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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Your child has been selected to represent Thomas Acres Public School in the **PSSA Winter Gala Day Competition** for **Terms 2 and 3** in 2022.

As a condition of being selected for a Gala Day team, you and your child must sign a contract in order to be accepted into the team. In addition to signing this contract, you are agreeing to ensure Gala Day payments are made before the due date otherwise your child will NOT be able to attend.

You are also giving permission for your child to walk to and from Thomas Acres Reserve for training.

Please read through the terms with your child and have them sign in acknowledgement that they understand and agree.

As a player of a Gala Day team, I agree to:

- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all players regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- Always show respect for our school, coach, team mates, opponents, referees and the local community
- Work hard for myself and my team and participate for my own enjoyment
- Be a good sport. Applaud all students regardless of ability and skill
- Treat all players in the sport as I would like to be treated.
- Respect the decision of officials at all times. If you disagree, speak to your coach.
- Honour the commitment I have made to the team and Thomas Acres by attending training and playing for the **entire** season.
- Always play by the rules and follow directions given by the coach.
- Walk sensibly to and from Thomas Acres Reserve.

As a parent of a child playing in a Gala Day team, I agree to:

- Encourage my child to participate.
- Focus on my child's efforts rather than winning or losing.
- Remember that positive comments are motivational.
- Be an advocate for fair play.
- Ensure payment for Gala Day is paid before the due date, and I understand that my child will not be able to attend unless a payment arrangement has been discussed.
- **Due to the fact that buses are pre-booked and paid for, I understand that if my child is absent from the Gala Day OR decides to no longer play, the full payment for Gala Day is still required and no refund will be offered.**

Please ensure you and your child sign and return the contract slip below to your coach as soon as possible.

Mr B. Morris
Sports Coordinator

Mr S. Pope
School Principal

Mr T. Buckley
Assistant Sports Coordinator

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I _____ (name of student) agree to follow and demonstrate all expectations listed on this contract.

Signed _____ Date _____
(Student)

I hereby agree for my child _____ of class _____ to participate in the **PSSA Winter Gala Day Competition** for 2022. I understand that, by signing this contract, my child will be held accountable to the terms stated on this contract. I also understand I am giving permission for my child to walk to and from Thomas Acres Reserve for training.

Signed _____ Date _____
(Parent/Guardian)