

## Hollis Brookline Basketball Club (HBBC) Parent Code of Conduct

The HBBC Parent Code of Conduct is fundamental to participation in any Hollis Brookline Basketball Club program, team, or event. All parents are always expected to act with sportsmanship, dignity and respect for others, such as coaches, parents, players, and referees.

The behaviors HBBC expects from parents include:

- Treat others in the manner I wish to be treated
- Be a positive role model for my child
- Provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child participating in HBBC programs, teams, or events
- Ensure a safe and healthy sports environment for my child that is free from drugs, tobacco, and alcohol and will refrain from their use at all HBBC events
- Adhere to facility-specific guidelines set by each school in addition to the guidelines set by the NH Department of Health and Human Services (DHSS)
- Support coaches and officials working with my child in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all
- Respect the decisions of coaches, referees, and other game officials without arguing
- Respect the players' and coaches' need for space during and after practices and games and will observe from a safe distance away from courts and outside of bounded areas
- Make every effort to get my child to practices and games on time; if I cannot, I will notify the coach ahead of time

Poor sportsmanship includes:

- Arguing with coaches, referees, officials, players, or spectators
- Using threatening or profane language
- Baiting or taunting coaches, referees, officials, players, or spectators
- Instigating an unsafe playing environment
- Uncontrolled behavior in the spectator area

Poor sportsmanship will carry, at a minimum, the following consequences:

First Offense - Verbal warning

Second Offense - Dismissal from the game/event

Third Offense - Dismissal from the next game/event

Fourth Offense - Dismissal from the team

We, parent(s), have discussed the Hollis Brookline Basketball Club Parent Code of Conduct and agree to abide by it. We understand that there is no refund or recourse for dismissal from our program as a consequence of breaking this Code of Conduct.