

Youth Volleyball Coach Code of Conduct and Ethics Pledge

- I will remember that I am a youth sports coach and that the game is for children.
- I will place the emotional, physical and academic well being of my players ahead of a personal desire to win.
- I will treat each player as an individual remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for the same age group.
- I will be knowledgeable of the rules of the sport I coach and will teach these rules to my players.
- I will do my best to provide a safe playing environment for my players.
- I will do my best to organize practices that are fun and challenging for all my players.
- I will provide a sports environment for my team that is free of drugs, tobacco and alcohol and I will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.
- I will review and practice the basic first aid principles needed to treat injuries to my players.
- My assistant coaches and I will lead by example in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship to all players.
- I will remind my team and fans to always exhibit good sportsmanship.
- I will adhere to the Zero Tolerance Policies set forth by Portland Parks & Recreation.

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Coach Name (Please Print)	Coach Signature		
Assistant Coach Name (<i>Please Print</i>)	Assistant Coach Signature		
School and Team Name	Grade	Boys/Girls	Date

These codes were developed with assistance from the National Alliance for Youth Sports and the National Youth Sports Coaches Association. Keep a copy of this Code of Conduct for your files.

