

## RLAPD Youth Basketball Coaches Application

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This application is for:  Head Coach  Assistant Coach

Grade Level:  1/2 Grade  3/4 Grade  5/6 Grade  7/8 Grade  
\*Practice on Mondays \*Practice on Tuesdays \*Practice on Thursdays \*Practice on Mondays

Do you have a child in the program?  Yes  No

If yes, what is your child(ren)'s name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size:  AS  AM  AL  AXL  AXXL  A3XL

Player Request: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Coaches may request 1 player to be on their team other than their own child (if applicable).*

1) Summarize any specific skills or qualifications you have acquired from employment, previous volunteer work, or through other activities, including hobbies or sports.

2) Summarize your previous volunteer experience.

3) Why would you like to coach youth basketball?

## Code of Ethics for Youth Basketball Coaches

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1. At all times and in all circumstances, treat all young people with dignity.
2. Make practices and games FUN!
3. Teach sport skills to all players, not just the gifted ones.
4. Encourage, reward, and praise the youth athletes.
5. Remember that effort is more important than results.
6. Set realistic goals with your players.
7. Ensure playing areas are safe before play.
8. Permit athletes to share in the leadership and decision making for your team, including team rules.
9. Be the team leader and continuously set a positive, fair and good sportsmanship example for young athletes.
10. Continue to learn about young people and how to help them develop their potential.
11. Accept the attitude that the dignity of the youngsters is far more important than the “win at all costs” perspective.
12. HAVE FUN and BE POSITIVE!

*I understand all statements above and the obligations/responsibilities of being a youth basketball coach.*

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(Signature)

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(Date)

*Thank you for your interest in being a volunteer coach!*

*Please return this form to Doug Bundy by email ([Doug\\_Bundy@rlapd.org](mailto:Doug_Bundy@rlapd.org))  
or to the Robert W. Rolek Community Center: 814 Hart Road, Round Lake, IL 60073*