



OWEGO-APALACHIN BASKETBALL CLUB



Code of Conduct

The Owego-Apalachin Basketball Club is committed to the long-term development of our youth basketball players as well-rounded athletes, and productive and respected members of our community. Therefore, we expect each player, coach and parent/guardian and any invited guests to help us follow the Tribe Code of Conduct and to help enforce these values of character development, teamwork, discipline, respect and sportsmanship.

Player Code of Conduct

- Maintain good grades in school
- Be a team player and show positive support for your teammates and all OABC teams on and off the court
- Attend and be on time for all practices/games
- Dress in full uniform for all games with jerseys tucked in
- Show up ready to practice/play and give 100% at all practices/games
- Give notice if you have to miss a practice or game and understand that it may affect playing time
- Understand that playing time is earned and based on experience, attitude, attendance and ability
- All OABC related social media posts must be positive and support the OABC's mission and goals
- Respect the game, play fairly and follow the rules
- Respect the officials, never argue calls and accept personal responsibility for all fouls issued
- Respect and be courteous to opposing teams players, coaches and fans
- Respect all facilities and clean up bottles, personal belongings and trash at practices/games
- Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during and after all practices/games
- Have fun, be humble when successful, gracious in defeat and always maintain a positive attitude

Coaches Code of Conduct

- Lead by example and treat all players fairly and equally
- Show positive support for all players, coaches, fans, officials and all OABC teams at practices/games
- Attend and be on time for all practices/games and coaches meetings
- Show up prepared and ready to coach and give 100% at all practices/games
- Give notice if you have to cancel/change a practice/game
- Maintain an open line of communication with players and their parents/guardians
- Be considerate of other teams practicing/playing before you or after you
- All OABC related social media posts must be positive and support the OABC's mission and goals
- Respect the game, play fairly and follow the rules
- Respect the officials, never argue calls and accept their decisions
- Respect and be courteous to opposing teams players, coaches and fans
- Respect all facilities and clean up bottles, personal belongings and trash at practices/games
- Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during and after all practices/games
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Parent/Guardian/Guest Code of Conduct

- Show positive support for all players, coaches, fans and officials at practices/games
- Make sure your child attends and is on time for all practices/games and is picked up on time
- Make sure your child shows up prepared and ready to practice/play
- Give notice if your child has to miss a practice/game and understand that it may affect playing time
- Understand that playing time is earned and based on experience, attitude, attendance and ability
- Address any issues with the coach after a mandatory 24 hour "cool down" period. NEVER before, during or after a practice/game
- Report to the coach all injuries, special medical conditions (such as asthma) or extenuating circumstances that may affect the player
- All OABC related social media posts must be positive and support the OABC's mission and goals
- Respect the game and make sure you understand the rules
- Respect the officials, never argue calls and accept their decisions
- Respect and be courteous to opposing teams players, coaches and fans
- Refrain from coaching any player from the sidelines during practices/games
- Respect all facilities and make sure your child cleans up bottles, personal belongings and trash at practices/games
- Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during and after all practices /games
- Have fun, be humble when successful, gracious in defeat and always maintain a positive attitude