

# NLP TRAVEL TEAMS

NLP would like to thank you for joining us on this basketball journey. We sincerely appreciate the opportunity to help guide all participants to be the best they can be. Our goal is to GET BETTER! Every day, we want to get a little better, every practice, and every game. We strive to get better as coaches and we demand that all participants get better individually and as a team.

Travel ball is a huge commitment by not only the players but also the parents. In order to compete, we need to be prepared for the tough road ahead which means that parents and players must sacrifice. We expect all participants to be ALL IN, meaning, they are completely 100% committed to the success of the team and the player (in that order).

In order to participate in the program, certain requirements must be fulfilled:

## **Requirement #1**

Must be in good standing at home and in School (minimum 2.5 GPA).

## **Requirement #2**

Come with an attitude ready to learn and have fun. Any participants deemed disruptive will be removed from program.

## **Requirement #3**

Must be coachable.

(Health: All health concerns should be addressed during enrollment. If we find that a child is not healthy enough to participate, we reserve the right to dismiss your child.)

# NLP Parent's/Player's Code of Conduct

The purpose of this Code of Conduct is to set the standard of behavior required of every parent/legal guardian and NLP Basketball player to ensure the participant, and their teammates: (i) enjoy their experience of playing basketball for NLP; (ii) improve as basket ball players; and (iii) assist their team to improve. All parents/guardians and players MUST sign and abide by this Code.

## **Every NLP Basketball parent or guardian must at all times:**

- Encourage their child to participate in their NLP Basketball team for the player's own enjoyment (not the parents).
- Encourage their child to always play by the rules.
- Accept all decisions of the referees and refrain from criticism or abuse.
- Refrain from criticizing their own, or other, children in front of others.
- Applaud good play by all players on the NLP Basketball team.
- Set a good example to their child by their own conduct.
- Refrain from sideline coaching to the point of distracting the player.
- Accept that court time is not guaranteed for their child.

PARENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Every NLP Basketball player must at all times:**

- Encourage their child to participate in their NLP Basketball team for the players own enjoyment (not the parents).
- Be a team player and get along with my teammates.
- Come to practice and games with a positive attitude and enthusiasm to learn.
- Be at least 10mins early for practices and 30 minutes early before games.
- Demonstrate good sportsmanship, whether my team wins or loses.
- Respect my coach, teammates, parents, opponents and officials to your coaches.
- Respect my practice time and never be a distraction for my teammates and coaches.

PLAYER SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_