

# BASKETBALL AND CHEERLEADING LEAGUE

# PARENT GUIDE

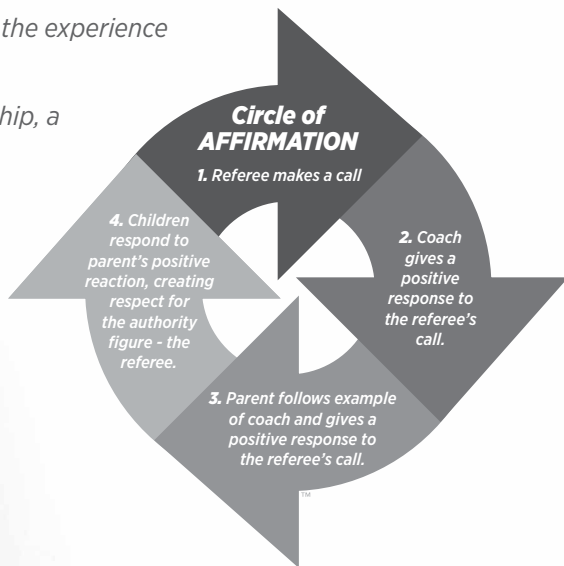
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## Thank you for joining us for this season!

We hope you will find this to be a great experience for your young athlete. **Remember: you play an essential role in the full community that is this league.** We are all working together to make it a great experience for all participants who are learning, growing and competing!

**Let players play, coaches coach, and officials officiate while you encourage through positive action and words!**

- » *Your actions and reactions to what takes place on the court have a lasting impact on players and coaches, referees and other spectators.*
- » *The circle of affirmation makes the experience better for everyone.*
- » *The results are fun, sportsmanship, a competitive spirit and learning.*



# LIFE PRINCIPLES

Every three weeks your young athlete will hear about a new life principle and a bible verse that goes with it. We've also included a few questions as a way for you to find out more from your child.

## Commitment

Making a plan and putting it into practice.

### VERSE:

*"Training the body has some value. But being godly has value in every way. It promises help for the life you are now living and the life to come."*

- 1 Timothy 4:8a (NirV)

### QUESTION:

What are some things we can commit to talking to God about?

## Self-Control

Choosing to do what you should do, not what you want to do.

### VERSE:

*"A person without self-control is like a city whose walls are broken through."*

- Proverbs 25:28 (NirV)

### QUESTION:

Do you remember a time when you saw someone practice self-control?

## Joy

Finding a way to be happy when things don't go your way.

### VERSE:

*"Always be joyful because you belong to the Lord. I will say it again. Be joyful."*

- Philippians 4:4 (NirV)

### QUESTION:

What are some ways people trust God for their joy even when things are hard?

## Love

*"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."*

- John 3:16 (NIV)

## GAME DAY STARS



Effort



Leadership



Cheers



Spirit



Christlikeness

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