



## Peaceful & Recreational Basketball & Flag Football Leagues

### RELEASE FORM

*All players must turn this in to lead official at your first game or fax to (503) 213-5926 prior to the first game*

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Player Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Contact #'s: Hm: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Wk: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> email address: \_\_\_\_\_ (please print)

Alt. email address: \_\_\_\_\_ (please print)

**NOTE: It is to your advantage to have your email address in our system, so that we can send you schedules and changes more efficiently. We do not sell or disclose any personal information.**

1. I realize that confrontations, yelling, and any sort of anger are strictly prohibited. If any sort of conflict arises I will not confront the situation, but rather, remove myself from the situation immediately, even if that means leaving the game. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
2. I realize that Peaceful & Recreational Athletics, Inc. is running the league, not the gym or school being used. In fact, the gym or school has nothing to do with this league. *For example, Salvation Army (merely a gym being used) has nothing to do with this league, and in no way can be held liable.* (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
3. I realize that I may be suspended from league play and that even though this is a 'pay per play' league, suspensions will carry no refund. Even if I do not like a particular referee, I will accept their authority. Even if I disrespect the referee and/or disrespect his or her calls, I will still accept the authority of the referee, because someone *has to be* in charge. If the problem is bad enough, I will call the director, but I will not take matters into my own hands. I realize there will be imperfections in this recreational league. I realize that the referees will have almost 100% of the description of an unsportsmanlike incident to the league director, if there is an incident. I also realize that players' input is only valid on an appeal of a suspension, if there is a videotape of the incident. I agree to all these items in release point #3. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
4. I realize that this league is based on High School federation rules with minor variations for recreational play. These variations discourage conflict and anger. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
5. I assume responsibility for my actions/words/behavior. I realize that the referees have a duty to give certain technical fouls for infraction of certain rules. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
6. I will make sure I read the rules and policies and abide by them. A copy of the rules & policies is posted on the website at [www.portlandbasketball.com](http://www.portlandbasketball.com). (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
7. I will do my best to make sure my teammates read the rules and policies, and then I will make sure that they sign the RELEASE FORM before they play. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
8. I will do my best to recruit non-violent, peaceful, and recreational participants in this "Peaceful & Recreational" league. I will screen my own players before bringing them into this league. I will not bring into this league someone I do not trust. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
9. This release applies to the referees, the gymnasium, the league, and the city. I acknowledge that injuries are a part of sports and I assume responsibility for any injuries to myself. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
10. As an athlete in such sports, I am familiar with methods of conducting basketball and the inherent risk of physical injury, and I hereby waive, relinquish, and release any and all right to claim to damages which may occur to myself. I acknowledge that the league will not supply medical insurance and accident insurance. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_
11. I realize that I will be held financially accountable for any damage done to chairs, walls, or any part of the gyms/facilities that occurs outside of normal sportsmanlike play. Dunking is at my own risk. If I break a rim, I will be held accountable. Dunking is strictly prohibited at gyms without breakaway rims. (initials) \_\_\_\_\_