

Germantown Girls Basketball Code of Conduct

Club Mission:

This Germantown Girls Youth Basketball Club was formed to promote and teach the game of basketball to girls within the Germantown Wisconsin area. We are dedicated to creating a positive environment in which girls develop both athletically and personally while playing basketball at a competitive level.

Expectations of the Players

1. Players are expected to be courteous in words and action.
2. Playing time must be earned through hard work and a commitment to improve your basketball skills.
3. Players must arrive ready to start practice on time. 5 minutes prior to practice is considered on time.
4. Players must be prepared with a complete uniform and all gear required to participate (practices and games).
5. Players must show respect for all fans, refs, club players, opponents, and opposing coaches.

Expectations of the Coaches

1. Coaches will create a positive environment where the players can develop both personally and athletically.
2. Skills development is a core focus, preparing the player for the next step is an important club goal.
3. Coaches will engage the parents but they will ultimately decide the course of their team including but not limited to: practices, tournaments/league participation, lineup and playing time, and team activities.
4. Coaches are responsible for communication within the team of any and all games, schedule, changes, etc.
5. Coaches will lead by example, showing respect for all fans, refs, club players, opponents, and opposing coaches.

Expectations of the Parents

1. This experience is about the players, not the parents.
2. Teach your child to be an advocate for themselves. The expectation is that the child talks to the coach if they are having an issue or don't understand something. If the situation is not resolved, the parent can certainly speak with the coaching staff in a private setting by setting up an appointment. Approaching coaches before, during, or after a practice or game is not appropriate.
3. We ask that non-coaching parents do not sit in practice, but are welcome to come in the gym the last 15 minutes before pickup. This allows your child the opportunity to have fun, learn, and make mistakes without any added pressures or distractions.
4. Maintain a positive attitude and encourage that same positive attitude in your child at all team events. Take the pressure off. The main goal is to improve skills and character, winning is secondary.
5. Communicate in advance in the event that your child will miss or be late for practice or a competition.
6. Parents should lead by example, showing respect for all fans, refs, club players, opponents, and opposing coaches.

Our goal is to be a first class program both on and off the court. This includes the actions of coaches, players, and parents.

Player Signature

Parent Signature

Printed Date

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