

## **RIVER FOREST PARK DISTRICT COACHES PLEDGE**

***\*\*Your volunteer experience is not insured until this pledge is read and signed; Failure to abide by this pledge may result in asking for your resignation as Coach.***

- **I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and referees at every game or practice.**
- **I will place the emotional and physical well being of all participating players ahead of my personal desire to win.**
- **I will guarantee that each child play in a safe and healthy environment.**
- **I will insist that my team treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect regardless of ability, race, sex or creed.**
- **I will do my very best to make the experience fun for everyone.**
- **I will be realistic about my players' physical ability.**
- **I promise to set realistic goals and help my players to set realistic goals for themselves.**
- **I will emphasize improved performance, not winning.**
- **I will control my emotions at games and practices.**
- **I will be sensible and responsible; there is a lot more at stake than a win/loss record.**
- **I will be a positive role model.**

***I have read the above Coaches Pledge and agree to abide by it.***

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**\*\* Signature of Coach**

**Print Name**

**Date**