

Eltham Wildcats Basketball Club ('the Club')

VJBL Parent/Guardian Contract (2025/26)

Club Purpose: To create an inclusive and safe environment, providing pathways and opportunities for the Wildcats community to thrive.

As a VJBL parent/guardian, I acknowledge my role in fostering a positive, safe, and developmentally focused environment. I will uphold the Club's values and will always abide by the Club's policies and processes. If I am not familiar with the Club's values, policies or processes, I will educate myself to fully understand my obligations.

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities:

- Model positive and respectful behaviour towards referees, opposition coaches and players
- Support my child's scheduled training sessions, team meetings and games
- Arrive on time for games and ensure my child is prepared and in the official Wildcats uniform
- Follow instructions and guidance from coaches, officials and Club staff
- Demonstrate supportive and positive behaviour at games
- Be a part of and support an inclusive environment
- Report issues related to inappropriate behaviour to Club staff
- Communicate openly and respectfully with coaches about concerns, but not within 24 hours from the end of the game
- I understand that the amount of court time is at the discretion of the coach and will be based on a variety of factors
- I will escalate any concerns to the Integrity Commission to enable a formal review to be undertaken
- If my child is injured during the season, I will provide all necessary and relevant documentation via the VJBL injury form
- I will not use social media in an inappropriate manner, which includes criticising players, parents, coaches or Club staff

Integrity and Conduct:

All parents/guardians are expected to adhere to Basketball Victoria's and the Club's codes, policies and directions. Any concerns, complaints, or breaches will be referred to the Club's Integrity Commission for review. Disciplinary measures may include warnings, suspension, or removal from the program.