Anne Arundel RECREATION AND PARKS
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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

PLAYER'S AGREEMENT: *I agree to play with the above team during the upcoming season or until I have completed a release request with the Recreation & Parks Department*

CODE OF CONDUCT: *As a Player, I understand that I must follow these rules to stay in good standing.*

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.

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.
6. I acknowledge that I have read the A.A. County "Not My Child" Prevention Education information found on-line at the www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/sports.

PARENTS PERMISSION: *I give my permission for my child to play with the above team and hereby waive any and all claims against the Department of Recreation & Parks, its employees or other persons affiliated with the league, from injuries sustained as a participant or while traveling to/from a game.*

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, City of Annapolis, Anne Arundel County, Baltimore County, City of Baltimore, Charles County, Frederick County, City of Gaithersburg, Harford County, Howard County, Kent County, Montgomery County, Town of Ocean City, Prince Georges County, Queen Anne's County, City of Rockville, St. Mary's County, Softball Umpires of MD, USSSA (United States Speciality Sports Association), Wicomico County, Worcester County*