



COACHING CONTRACT

I understand that my responsibilities as a coach are of great importance and that my actions have potential to significantly influence the athletes whom I coach. Therefore, I promise to uphold the following rights of athletes to the best of my ability.

- The right to have fun and participate in sports.
- The right to participate in a safe and healthy environment.
- The right to an equal opportunity to strive for success.
- The right to be treated with dignity and respect.
- The right to receive proper preparation in sports

To serve as a coach for the Thomasville Parks and Recreation Department I hereby agree to the following conditions:

1. All of the children on my team will play in all games in which they are in attendance.
2. I will not use profanity at any time in the presence of my team. I will help to curb its use by others as much as possible.
3. I will not use tobacco/alcoholic products at any time during practices or games while within the confines of the playing field or on Thomasville Parks and Recreation Department property.
4. I will respect the official assigned to the game. I will not berate any official in the presence of any player on my team.
5. I will abide by the "five foot radius" rule regarding all officials at all games. I will not make physical contact with any official while in anger or in an attempt to intimidate.
6. I will treat all players, coaches, officials, parents, and fans with respect and dignity.
7. I will serve as an exemplary role model for all children I come into contact with while serving as a coach for the Pickens Recreation Department.

I further agree to the following penalties for violation of the above rules.

- For violation of Rule 1 my team will forfeit the game in which all players in attendance did not participate.
- For violation of Rules 2, 3, 4, and 5. I will serve a suspension during which time I may not participate in or attend practices or games involving my team.
- For violation of Rule 5 I will be permanently suspended for the balance of the season that I serve as coach for Thomasville Parks and Recreation Department.
- All other rule violations are subject to forfeiture, suspension, or removal as a coach at the discretion of the Director of Thomasville Parks and Recreation Department.



Sport

Year

Coach's Signature

Date

Return signed contract to Athletic Director