

Native Stars Basketball

Player / Parent Expectation and Responsibilities

All NSB players/parents must read and sign this agreement that states what is expected of them. It also explains the results if these expectations and responsibilities are not met. Here is our NSB agreement.

1. **SCHOOL COMES FIRST.** Your good grades come before basketball. Do your homework and study when you are suppose to. Do not wait until the last minute to do your homework. "If you don't make good grades, you can't participate in the NSB program. Bad Grades will make you ineligible to play in your school team".
2. **ALL SESSIONS ARE REQUIRED.** The NSB coaching staff expect players to show up to scheduled workouts/practices and games on time. All NSB players must wear plain black shorts and NSB T-shirt or NSB jerseys to workouts/practices and games. It is a sign of disrespect to your coaches and your team for you to show up late and disrupt a workout/practice or game that has already started. We know that circumstances may arise where you must miss a workout/practice session or a game. When this occurs, the player must inform Coach Largo of the nature and date of the absence. Excused absences include family business, personal illness, personal injury, family emergencies and family vacations.
3. **EXCESSIVE ABSENTEEISM.** Excessive absenteeism will not be tolerated in our NSB program. Each player will be limited to two unexcused absences. First unexcused absence will result in a verbal reminder. Second unexcused absence will result in a dismissal from the NSB program.
4. **RESPONSIBILITIES.** Each player is responsible for providing a copy of their Birth Certificate, a copy of their student photo ID, a signed "Expectations and Responsibilities agreement form, medical release and insurance information form and any additional required forms. Furthermore, each player is responsible for paying their share of the gym rental fees, uniform fees, tournament fees and any other additional fees.
5. **TOURNAMENT GAMES.** Playing time is not guaranteed. All playing time is a decision made by the NSB coaching staff. Playing time is based on the following criteria: The player's commitment to attend all scheduled practices and games, the player's commitment to work hard at practice, the player's commitment to playing team basketball and "Not Me Ball", the player's willingness to be coach-able and the player's intensity and effort on the court during games. The player's who work the hardest, show the most commitment, loyalty and respect for the team will earn playing time.
6. **RESPECT AND COURTESY.** Our player's will treat everyone with respect and courtesy. Behavior that puts other players or coaches down, having a bad attitude, not being coach-able, not being loyal to the program, results in profanity, or demonstrates lack of self-control will not be tolerated in our NSB program. Any instance of this behavior will result in the player being asked to leave the NSB program.
7. **DISRESPECT ON THE COURT.** It will be considered showing disrespect to your NSB team members if you do not do your part and listen to what the coach is asking of you on the court. Each NSB player has an important role on the NSB team and is expected to do their best to fulfill their role on the NSB team.
8. **SIDE LINE COACHING:** Parents please do not coach your child from the sidelines. The NSB coaching staff have drills, plays and strategies they are teaching the players. Sideline coaching just distracts your child and it is not fair for the rest of the NSB team when your child messes up the drill or play because they are listening to a parent instead of the NSB coaches. Please show respect for other teams, coaches and officials. Please do not embarrass yourself and your child by being negative or critical. Please be positive and support your child and our NSB basketball program.

I agree to abide by the expectation describe on this sheet.

Player: (print) _____ Sign: _____ Date: _____

Parents: (print) _____ Sign: _____ Date: _____