

February 23, 2023

Dear Parents,

Your child has indicated an interest in joining the Gr. 7 Badminton Team. We are looking forward to working with your child to develop his/her badminton skills. To make this a worthwhile and enjoyable experience for all, we have high expectations of those students who play and represent Edgewood.

Players are ambassadors of our school and community and are expected to:

- have a positive, willing and cooperative attitude
- follow directions and behave appropriately at all times
- be punctual and prepared for practices and games by having proper gym attire
- attend all practices unless they are absent from school

It is also our hope that the students will learn about commitment, discipline, sportsmanship, and perseverance. It is important to note that the players' performance and behaviour during school hours determine their eligibility to participate in extra curricular activities. We are confident that the players will put forth their best effort on and off the court and be a part of a successful team!

**Game days** will be on **Thursdays** starting March 30th. We have after-school practices on **Tuesdays and Wednesdays**. (2:45– 4:00 p.m.). Some Tuesdays we will not be able to practice because the 5/6 team will have home games so those weeks we will practice Thursday morning instead. A schedule will come out as soon as the game schedule is released. We will need parent-drivers for our away games.

Please sign the form below and return to Ms. Stanforth on or before the first practice **Wednesday March 1st**. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,  
Ms. Stanforth & Mr. Mills

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#### CONSENT AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK

**Accidents can be the result of the nature of the activity and can occur with or without any fault on either the part of the student, or the school board or its employees or agents, or the facility where the activity is taking place. By allowing your son/daughter to participate in this activity, you are accepting the risk of an accident occurring, and agree that this activity, as described above, is suitable for your child.**

I give \_\_\_\_\_ (*name of student*) permission to participate in the badminton practices and games. I accept the mode of transportation and level of supervision for this activity. I understand that my child may be exposed to certain risks and dangers while participating in this activity and that accidents and injuries may occur.

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Parent Signature