



## COACHES COMMITMENT

I, \_\_\_\_\_, as a coach of the Grayson Athletic Association agree to adhere to the following statements as a condition of my tenure at Bay Creek Park:

**WHEREAS**, I understand that I will remember that I am a youth coach, and will not allow any abusive, demeaning or any other language that will harm a child's self esteem.

**WHEREAS**, I will not tolerate any physical abuse to any child and allow it to go unreported.

**WHEREAS**, I will instill in my players good sportsmanship, citizenship and respect for others, including players and coaches of opposing teams and officials, on and off the field.

**WHEREAS**, I will remember that coaching at G.A.A. is a *privilege*, not a right, and should be taken seriously.

**WHEREAS**, I will remember that I make an impact on each and every athlete by my actions and spoken words. I will also remember that the best interests of the children come first.

**WHEREAS**, I will make every effort to be at all practices and games.

**WHEREAS**, I will attend all mandatory meetings, clinics and any other related functions.

**WHEREAS**, I will oversee that all practices, games and related functions are free from alcohol, tobacco and tobacco products, drugs, profanity and lewd behavior on and off the field.

**WHEREAS**, I will take full responsibility that each player gets his required minimum playing time.

**WHEREAS**, I will allow G.A.A. to do a background check on myself with regards to issues of moral turpitude and that I will disclose any and all issues that may be construed by the board as questionable.

**WHEREAS**, I understand that, not only do I represent myself and/or my team, but I also represent Bay Creek Park, its coaches, the Executive Board and others associated with the Grayson Athletic Association.

**WHEREAS**, I will remember that the G.A.A. rules and Bylaws and its Code of Conduct govern me. Failing to abide by these can result in probation, suspension or expulsion from any or all G.A.A. functions.

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Signature

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Printed Name

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Date