

## YOUTH PLAYER CONTRACT

SPORT \_\_\_\_\_ ORGANIZATION \_\_\_\_\_ AGE GROUP \_\_\_\_\_ COACH'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PLAYER'S LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PLAYER'S FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

PLAYER'S STREET ADDRESS / CITY / STATE / ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ NAME OF SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

- 1 Did you play **this sport** last year in an Anne Arundel County Recreation & Parks league?  YES  NO
- 2 Are you playing this sport for the same organization?  YES  NO

If you played in an Anne Arundel County Recreation & Parks sponsored league last year for a different organization (answered Yes to Question 1 and No to Question 2), you must attach a player release form for this contract to be valid.

PLAYER

- 1 Respect the game, play fairly and follow it's rules and regulations.
- 2 Show respect for authority to the officials of the game and of the league.
- 3 Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during and after games.
- 4 Help parents and fans understand the league philosophy so they can watch and enjoy the game.
- 5 Be courteous to opposing teams and treat all players and coaches with respect.
- 6 Be modest when successful and be gracious in defeat.
- 7 Respect the privilege of the use of public facilities.
- 8 Refrain from the use of drugs, tobacco, alcohol and abusive language.
- 9 I acknowledge that I have read the A.A. County Department of Recreation & Parks Concussion Awareness Form found on-line at [www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/sports](http://www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/sports).

PLAYER'S SIGNATURE

DATE SIGNED

PARENT/GUARDIAN

**PARENTS PLEDGE:** *I recognize that parents are the most important role models for their children and that amateur athletics help to develop a sense of teamwork, self worth and sportsmanship. I encourage my child to play by the rules and respect the rights of other. I understand it is important to enforce rules of play and set conduct standards as necessary components in athletics and life. I will at all times encourage my child to play by the rules, respect the game officials' decisions and not criticize a game official's ruling during or after an athletic contest.*

**CODE OF CONDUCT:** *As a Parent, I agree to abide by the following.*

- 1 Encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, fans and officials at games, practices and other sporting events.
- 2 Place the well being of my child before a personal desire to win.
- 3 Advocate a sports environment for my child that is free of drugs, tobacco, alcohol and abusive language, and refrain from their use during youth sporting events.
- 4 Encourage my child to play by the rules and respect the rights of other players, coaches, fans and officials.
- 5 I acknowledge that I have read the A.A. County Department of Recreation & Parks Concussion Awareness Form found on-line at [www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/sports](http://www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/sports).

**PARENTS PERMISSION:** *I give my permission for my child to play with the above team and hereby agree to release & discharge Anne Arundel County, its employees, and agents from any injuries sustained by my child/myself as a result of participation or while traveling to/from games. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless Anne Arundel County, its employees and agents against any liability incurred as a result of such injury or loss. I acknowledge that from time to time myself or my child may be photographed.*

PARENT'S SIGNATURE

DATE SIGNED

PHONE NUMBER

**Mid-Atlantic Recreation & Parks Sports Alliance:** *Failure to comply with the above standards may result in disciplinary actions by the following member organizations - City of Alexandria, Carroll County, Frederick County, City of Gaithersburg, Howard County, Kent County, Montgomery County, Town of Ocean City, Prince Georges County, Queen Anne's County, City of Rockville, Softball Umpires of MD, USSSA (United States Specialty Sports Association), Wicomico County*