



# Basketball/Cheerleading Coach & Referee Application

- I want to coach Upward Basketball.       I want to referee Upward Basketball.  
 I want to coach Upward Cheerleading.

Return completed application to:  
 Corey Fields  
 First Baptist Church, 3033 SW MacVicar, Topeka, KS 66611

## Section 1

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone (day) \_\_\_\_\_ (evening) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Gender:  M  F Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are you a member of a local church?  Yes  No If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

## Section 2

1. Mark the leagues you are willing to coach with a "C." Mark the leagues you are willing to referee with an "R." Coaches, beside your preferred leagues, circle the days and times that you are available. (Referees, games take place on Saturday mornings).

Division	Boys	Girls	Possible Practice Nights	Practice Times
Kindergarten (Co-Ed)	_____	_____	Tuesday or Thursday	6:00 or 7:00 p.m.
1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	_____	_____	Tuesday or Thursday	6:00 or 7:00 p.m.
3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	_____	_____	Tuesday or Thursday	6:00 or 7:00 p.m.
5 <sup>th</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	_____	_____	Monday or Friday	6:00 or 7:00 p.m.

2. What is your shirt size? MEN: S M L XL XXL XXXL WOMEN: S M L XL XXL XXXL

3. Please list any children in your family who will be playing in this year's Upward league, if applicable.

Child's Name	Grade	Gender	Relationship	I plan to coach this child's team	
_____	_____	M F	_____	Yes	No
_____	_____	M F	_____	Yes	No
_____	_____	M F	_____	Yes	No

4. Have you ever coached or refereed in Upward before? Coached Refereed Both Neither

5. Upward is a non-competitive, Christ-centered league in which the coaches and referees share scripture, prayers, devotions, and the love of Christ with the children on the team. The goal of Upward is to share the gospel with children while teaching sportsmanship, equality, and self-esteem. Can you commit to performing this role and upholding these values? Yes No

Please share a little about your Christian faith and why you want to coach or referee with Upward:

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6. Do you know of someone who might be interested in coaching or refereeing with Upward this year?

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

7. COACHES: Please place a check mark beside the mandatory Coaches Training Session that you will attend (choose one):

- Thursday, November 19, 7:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church fellowship hall  
 Saturday, November 21, 11:00 a.m. in the First Baptist Church fellowship hall

8. Please circle the evaluations that you are available to assist with:

Tues, Oct 27, 6-8 p.m.      Thurs, Oct 29, 6-8 p.m.      Friday, Oct 30, 6-8 p.m.      Tues, Nov 3, 6-8 p.m.

### COACH and REFEREE COMMITMENT: PLEASE READ and SIGN

- I will uphold the values of Upward, and commit to sharing the love of Christ with the children through my words and actions.
- I will set a positive, Christ-like example for the children and their parents.
- I will not smoke or use profanity in the presence of the children, nor will I consume alcohol before or during practices and games.
- I understand that coaches may not build their own team or request to coach specific players (except family members).

Coach/Referee Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_