



"PLAYER OATH"

I, _____, understand that my personal success and development as a basketball player depends on my total commitment and respect for the sport of basketball, my coach, the team, and the Team Richmond Association. I will refrain from the use of profanity or obscene gestures, and will not damage, vandalize or destroy property during practice sessions or at game sites. I understand that it is my responsibility to attend practices and games fully prepared and in a timely manner. While attending practices, I promise to give the coaches my full undivided attention, and allow others to do the same without distraction. I will focus on improving my individual and team skills while always striving to build my knowledge of the game. I will maintain a positive attitude, even when events are not the way I think or wish them to be. I will encourage my teammates, and will practice good sportsmanship regardless of the game's outcome. I realize that my commitment and hard work will make my teammates better, and will contribute to the dynamic bond and success of the team.

My signature below indicates my understanding and acceptance of the duties outlined above, and I pledge to adhere to them so that I may represent my team, my coach, Team Richmond, my family and myself to the best of my abilities.

Signature of Athlete Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

Signature of Coach Date