

NAYS Code of Ethics for Coaches

I will place the emotional and physical well being of my players ahead of a personal desire to win.

I will treat each player as an individual, remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for the same age group.

I will do my best to provide a safe playing situation for my players.

I will promise to review and practice basic first aid principles needed to treat injuries of my players.

I will do my best to organize practices that are fun and challenging for all my players.

I will lead by example in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship to all my players.

I will provide a sports environment for my team that is free of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol, and I will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.

I will be knowledgeable in the rules of each sport that I coach, and I will teach these rules to my players.

I will use those coaching techniques appropriate for all of the skills that I teach.

I will remember that I am a youth sports coach, and that the game is for children and not adults.

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**CITY OF BRECKSVILLE—DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION
VOLUNTEER COACHES APPLICATION
(139.09 Codified Ordinances)**

This form is to be completed by all persons who are interested in volunteering as a coach for any of the City of Brecksville Athletic Leagues. **Please return this application to the Community Center to the attention of the Athletic Director.** We hope that you understand the City's commitment to doing all that can be done to help ensure the safety of our participants. Thank you for your patience and understanding in this matter.

Volunteer Information:

First Name: _____ M.I. _____ Last Name: _____

Alias, if any: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Address:

Street

City

State

Zip Code

Coach and League Information:

Sport you wish to coach: _____ Today's Date: _____

Do you wish to be a Head Coach or an Asst. Coach? _____

League/Division/Grade you wish to coach? : _____ Boys/Girls/Both: _____

Is your son or daughter in this same league? YES NO Number of sons/daughters in league: _____

Are you currently a member of the National Youth Sports Coaches Association (NYSCA)? YES NO

If yes, in what Sports do you hold your NYSCA Certification? _____

Code of Ethics for Coaches:

We ask all coaches to abide by the National Alliance for Youth Sports Code of Ethics for Coaches. Please take the time to review the Code of Ethics found on the back of this form.

Agreement:

I agree to abide by all laws and policies of the Recreation Department of the City of Brecksville. I also expressly authorize and permit the City of Brecksville to conduct or arrange to be conducted a criminal background investigation and understanding that any information revealed by this investigation may result in my being ineligible to coach, manage, instruct or otherwise participate in any recreational sports programs or activities sponsored by the City of Brecksville. I further understand and agree that any decision made by the City of Brecksville to find me ineligible to participate as described above is final and binding upon me and I further agree to hold the City of Brecksville, its employees and agents harmless from any and all liability which may arise as a result of this investigation and any decision made concerning my eligibility. I further understand that the release of any information on this application and/or investigation report shall be subject to the provisions contained in Section 149.43 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Signature: _____ Date: _____