## **Playing Safe Close to Home**



"We show kids that there's more to life, and we give them more choices than what they think they have,"

Metroball President Terrance Judge said, telling success stories of how they have worked with kids to steer them away from a life of violence.

## Want your kids to play in a safe, clean place close to home?

A public school in your neighborhood could open its fields, basketball courts, and gyms on weekends, summers, and after school closes. Providing kids an opportunity to participate in fun physical activities close to home promotes scholastic performance, healthy weight, and self-esteem.



Tell your councilmember that your kids deserve a safe place to play and to encourage your school to open gyms and school yards when school is out.



