

# City of Easton Recreation Bureau

## Parental Code of Conduct

As a Parent/Guardian, I am aware and accept that the City of Easton will conduct the sports program with the highest regard for my child's safety and enjoyment. I will not hold the City of Easton responsible for any unforeseen injury that may result while my child is participating in the sport program. I understand that assignment to any particular team is not guaranteed. I also acknowledge that I am responsible for the following:

- Transporting my child to and from practice and games. Coaches are not permitted to transport participants.
- Cleaning and returning all uniforms and /or equipment loaned to my child at season's end or after voluntary or involuntary termination of participation. (Deposits will be forfeited if city owned uniforms are not returned)
- Supporting my child during practices and games by conducting myself in a manner that is worth of my leadership position as a parent/guardian including the following:
  - Encouraging good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches and officials;
  - Refraining from the use of foul or abusive language and/or gestures toward players, coaches, officials, parents;
  - Refraining from the use of any kind of alcohol or drugs on or off the field;
  - Remembering that practice and games are for the children, not the parents; and
  - Assisting, if asked, any coach, player, official or parent.
- Cooperating with the City of Easton and team officials to facilitate the administration of practices and games as follows:
  - No parent/guardian will be permitted on the field at practice unless their child is injured or the parent/guardian is called upon.
  - Have your child at practice 15 minutes early and arrive 15 minutes before practice ends in case the coach needs to speak with you.
  - Adhere to the proper Chain-of-Command for dealing with problems or questions: Coach- Sport Commissioner - Easton Recreation Board - Easton Administration
  - Adhere to the rules of fundraising and team parties
- Failure to adhere to the rules and requests outlined within this Parental Code of Conduct agreement will result in the following actions taken against parent/guardians and/or participants.
  - 1st Offense-Written notice of violation
  - 2nd Offense-Written notice of violation, possible suspension in the event of extreme circumstances
  - 3rd Offense-Termination of participation (over)

As the parent/guardian of a City of Easton Recreation participant I, (print name)

\_\_\_\_\_, have read and understand my responsibilities as outlined above:

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Child's Name(print)

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name (print)

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Mailing Address

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number

\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address

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Emergency Contact Name

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Emergency Number

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:** The Easton Recreation Bureau is actively seeking volunteers to assist and enhance the recreational experience for our children.

Please indicate below if you are willing to volunteer your time for the betterment of the Recreational Programs and a representative will contact you if an opportunity is available:

Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Team Manager \_\_\_\_\_ Scorekeeper \_\_\_\_\_

team mom/dad \_\_\_\_\_ Other as needed \_\_\_\_\_

Please refer all questions to Erik Daly, Recreation Coordinator at 610-250-6711 or edaly@easton-pa.gov