

PLAYER CONTRACT

Penn View provides a variety of athletic opportunities for students to develop, test and display their skills. Participation should result in growth for the athlete, coach, and school in the following areas:

- a) To build a team that progressively works toward fulfilling its potential and models excellence in its performance.
- b) To provide opportunities for character refinement for each player. This can occur in a variety of ways, depending upon the individual:
 - Experiencing goal setting and achievement.
 - Demonstrating respect for authority.
 - Learning poise and emotional control under pressure.
 - Showing maximum effort and a desire to improve.
 - Learning leadership skills and taking initiative.
 - Demonstrating loyalty to team goals above individual aspirations.

Academic Expectations

Each student athlete's academic performance will be monitored on a weekly basis in accordance with PIAA guidelines.

Each week, faculty members will report to the athletic director names of student-athletes/managers with failing grades.

- a) Athletes/managers must be passing at least five (5) subjects as of each Friday during a grading period. If an athlete/manager fails to meet this requirement, the athlete/manager will lose his/her eligibility for the following week (Monday through Saturday).
- b) Athletes/managers must have passed at least five (5) subjects during the previous grading period. Eligibility for the first grading period is based on the athlete's/manager's final grades for the preceding school year. If an athlete/manager fails to meet this requirement, the athlete/manager will lose eligibility for the first 15 school days following the issue date of a grade card.
- c) If academically ineligible, athletes/managers may practice but are not eligible to play in scheduled events.

Citizenship Expectations

- a) Athletes/managers are expected to be:
 - cooperative in class
 - respectful to teachers and staff
 - respectful to other students
 - respectful to school property

- b) If a problem occurs related to citizenship, the Athletic Director and Middle School Principal will determine the disciplinary actions needed.

- c) Athletes/managers must not use or be in possession of alcohol, tobacco, or illegal drugs. Athletes involved with any of the above will automatically be removed from the team for the remainder of that particular sports season.

Parental Expectations

- a) Athletes appreciate parental support. Please encourage your athlete by attending sporting events and activities.

- b) Athletes must be in school by 11:00 a.m. to practice or participate in athletic events.

- c) Parents must provide transportation for their athlete after practices and games. Parents should be prompt and car-pooling is encouraged.

- d) Please provide a signed note for the coach if your athlete is not returning on the team bus from an "away" game.

Other Expectations

If an athlete forgets a uniform, please inform the Athletic Director. If an extra uniform is available, the athlete will be permitted to borrow it.

Detach and return bottom portion to your coach or the athletic director.

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PLAYER CONTRACT AGREEMENT FORM

Each athlete and his/her parents are asked to sign below. Your signature indicates that you understand and are committed to the Player Contract.

Player Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date