



Hooked on Sports

Athletic Enrichment Programs



Participant Registration Form

Child's Information		BCPS ID#	
First:	Middle Initial:	Last:	Suffix:
Birth Date: / /	Grade:	Age:	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F
Race:	<input type="checkbox"/> African-American or Black <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian/White	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Hawaiian / Pacific Islander	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> Biracial <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Current School			
Parent/Legal Guardian Information			
First:	Middle Initial:	Last:	Suffix:
Relation to Student <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Grandmother <input type="checkbox"/> Grandfather <input type="checkbox"/> Aunt <input type="checkbox"/> Uncle <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian			
Street Address:		Apartment/Unit Number:	
City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Phone #s	Day: () -	Evening: () -	Cell: () -
Email Address:		Would you like to receive our e-newsletter? <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	
Emergency Contact			
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Home Phone: () -		Work Phone: () -	
Cell Phone () -			
Additional Child Information			
Does your child receive free or reduced cost lunch? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Does your child receive special education services during the school year? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Household Family Status:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Single Household- Mother		<input type="checkbox"/> Single Household- Father	
<input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian- Relative		<input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian -Non Relative	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Relative		<input type="checkbox"/> Other Non Relative	
Does the family receive TANF? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Child's Medical Information			
Does the above listed student have medical insurance? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Please note that if y our child does not have medical coverage he or she cannot participate			
Has your child had all his/her immunizations required by the MD State Dept. of Health and Mental Hygiene? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Family Physician Name:		Telephone: ()	Fax: ()
What was the date of his/her last tetanus shot (month and year)? _____			
Has your child had a physical within the past 12 months? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			

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Please read the information below before signing this registration form

I am the parent/guardian of the above named minor and verify that he/she is physically fit and has my permission to participate in Parks & People Foundation's Hooked on Sports Program (HOS), and that I am obligated to maintain appropriate medical coverage for my child while participating in the HOS program. I will notify the HOS if such coverage lapses. I understand that my child must maintain a 75 % Grade point average and a 90% school attendance record, show an effort to improve his/her grades and exhibit good citizenship. I also understand that my child's school grades and attendance records will be provided to the Parks & People Foundation as a result of their participation in the HOS program.

I also give permission for my child to travel by school bus/van to all special events and matches/games sponsored by the HOS program when required. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, Baltimore City Department of Education, Baltimore City Department of Recreation & Parks, and Parks & People Foundation, their servants, agents and employees and any other individual working on behalf of Hooked on Sports program from claims, demands and judgments arising as a result of games, practices, special events, or required travel at any time my child is participating in the HOS. I also understand that photographs, films, and/or videos may be taken of program participants and I give my consent to copyright or publish any pictures in which my child appears as a part of the HOS program. Confidentiality of all student records, in compliance with federal and state laws, shall be maintained by Parks & People and the Baltimore City Public School System for the mutual disclosure of student educational, medical and psychological records between their employees, agents, volunteers and contractors.

I acknowledge, understand and agree to the conditions of my child's participation as stated in this consent form.

Parent/ Guardian's Printed name: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____



Tips for Parents To Support Their Student-Athletes

Taken from the Positive Coaching Alliance website
<http://www.positivecoach.org/subcontent.aspx?SecID=153>

Guidelines for Honoring the Game

The key to preventing adult misbehavior in youth sports is a youth sports culture in which all involved "Honor the Game." Honoring the Game gets to the ROOTS of the matter and involves respect for the Rules, Opponents, Officials, Teammates and one's Self. You don't bend the rules to win. You understand that a worthy opponent is a gift that forces you to play to your highest potential. You show respect for officials even when you disagree. You refuse to do anything that embarrasses your team. You live up to your own standards even if others don't. Here are ways that **parents** can create a positive youth sports culture so that children will have fun and learn positive character traits to last a lifetime.

Before the Game:

1. Make a commitment to Honor the Game in action and language no matter what others may do.
2. Tell your child before each game that you are proud of him or her regardless of how well he or she plays.

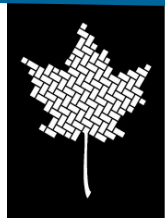
During the Game:

1. Fill your children's "Emotional Tank" through praise and positive recognition so they can play their very best.
2. Don't give instructions to your child during the game. Let the coach correct player mistakes.
3. Cheer good plays by both teams (this is advanced behavior!)
4. Mention good calls by the official to other parents.
5. If an official makes a "bad" call against your team? Honor the Game—BE SILENT!
6. If another parent on your team yells at an official? Gently remind him or her to Honor the Game.
7. Don't do anything in the heat of the moment that you will regret after the game. Ask yourself, "Will this embarrass my child or the team?"
8. Remember to have fun! Enjoy the game.

After the Game:

1. Thank the officials for doing a difficult job for little or no pay.
2. Thank the coaches for their commitment and effort.
3. Don't give advice. Instead ask your child what he or she thought about the game and then LISTEN. Listening fills Emotional Tanks.
4. Tell your child again that you are proud of him or her, whether the team won or lost.





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HOOKED ON SPORTS PARENT'S PLEDGE AND CODE OF CONDUCT

The Parks & People Foundation's Hooked on Sports program strives to instill the values of **Sportsmanship, Teamwork, Respect** and **Healthy Physical Activity** in its participants. The activities are structured to foster **Academic Success, Confidence, and Leadership** through participation in athletics.

We asked that all parents / guardians, family members and friends of our participants pledge the following:

- ✓ To act as a positive role model by encouraging sportsmanship and demonstrating respect and courtesy for coaches, participants and game officials.
- ✓ To understanding that it is more important for my child to put forth their best effort rather than concerns about winning or losing.
- ✓ To respect the facilities at our opponents' grounds as well as all our home facilities.
- ✓ To take an active role supporting the learning process of my child while he/she develops their knowledge and skills required for play.



Expectations and Disciplinary Actions



The following are the expectations and disciplinary actions the Parks & People Foundation will take:

- a) Inappropriate or disrespectful behavior by or towards players, coaches, parents, officials or spectators will not be tolerated. Inappropriate or disrespectful behavior includes but is not limited to Assault, Harassment, Racial & Religious Violence, Sexual Harassment, Sexual Violence, Taunting, Showboating, Vandalism, Inappropriate Language
- b) Players, parents/spectators, coaches and officials shall abide by the Rules set forth by Parks & People Foundation.

Prior to the beginning of each season of play, the parent(s) or legal guardian of each participating child will be required to sign the Hooked on Sports Parents' Pledge and Code of Conduct. Players may be considered ineligible to participate until completed forms have been turned in to the head coach.

Any player, parent, coach, official or spectator involved in disruptive, abusive or otherwise "bad" behavior will be disciplined by the appropriate person, be it the coach, the official, or the Sports Program Coordinator for that particular sport.

As the parent/guardian of a youth participant in Parks & People Foundation's Hooked on Sports program, I agree to embody and uphold the principles as listed above. I understand that should it be found that as a spectator/guest or if any of my friends/family members that attend a Hooked on Sports event fails to demonstrate any of these principles, I / they may be asked to remove myself / themselves from the practice, scrimmage or game.

I also understand that if I continue to break any of these principles on multiple occasions that I may be banned from all Hooked on Sports competition for the duration of 1 game that could extend to an entire season. It may result in my or my child's removal from that event. In addition it may also be grounds to cause the forfeiture of the contest by my child's school team.

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Child's Name: _____

Sport: _____

School Team: _____

