely signing this agreement. I have read this form and understand that by signing this form, I am giving up legal rights and remedies.
(Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian if Participant is Under 18) Date

I am the parent or legal guardian of the Volunteer. I am of legal age and am freely signing this agreement. I have read this form and understand that by signing this