

G.G.B.A
Garland Girls Basketball Association
P.O. Box 462212 Garland Texas 75046

By-Laws

A. League Organization

1. ***Purpose of the Garland Girls Basketball Association:***

Garland Girls Basketball Association (G.G.B.A.) was established as a nonprofit Organization, for the purpose of providing an opportunity for the Garland girls of 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grades to accomplish the following:

a. **Participation objectives:**

All girls, regardless of size or athletic ability, will have the opportunity to play on a team and compete in the game of basketball. It is expected that each head coach will set as one of his or her primary objectives, the full participation and development of all girls on his or her team. Each girl will play a minimum of 6 minutes per game (regular season, and tournament games included).

b. **Education objectives:**

All girls will have the opportunity to learn and develop in the fundamentals of basketball. All girls will have the opportunity to learn how to cooperate and work together as a team, working toward common goals and good sportsmanship.

c. **Enjoyment objectives:**

All girls feel an increased confidence in themselves and the knowledge of the sport of basketball by making significant contributions to the team.

2. ***Board of Directors:***

The G.G.B.A. is administered by an elected BOARD OF DIRECTORS. This board, comprised of volunteer workers, is elected at a General Meeting to be set by the board. Subcommittees, also comprised of volunteer workers, are appointed, as the Board deems necessary. The President shall appoint a nominating committee of not less than three people to seek out qualified candidates to fill positions on the Board. This committee will recommend these candidates for election. Additional candidates may be nominated from the floor. The nominating committee will be appointed at least 30 days prior to the election. The Board of Directors will be composed of the individuals holding the office:

President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer
Player Rep
3rd Grade Rep
4th Grade Rep
5th Grade Rep
6th Grade Rep

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7th Grade Rep
8th Grade Rep
9th Grade Rep
10th Grade Rep
11th Grade Rep
12th Grade Rep
Score Keeper Coordinator
Member at Large (Awards & Trophies)
Member at Large (Uniforms)

a. Duties of Board Members:

President:

It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board; enforce the constitution and by-laws; rule on questions of order; sign all official documents; co-sign all drafts drawn against the ASSOCIATION; Appoint Standing Committee and other special committees deemed necessary; perform all other Duties normally associated with the office.

Vice-President:

The Vice-President shall assume the duties of the President in the absence of the latter, shall work particularly close with the various committees; coordinate practice gym space and work with the President and Grade Rep(s) scheduling regular season games, playoffs if necessary and tournament; perform all other duties normally associated with the office.

Secretary:

The secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of all meetings and give copies to all members of the Board; keep membership roll up to date; notify members of the board of all meetings. Perform all the other functions normally associated with the office. Minutes are to be kept in a notebook, hand or electronic, with all out going correspondence and brought to all board meetings. Secretary needs to fax or mail a copy of the current board to Garland Parks and Recreation Department. Board members who have been on the board 10 years are designated as "Life Time Members" And are to be notified of the regularly scheduled meetings. Keep a list of Board members addresses and phone numbers and give a copy to all board members and Life Time Members. The Life Time Members are to be listed on the bottom of the phone/address listing along with the number of years served.

Treasurer:

The Treasurer shall take charge of all funds received by the ASSOCIATION and deposit same to the account of the ASSOCIATION, in the depository approved by the Board; Pay bills approved by the Board, co-sign all drafts drawn against the ASSOCIATION; keep a Complete financial record covering receipts, expenditures and balance; submit financial reports to the league and to the Parks and Recreational Department on request; be over all fund raising and proceeds from the fundraiser; must receive all applications and monies; will provide applications to grade reps as designated; perform all duties normally associated with the office.

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Player Rep:

The primary function is to be available to the players, coaches, and parents who have a problem or complaint. If you have a problem brought to your attention, you will work it out with the grade rep and coach involved. Some cases may need to be brought to the attention of the board

Grade Rep:

Either coordinate the draft for your grade (see section on drafts) or form teams by; receiving applications from the treasurer and will combine them to form Teams. This will be done first by school and then geographical location. Check all applications for correct grade and age before assigning to a team. Fee must be paid before a girl is placed on a team or participate. Be responsible for choosing coaches for all teams in your grade. You also need to approve team colors in your grade. A team staying together and moving up from a younger grade has the option to keep their color. New teams then can choose colors for their teams. Consideration should be given to school jersey color. You also need to work with your coaches on numbers so that they do not use improper numbers; numbers must be on the front and back of each jersey. You will be responsible for keeping all of your coaches informed and advised of all matters of importance (practice schedule, game schedule, meetings, fund raising etc) keep current records on all teams - applications and birth certificates should be kept together by team. Work with Vice-President on scheduling of games and tournament; Coordinate the collection of all monies, if applicable, associated with application fees; Coordinate the collection of monies for participants in the fund raisers; work with the player rep in solving any problems; Provide score keeping and time keeping assistance at all your grades games and keeping each player's time in your league; work with score keeper coordinator keeping him/her notified of game scores and standings after each weeks games; work with the member at large in charge of uniforms, for ordering and distribution. Additional duties include selecting sportsmanship awards.

Scorekeeper Coordinator:

To have several trained scorekeepers available for season play; to have two at each game; after each weeks games get results of games from the Grade Rep and turn in results to the newspaper; send copy of scores and league standings to web master (if applicable) to update web site; keep a sheet on standings (win/loss record for each team) for the entire season and tournament. Coordinate with the Treasurer for monies to pay officials.

Member at Large (Awards & Trophies):

Member is to be in charge of the Awards Ceremony, scheduling the Location to be used, trophy pricing, selecting and delivery with the approval of the board and give a copy of the proposal to the Secretary. Collect names for awards from the Grade Reps in time to have awards complete for award ceremony.

Member at Large (Uniforms):

To be responsible for collecting information from the companies and the pricing of uniforms; collecting information from Grade Reps for their orders; the ordering sorting and delivery of uniforms to Grade Reps, and copies to be given to the Secretary.

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b. Meeting Duties

Any Board Member who misses three unexcused meetings will be grounds for automatic dismissal of their position pending a board review.

c. Tenure

Any Board Member who has completed ten years of service to the G.G.B.A. shall be recognized as an Honorary Advisor and shall retain voting privileges to all G.G.B.A. open and closed Board meetings. Honorary Advisors shall be notified in advance of all G.G.B.A. regularly scheduled meetings.

d. Proxy assignment

Proxies: Proxies must be hand written or electronically, dated, signed, signature approved, presented to the board, email or phone notification to President or Secretary of who holds the proxy and for whom, and approved as soon as the meeting is called to order and are limited to 1 week duration. Each person may hold only one (1) proxy vote.

e. Meeting Location Restriction

No Board Meeting shall be held where alcoholic beverages are served.

3. Finance

a. Receipts

1. Participation fee will be charged per girl to help finance the basketball program. The amount of the fee will be determined annually as costs to run the league is calculated. A girl may not participate in any scheduled activities until the registration fee, proof of age and the application are provided to the Treasurer.
2. Fundraising projects are necessary to assist in financing the organization. All girls are required to participate in the fundraiser or do the buyout.
3. Fundraising projects are necessary to assist in financing the organization. ALL coaches are responsible for fundraising activities for their team.

b. Disbursements

1. Game Officials - Two referees will be furnished for each league game, and they shall be paid at the prevailing game rate. If two referees are not available, both coaches will be consulted and if in agreement to play the game with one referee the game will continue. Any and all rescheduling will be at G.G.B.A. board and PARD discretion.
2. Two score keepers shall be furnished for each league game at the prevailing rate per game.
3. Should the G.G.B.A. cease operation, any surplus funds will be donated to the City of Garland Parks and Recreation Department.

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4. The Board of directors will review candidates for GISD scholarship award. Part of the fundraiser and door proceeds from each game will be designated for the scholarship program. The number and amount of scholarships will depend on these proceeds, to be determined prior to the election meeting at the end of the season.

4. TEAM SELECTION AND ORGANIZATION

a. Coaching Staff

1. Head Coaches must be approved by the G.G.B.A. Board of Directors
2. No team shall have more than one head coach.
3. Head coaches may select their own assistant coaches and team parent with the board Approval.
4. Only the Head Coach and one Assistant Coach are allowed on the bench during the game.

b. Player Eligibility:

1. Rule #1 can be amended by the board based on best interest of the league allowing girls to participate regardless of school team status. This rule can be altered based on the returning team policy being enacted. The grade levels for this decision are solely the responsibility of the league board by vote to be conducted prior to the registration period.
 - 1a. The 2009-2010 board, for this season, has elected to allow girls in the 7th and 8th grades ONLY to participate if they make the school athletics or basketball team and played in the GGBA league in the 2008-2009 season.
2. If a girl is nine (9) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 3rd grade league.
3. If a girl is ten (10) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 4th grade league.
4. If a girl is eleven (11) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 5th grade league.
5. If a girl is twelve (12) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 6th grade league.
6. If a girl is thirteen (13) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 7th grade league.
7. If a girl is fourteen (14) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 8th grade league.
8. If a girl is fifteen (15) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 9th grade league.
9. If a girl is sixteen (16) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 10th grade league.

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10. If a girl is seventeen (17) before September 1, she is not eligible to play for the 11th grade league.
11. If a girl is eighteen (18) before September 1, she is not eligible to play.
12. No girl may practice or play in a game until all registration requirements are met. Applications filled out and approved, registration fee paid, and proof of age provided. A proof of age is required by: A copy of birth certificate, a confirmation of hospital records, or local school record, must be furnished to the league for eligible participation.
13. The 6 minute participation minimum can be waived if a player does not display proper attitude or participate in scheduled practices. The scorekeeper and the board member on duty must be notified of any disciplinary action prior to the game. The board member on duty must rule on the disciplinary action.
14. All girls satisfying eligibility requirements will play on a team. If grades are combined to form a league the eligibility requirements will still be enforced to ensure participants are playing in their proper age bracket.
(i.e.: if 3rd and 4th grades are combined then girls in the 4th grade but turning 11 before September 1st are not eligible to play for this grade and will be moved up to play with the 5th grade league)
15. The Board of Directors reserves the right to conduct a draft if it feels it is in the best interest of the league to do so.
16. Returning team option may be made available at board discretion prior to registration and upon request from returning coach. If request is accepted the returning team must have a minimum of five (5) returning girls from same team to constitute a returning team.

5. Formation of Teams

a. School formed or Returning Teams:

1. Team formation will be conducted by the Board or Directors and will be in accordance to the following guidelines.
2. The league reserves the right, based upon number of players registered, to divide the city, and the subsequent pool into zones or divisions, based upon the location of the school the player attends. There will be no Skills Assessment Review day if teams are formed by school or returning team.
3. The league will define the number of teams to be formed based on a minimum and maximum number of players per team and grade. This minimum and maximum number of players will be decided by league representatives, and will be determined by the number of players registered, and by the number of teams necessary to constitute a viable league. There will be no more than ten players per team.
4. Applications will be sorted by school to ascertain minimum applications are received to form a team from that school.

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5. If there are not enough applicants from any given school, those players will be combined with another school within their area (based on bus routes: elementary, middle, high school)
6. Any player on a team, who was not placed on the team by being drafted, or by the league, is considered an ineligible player, and the coach will be dealt with by the league in accordance with the leagues' standing policy regarding ineligible players.
7. Players are not registered until the league receives their proof of age, application and sign up fees. Turning these into the coach does not register a player, and they cannot be placed on a team until the documentation is received by the league Treasurer and approved by the board.

b. Draft formed teams

1. If teams are formed by a draft, drafts will be conducted on dates specified by the G.G.B.A. Board of Directors and will be in accordance with the following guidelines:

**** There is no returning team policy if draft is to be conducted. ****

- a. All girls will be drafted, without regard as to whether they participated in the Skills Assessment Review or not.
- b. The league will define the number of teams to be drafted, based on a minimum and maximum number of players per team. This minimum and maximum number of players will be decided by league representatives, and will be determined by the number of players registered, and by the number of teams necessary to constitute a viable league. There will be no more than ten players per team.
- c. The minimum number of teams, as decided by the league, and defined above, will be drafted. If there are not enough volunteer coaches for all teams, the league will draft the remaining 'coach-less' teams, and will find coaches for them.
- d. The league reserves the right, based upon number of players registered, to divide the city, and the subsequent draft pool into zones or divisions, based upon the location of the school the player attends.
- e. Players registering after the Skills Assessment day, but before the draft day, will be put into the draft pool.
- f. Any player registering after draft day, will be placed in the player pool, and assigned to teams that need players, as defined in the section regarding conducting the draft.
- g. Any player on a team, who was not placed on the team by being drafter, or by the league, is considered an ineligible player, and the coach will be dealt with, by the league, in accordance with the leagues' standing policy regarding ineligible players.
- h. Any coaches receiving applications, registrations, or sign up fees from players, or player's parents, will

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direct the player or parent to the league. Coaches are not to accept or collect, or hold player registrations, applications, or sign up fees from players. Players who submit registrations, applications, or sign up fees after the draft will be placed on teams by the league and at league discretion in accordance with the procedure outlined in the draft.

- i. Players are not registered until the league receives their registration, application and sign up fees. Turning these into the coach does not register a player, and they cannot attend the Skills Assessment Day, be drafted, or be placed on a team until this documentation is received by the league Treasurer and approved by the board.
- j. No player will be told her draft order!!!

c. Conducting the Draft (Draft only)

The draft will be conducted in the following manner:

1. Draft order will be defined by a random process, on draft day, and with all coaches present.
2. A league representative will be present to draft the coach-less teams.
3. The draft will be conducted with the grade rep presiding over the draft, and at least one member of the executive board (president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, player rep) present to assist.
4. The draft will follow the random order in ascending order in odd rounds (1,3,5,7 etc.) and In descending order in even rounds (8, 6, 4, 2)
5. The number of rounds in the draft is determined by the number of registered players, not the numbers of players that tryout. Players may register for the draft, without attending participating in the skills assessment.
6. All players will be drafted.
7. The Coach's daughter will be frozen through the second round, unless released by the coach. If the coach does not select his or her daughter, with his/her first or second selection, she is available to be drafted by any team.
8. In the event of uneven teams, late registering players will be placed on teams by draft order. The team who was due to draft next will get the first late registering player, then the next team and so on.
9. No players or parents will be allowed at the draft. Coaches and league representatives only.
10. If the grade representative is coaching a team in the grade that is being drafted, another board member will preside over the draft.
11. If an executive board member is coaching a team in the grade that is being drafted, another executive

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board member will preside over the draft.

12. No player will be told her draft order!!
13. Any player who has not turned in registration forms, birth certificates and fees may not be drafted.
14. Coaches will not be permitted to draft short teams. The draft will continue in the above described alternating order until all players are drafted, both those who attended the skills assessment, and those who registered and did not attend the skills assessment.
15. No player will be placed on a team by anyone other than through the draft, or by the board of directors of the G.G.B.A.
16. If a coach cannot be found for a coach-less team, a league rep including the board members present at the draft, may assume the role of head coach of that team, if he or she so chooses.

6. Skill Assessment Review (Draft only)

a. Skill Assessment process:

1. Skill Assessment consists of a set of skills, drills or actions, determined by the league.
2. Assessments will be conducted at a facility and time designated by the league.
3. The league, at its sole discretion, may hold more than one Assessment for any or all particular grade levels. Assessment dates and times will be communicated when confirmed.
4. All players will be issued an identifying number, or designator, and will be announced to the coaches using this number or designator.
5. Numbers or designators may refer to zones or divisions, if this is necessary. If the draft pool, and subsequent player pool is divided into zones or divisions, the number designator will identify which zone or division the player is in so that she may be drafted into the correct zone or division.
6. Coaches will be given a list of all players who have registered, along with their number, or designator, prior to Assessment.
7. Coaches will not be allowed to interview or talk to players that are being assessed.
8. Coaches will not be given contact information of players until they are drafted.
9. Players will be allowed to register on assessment day.
10. Players will not repeat their skills assessment for coaches who did not attend the official skills

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assessment day and time.

11. Players will not be allowed to repeat their assessment more than once.
12. Players may choose to register and not participate in the assessment, they will still be drafted.
13. Coaches should grade each player that attends, based on their performance in the skills, drills or actions performed.
14. League representatives will grade players, for the purpose of drafting coach-less teams.
15. Coaches are not permitted to hold private work outs, or tryouts, before or after the official G.G.B.A. league Skills Assessment.
16. No players will be placed on a team by anyone, other than through the draft, or by the Board of Directors of G.G.B.A.
17. There are absolutely no trades, under any circumstances.
18. No coach should promise a player that she will play for him/her. Drafts make this promise impossible to keep, and the league cannot and will not adjust team rosters, or change players to assist a coach in keeping a promise, that should never have been made.

7. *Equipment and Uniforms*

- A. The league will furnish game balls.
- B. Each team must meet the league uniform requirements as stated in 12B under the official equipment.
- C. Team colors must be approved by the appropriate grade rep prior to uniform purchase. Each head coach is responsible for making arrangements for the purchase of uniforms, unless provided by G.G.B.A.
- D. The uniform will consist of non-marking rubber soled shoes (required) jerseys, shorts and socks. Light up shoes are not acceptable.
- E. Sliders (optional under shorts) must be the same color for all girls on the team, for example: If one of the 5 girls on the court is wearing sliders, all of her teammates are required to wear matching sliders, if they choose to wear sliders.
- F. All players with braces must wear a protective mouthpiece **NO EXCEPTIONS** this is for the girl's safety and Coaches are responsible for ensuring that the girls comply.

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8. Team practice sessions

- A. The league will provide 1/2 court facilities for (2) 55 minute practice sessions each week during the season, as scheduled by Parks & Recreation. Each coach must use the designated days, times, and assigned practice space. This is mandatory due to insurance mandates. Practice times begin on the hour, and conclude 55 minutes later.
- B. The G.G.B.A. does not provide, nor is liable for any practice gyms during the Christmas Holiday. Teams may practice while during this break pending their ability to attain a practice facility.
- C. If a team loses its gym privileges for any reason, (such as misuse) they lose their practice privileges for the rest of the season.

9. Responsibilities of the Coach

- A. The coach shall strive to teach each player the fundamentals of basketball and will set examples as the coach.
- B. If any coach is ejected from any game during the current season totaling 2 or more times, the Coach will then be suspended for a period of time to be determined by the executive board.
- C. Coaches will also support and participate in any and all Board approved fundraisers. Coaches will adhere to the fundraising rules and deadlines. Violation of this rule will result in forfeit of all games, until the fundraising requirements are met.
- D. Coaches will be responsible for assuring all league fees are paid and into the treasurer or grade rep, which is due before the first game a girl participating in the fund raiser plays in, or negotiated date. Violation of this rule will result in forfeiting of all games, until the league fee requirements are met.
- E. Each coach is required to play all girls a minimum of six minutes per game. Each girl on the team must have her six minutes played by half-time. If any girl does not have her time in by half time, she will start the third quarter and stay in, until she has played her full six minutes.
- F. The six (6) minute rule stays in place unless the girl is sick or injured in which the scorekeeper must have it recorded prior to the start of the game.
- G Violation of this rule will result in:
 - i. First offense: Forfeit of that game and the coach will be suspended for one week.
 - ii. Second offense: Forfeit of that game and the coach will be suspended for the remainder of the season.

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- H. Each coach must adhere to the 14 point rule adopted by the League. This rule states that any team ahead by 14 points or more may not full court press their opponent until the difference in the score is less than 14 points. Example: Players on the team that is ahead must immediately drop back past center court until the other team crosses the center court line. All coaches will make their players aware of this rule prior to the first regular season game. Violation of this rule will result in a technical foul.
- I. The 14 point rule applies for 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades only, (*unless 5th is combined with 6th*) there is no transition defense allowed, even in transition in the back court. Once change of possession has been established the opposing team must drop back to center court. Violation of this rule will result in a technical foul.
- J. No one but coaches and players assigned to G.G.B.A. teams are allowed onto the practice courts. Please keep all other peoples off the courts. This applies to before and after practice. Coaches must adhere to the rules published by the Parks and Recreation Department regarding the use of the gym facilities.
- K. Coaches should understand that game times will not be rescheduled to accommodate other organizations.
- L. It is the responsibility of each head coach to see that all girls on his/her team satisfies the eligibility requirements. Violation of this rule will result in the forfeit of all games the ineligible player participated in.
- M. It is the responsibility of the head coach to see that the team meets the league uniform requirements as Stated in section 7D.
- N. Team colors must be approved by the appropriate grade rep prior to uniform purchase. Each head coach is responsible for making arrangements for the purchase of uniforms; Exception When G.G.B.A. provides game shirts.
- O. Prior to each game, coaches must submit a written lineup 10 minutes before the starting time of each game. This must include names and numbers of all girls on their roster. If a girl is not playing for any reason (discipline, injury or absence): it must be noted. Violation of this rule will be considered a violation of the participation rule if the information is not noted by the Scorekeeper and board member on duty.
- P. Each head coach has complete responsibility for his or her team's practice sessions (see section 8)
- Q. The six minute participation minimum can be waived if a player does not display proper attitude or participation in scheduled practices. The scorekeeper and board member on duty must be notified of any disciplinary action prior to the game. Violation of this rule will be considered a violation of the participation rule if the information is not noted by the scorekeeper and board member on duty.
- R. The Board member on duty may stop play due to coaches, players, spectators and/or refs disruptive behavior.
- S. A team must have 5 players to start a game. (This rule can be altered to four (4) if agreed upon by both

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coaches and grade rep on duty) If a team has 4 or less remaining player due to foul trouble, the game will be stopped for one minute to allow them to decide if they will continue the game or prefer to forfeit the game.

T. All teams must have a head coach or assistant coach attend the mandatory coaches meeting.

10. Responsibility of Players

- A. Players are to treat their coaches, teammates, spectators, and referees with respect and consideration.
- B. Players are not to exhibit unnecessary roughness or use foul language during practice and or games.
- C. Players should be on time for all practices and games.
- D. Players must meet all eligibility requirements before participation in any league activities.
- E. Coaches have the right to bench any player for disciplinary reasons.
- F. Unsportsmanlike behavior is not condoned in this organization.
- G. Violent behavior will result in dismissal from this organization.
- H. All players must conform to the rules and regulations as prescribed by the G.G.B.A. by-laws. If a Player is found ineligible a team will forfeit all games in which this player participated.
- I. Violation of any of these rules will result in disciplinary action to be determined by the board.

11. Responsibility of Team Mom and Dads

- A. Team parents are to assist the coaches with the procedures required by the league.
- B. Team parents are responsible for assisting the coach by preventing destructive actions (to the best of their ability) during practice sessions. Team parents are to assist in abiding by the rules published by the Parks and Recreation Department regarding the use of gym facilities.

12. Playing Rules and Regulations

A. Official Rules

- 1. Texas High School Interscholastic League Basketball Rules are the official playing rules and

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Regulation, with the exceptions as presented at the annual coaches meeting.

B. Official Equipment

1. The 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade leagues will use the women's standard size 28.5 basketball
2. All players are required to wear rubber soled, non-marking, and regulation basketball shoes.
3. All members of a team must wear the unaltered league supplied jersey, which is uniform in Color with numerals 4 inches on the front and 6 inches on the back.

C. Officiating

1. Once a game has commenced, the referees will be in charge of the game.
2. Coaches protesting referees from future games must notify the Board President, in writing within 48 hours after the game.

D. League playing rules

1. Each player is required to play a minimum of six minutes per game.
2. Players must check in at the scorekeepers table before stepping onto the court before each period and each substitution time.
3. The league has adopted a 14 point, no press rule. This rule states that any team that is ahead by 14 points or more may not full court press their opponent until the difference in the score is less than 14 points. Example: Players on the team that is ahead must immediately drop back past center court until the other team crosses the center court line. One warning is giving for the first violation and every violation of this rule after the warning will be considered a technical foul, assessed to the team
4. The board member on duty is responsible for monitoring these rules and enforcing them.
5. The coach will designate a team captain for each game. This girl is the focal point for the referee during game play.

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13. Regular Season and Tournament Play

1. Regular season play

A. Regular season games will be played in accordance with the schedule approved and Published by the Board of Directors. Game times will not be rescheduled to accommodate any organizations.

B. Every effort will be made to ensure that all teams in a particular zone or division shall play the same number of regular season games.

2. Post Season Tournament Play

A. Post season games will be played in accordance with the schedule approved and published by The Board of Directors. Game times will not be rescheduled to accommodate any organizations.

13. Compliance

A. All coaches and players will be expected to abide by all of the above rules. Failure to do so may result in a board review and appropriate action will be taken.

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B. Required: City Parks and Recreation Department

A. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed or construed by the parties hereto or by any third Party to create the relationship of principle and agent or of any partnership or joint venture, it being expressly understood and agreed that no provision contained herein nor any acts or act of the parties hereto shall be deemed to create any relationship between the City of Garland as a Government entity, and its citizens, in a regulatory matter, governing the use of City Facilities and the conduct of activities related hereto. The permitted (Our League) shall not represent to any person, by any means, that it acts for or on behalf of the City unless expressly so authorized in writing by the City.

B. The permitted (Our league) agrees to indemnify and hold the City of Garland, and its agent, Employees, and representatives harmless from any and all loss, cost, expense, injury (including Death) damage, liability, action, cause of action lien or attorneys fees (either contractual or Statutory) arising out of or relating to performance of the activities contemplated, herein, Including those caused by or attributable to the joint or current negligence or willful act of the Parties but not caused by or attribute to the sole negligence or willful act of the City, its agents Employees, or representatives.

C. Each officer and Director of the Associations, in consideration of his service as such shall be Indemnified by the Association to the expend permit by law against expenses and liabilities reasonably incurred by him in connection with the defense of any action, suit or proceeding civil or criminal, to which he or she may be a party by reason of being or having been the Director Officer of the Association. The forgoing rights of indemnification shall not be exclusive of any rights to which Director of Officer or person may be entitled by law or agreement or vote of the members or otherwise.

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Garland Girls Basketball Association
P.O. Box 462212 Garland Texas 75046

AMENDMENT Overview

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| 1. | Pages 4-5, Section “Disbursements”, added item 4 | date 08/2009 |
| 2. | Page 5, Section “Player Eligibility”, deleted item #1, and added item 1 and 1a | date 08/2009 |
| 3. | Page 17, Section “Amendments”, added this section | date 08/2009 |

Signature block to acknowledge changes and denotes master copy. One master to be kept by Secretary and one master to be kept by President. Must be signed by President, vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Player Rep to be valid.	
President – Rich Dietlin: _____	date: _____
Vise-President – Katherine Golden: _____	date: _____
Treasurer – Ryall Jones: _____	date: _____
Secretary – Jamie Davis: _____	date: _____
Player Rep – Joe Cross: _____	date: _____