## Coach/School Nurse/Volunteer Concussion Statement

☐ I have read the Concussion Information Sheet. If true, please check box.
☐ I should not allow any student-athlete exhibiting signs and symptoms consistent with concussion to return to play or practice on the same day. If you agree, please check box.
After reading the information sheet, I am aware of the following information:
A concussion is a brain injury.
A concussion can affect a student-athlete's ability to perform everyday activities, their ability to think, their balance, and their classroom performance.
I realize I cannot see a concussion, but I might notice some of the signs in a student-athlete right away.  other signs/symptoms can show-up hours or days after the injury.
If I suspect a student-athlete has a concussion, I am responsible for removing them from activity and referring them to a medical professional trained in concussion management.
Student-athletes need written clearance from a medical professional trained in concussion management to return to play or practice after a concussion.
I will not allow any student-athlete to return to play or practice if I suspect that he/she has received a blow to the head or body that resulted in signs or symptoms consistent with concussion.
Following concussion the brain needs time to heal. I understand that student-athletes are much more likely to sustain another concussion or more serious brain injury if they return to play or practice before symptoms resolve.
In rare cases, repeat concussions can cause serious and long-lasting problems.
I have read the signs/symptoms listed on the Concussion Information Sheet.
Signature of Coach/School Nurse/Volunteer Date
Printed name of Coach/School Nurse/Volunteer