



Oconee County Parks and Recreation Department Criminal History Check Procedures

1. All head coaches and assistant coaches must consent to the completion of a Criminal History Check to be eligible to coach.
2. Only designated OCPRD Athletic Staff may deliver forms to the Sheriff's Department.
3. If convictions are found on the Criminal History Check, the following will be grounds for ineligibility as a coach:
 - Simple Battery, where the victim is a minor
 - Aggravated Battery, where the victim is a minor
 - Cruelty to Children
 - Crimes involving family violence
 - Any sexual offense
 - Contributing to the delinquency of a minor (In the last 5 years – immediate dismissal; More than 5 years – 1 year probation)
 - Alcohol related violations (Violation in last 5 years)
 - Violation of any controlled substance act (Violation in last 5 years)
 - Murder or Felony Murder
 - Criminal attempts to commit any above-named offenses
 - Any felony not listed above (Within last 5 years – immediate dismissal; More than 5 years – 1 year probation)
 - Any other crime that bears upon fitness to have responsibility for safety and well being of children
4. Ineligible coaches will be contacted by the Athletic Division Administrator to inform them of their ineligibility status.
5. If a head coach or assistant coach is charged with any of the above violations during the season, he/she is required to immediately notify the Oconee County Parks and Recreation Department's Athletic Division Administrator at (706) 769-3965. Violations during the season will result in immediate dismissal of his/her volunteer status.

I, the undersigned, authorize this information to be obtained either in writing or via telephone in connection with my volunteer application. Any person, firm or organization providing information or records in accordance with this authorization is released from any and all claims of liability for compliance. Such information will be held in confidence in accordance with the organization's guidelines.

Print Name

Signature

Date