

Williamsburg Volleyball Club – Participation Agreement  
2017-2018 Season – \_\_\_\_\_

We, the Parent(s)/Guardian(s) of \_\_\_\_\_, (“Parents” and “Player” respectively) have been notified by the Williamsburg Volleyball Club (“Club”) that Player has been selected for Club’s \_\_\_\_\_ Team for the 2017-2018 season. We hereby agree to become members of Williamsburg Volleyball Club and agree to the following terms and condition of membership and participation by Player:

I. General Terms

- a. Player is entitled to participate in practice, scrimmages, and tournaments designated by Club. There will be equal opportunity for all players on all teams to participate in practices. Participation in tournaments will be determined by the head coach of player’s team and based on performance in practice, attitude, and attendance.
- b. Parents and players have read, understand and will abide by the rules and regulations set forth in any WVC document.
- c. Parents and player understand and have discussed the obligations and time commitment involved in practice and competition and that the commitment extends to her/his teammates and coaches. Parents agree to fully support player’s participation in club.
- d. Parents understand that they may be asked to serve as a volunteer and/or team representative/chaperone when the team travels to tournaments or for other club functions.
- e. Parents are hereby informed and understand they cannot participate with volleyball activities, without being members of USA Volleyball and/or AAU and completing a background with USA Volleyball. Parents may become members by completing the ODR/USAV and/or AAU membership application and Background check form along with the appropriate fees.
- f. Parents understand they are responsible for Player’s transportation to and from practices and tournaments.
- g. Parents are hereby informed that participation carries the risks of bodily injury, including paralysis, and death, as well as loss or damage of property, and they must sign an ODR/USAV “release of waiver liability” included in the ODR/USAV membership form.
- h. Parents and players understand that any player or parent of a player who threatens, attempts to intimidate, does intimidate, physically assaults, or attempts to assault, or causes apprehension of an assault to a coach, member of the coaching staff, WVC Board member, fellow player or parent of a player, competitor, or referee either verbally, through intimidation, in writing (including slander), or innuendo, shall be dismissed from the club. Such behavior will not be tolerated, and will result in permanent removal of the athlete and parents as WVC members. All dismissals are the decision of the WVC Board. These decisions are final and not eligible for appeal. The parent may request a hearing before the board prior to the decision of removal being made. This request must be in writing and addressed to the Club Director with copies provided to the Vice President of Coaching and Vice President of Policy. Upon removal, no fees will be returned.

II. Financial Obligations

- a. Parents understand that they are responsible for all required tuition payments based on each assigned team’s payment schedule, along with all associated travel and uniform costs for their child’s participation.
- b. Parents understand that each team’s tuition payment schedule is tentative and in some cases estimated based on last season’s information. Changes in the tournament schedule are at the Club Director and Head Coach’s discretion after discussion with the team parents. Parents understand that the tuition covers the following:
  - i. Coaching staff USA Volleyball and AAU registration and background check fees
  - ii. General administrative, equipment and facility usage fees
  - iii. Tournament fees (except USAV GJNC for National teams)
  - iv. Coaches’ Salaries, Per Diem and travel expenses.
- c. Parents understand that travel, lodging and food costs associated with tournaments are **not** included in the tuition payment schedule.
- d. Parents understand that signing this agreement constitutes a binding contract for services for the entire club season. In the event a player/family is removed, dismissed or resigns from the club for any reason, either voluntary or involuntary, the player/family is still obligated for the remaining tuition payments.
- e. If Parents are separated and/or divorced, meeting the financial obligations under this agreement is the responsibility of the Parent signing the agreement and the club treasurer will forward bills and financial obligation statements in accordance with that policy.
- f. Parents and Players understand that financial payments are due on the assigned date based on each team’s payment schedule. If payment is not made by the assigned day, resulting in an unpaid owed balance, then the player may not be allowed to participate in any club related activity (team meeting, practice, or tournament) unless a special circumstances agreement has been arranged with the club director.
- g. Parents and Players understand that service hours for the Revolutionary Rumble are mandatory for each player, and each of the player’s parents. The hours required will be based on this fact. Accommodations may be made for single parent families,

and families with more than one player in the club. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: set-up and tear down of each team's assigned facility; setting up and tearing down concession and/or t-shirt stores; operating the concession/t-shirt store during assigned times. Times will be determined based on club membership, team player totals, and number of stores established. Each parent and player should plan to participate in facility set-up, which usually takes place on the Friday evening before the tournament starts, and facility tear-down, which takes place on Sunday evening after the tournament ends. Each parent should plan to serve 3-6 hours of store duty on both Saturday, and Sunday of the tournament, again depending on numbers. Parents understand that failure to perform these duties, may increase their player's tuition \$500 for each day they neglect these responsibilities. The maximum increase would be \$1200.00.

h. Please check the payment plan you wish to use:

\_\_\_\_\_ Your ESTIMATED 2017-2018 Tuition: . Final numbers will be determined by Oct 31<sup>st</sup>.

\_\_\_\_\_ One-Time payment (All discounts are based on the remaining tuition after the deposit is paid;  
10% discount on tuition > \$1500; 7.5% discount on tuition \$800- \$1499)

\_\_\_\_\_ 6 payments (due the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month Dec 2017 – May 2018; see Payment Schedule below)

### III. Miscellaneous

- a. By participation in a club or team activity, or by use of the facilities provided by the Williamsburg Volleyball Club, Parent and Player expressly agree that Club shall not be liable for any damages arising from personal injuries sustained by the Player, Parent, their family, or guest(s) in such Club or team activities, or on about the premises of said facilities and further agrees that Club shall not be liable for any loss or theft of personal property. Parent and Player assume full responsibility for any injuries, damages or losses which may occur to Parent and Player, their family or guest(s), at any time Club activity or in or about the premises of said facilities and does hereby fully and forever release and discharge the Williamsburg Volleyball Club, and its staff, volunteers, agents, and facilities owners from any and all claims, demands, and damages, rights or action, or causes of action, present or future, whether the same be known or unknown, anticipated, or unanticipated, resulting from or arising out of attendance be Parent and Player, their family or guest(s) at a Club or team activity or use of the said facilities or the facilities and equipment thereof provided. However, nothing contained herein shall release or discharge the Club from its gross negligence or the gross negligence of its staff.
- b. Parent and Player warrant, represent and agree that the Player is in good physical condition and that she/he has no disability, impairment or ailment that prevents her/him from engaging in active or passive exercise that will be detrimental to Player's health, safety, comfort or physical condition. It is recommended that everyone consult their own physician before beginning any exercise program or sport activity.

### IV. Payment Schedule

- a. Deposit = \$350.00 due 8/19/2017
- b. Payment #1 = \_\_\_\_\_ due 12/10/17
- c. Payment #2 = \_\_\_\_\_ due 01/10/18
- d. Payment #3 = \_\_\_\_\_ due 02/10/18
- e. Payment #4 = \_\_\_\_\_ due 03/10/18
- f. Payment #5 = \_\_\_\_\_ due 04/10/18
- g. Payment #6 = \_\_\_\_\_ due 05/10/18

The undersigned have received, read, understand and agree to abide by and cause family members and guests to abide by the policies, guidelines, rules and regulations of Club. As they now exist and as from time to time be amended or supplemented.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Parent/Guardian* *Parent/Guardian*

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Parent/Guardian* *Parent/Guardian*

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Player* *Player*

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_