PVGASBL PARENT'S LETTER OF COMMITMENT

Behavior of Fans

Parents are committed to lead by example in showing sportsmanship while fans at all Suburban contests. Fans are not permitted to disrupt the game with loud outbursts or verbal abuse. Fans are forbidden from physically abusing officials or other competitors of any game. Failure to comply with these rules can lead to the community's program being suspended from the league.

Support of Coaches as well as Officials

Parents are committed to appropriate behavior in dealing with coaches and officials if a problem or a concern should arise. It should be understood that all of us associated with Suburban basketball have the safety and the well-being of our athletes as our primary concern. Parents are committed to enjoying the ballgame and assisting in the instruction of good sportsmanship. Any discussions between a parent and a coach should take place calmly, in an adult manner and away from the children. Discussions between a parent and an official about a judgment or interpretation should never be required. If a rule of the game or the organization needs explanation, approach the official as time permits and calmly ask if the official can provide the explanation for the rule in question.

Remember that a coach or an official has the right to ask any parent causing a disturbance to leave the game or practice site. If a spectator is asked to leave the gymnasium during a game for causing a disturbance, that fan will be banned from future attendance for a three-game span, a second ejection in the season will lead to a ban for all remaining games in the season and tournament. Refusal to do so can lead to a forfeiture of the game and further ramifications to the program.

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