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VOLLEYBALL, USA



CLUB AFFILIATE INFORMATION

Giving all girls a chance to soar

Welcome to
Starlings



The **MISSION** of Starlings Volleyball, USA is to positively impact the lives of at-risk girls through the sport of volleyball

Hello Directors!

We are so excited to share with you the many new support programs Starlings has put into place to assist you, your coaches and players.

We want to empower you by providing access to the best volleyball products with some help from our new partners. When you join the Starlings family, you will receive everything you need to run your club program and inspire as many girls as possible.

*It's an exciting time to be a Starling!
We welcome you!*

*Samantha Calisto
Director of Programs*

Our **VISION** is to provide girls with equal access to quality volleyball programs, regardless of financial hardship or skill level through exposure to training and participation in the sport of volleyball, while using the platform of the sport to empower within each player, academic excellence, healthy lifestyle choices and excellent character.



EXCITING NEW PARTNERSHIPS!

STARLINGS CLUB AFFILIATES WILL RECEIVE AMAZING DISCOUNTS ON...



adidas has partnered with Starlings Volleyball, USA to support all of our Club Affiliates through a generous donation as well as **\$35 uniform packages** and greatly discounted apparel through the Starlings website. For every pair of shoes purchased through the Starlings website, **adidas will donate a pair of shoes!**

USA Volleyball

- Discounted player and coach memberships **PLUS** comprehensive, year-round insurance
- **FREE** SafeSport and IMPACT certifications for all staff
- **FREE** Background Screening for all club staff

SportsImports

- **FREE** gently used netting systems including poles, nets, antenna, and padding to qualified Starlings programs, as well as discounted systems to all Starlings Club Affiliates

The Art of Coaching Volleyball (AOC)

- **FREE** AOC PREMIUM MEMBERSHIP to all Starlings coaches
- **FREE** "Starlings Coaches Certification" and "Coaching the Heart" video training series

American Sports Centers (ASC)

- **Host of the 2020 Starlings National Championships**
- **FREE** gym space for clinics and Starlings Anaheim

Molten Volleyballs

- **FREE** volleyball with purchase of 2, through the Starlings Volleyball, USA website

p1440 with the Dick's Sporting Goods Foundation

- **FREE** beach volleyball clinics led by Olympic Gold Medalist Kerri Walsh-Jennings
- **FREE** p1440 PREMIUM MEMBERSHIP to all Starlings Players and Coaches

AVCA

- **FREE** Membership



PROGRAMS

PLAYERS FUND

Is an effort to relieve the Starlings Directors from personally supporting players who could not otherwise participate. Players will have an online resource to request financial assistance for players club fees and travel expenses. Each request will be evaluated and supported via the Players Fund, according to the needs of the player and funds available.

DIRECTORS FUND

Starlings Volleyball, USA is building a Directors Fund, where Club Affiliate Directors may apply for assistance with gym costs, coaches pay, travel expenses, etc. It is the commitment of Starlings Volleyball, USA to create a structure where Directors can continue to keep fees affordable for our low-income, at-risk kids while still supporting their dedicated coaches and providing a safe and impactful environment for all.

STARLINGS IS HERE TO

SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow Starlings Volleyball, USA on Social Media to interact with:
the USA Women's National Team, adidas, Kerri Walsh and p1440

WEB SUPPORT

Through the Starlings website, Club Affiliates will have the ability to register all participants, collect fees, and receive administrative support.



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@starlings.org



@StarlingsVBC

COACHES DEVELOPMENT

In partnership with "The Art of Coaching", Karch Kiraly, John Kessel and other coaching icons, Starlings is developing a coaching certification program which will focus not only on excellent volleyball skill training, but insight into the heart and motivational keys of young players.

"SISTER CLUBS" DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION PROGRAM

We are inviting Clubs outside of Starlings to become part of our family through our "Sister Clubs" program.

Clubs who participate will be partnered with a Starlings Club where you and your players will be able to foster a relationship with girls from other communities and cultures, helping both programs become more understanding, accepting and valuing of others... Meanwhile, making new friends!

SUPPORT YOU!

FUNDRAISING


Starlings Volleyball, USA will provide support with a variety of fundraising campaigns throughout the club season.


BOOKKEEPING

There will be a discount offered to all Starlings Club Affiliates for monthly bookkeeping services.

WHO IS A CLUB AFFILIATE?

 You are passionate about the Starlings Mission *to positively impact the lives of at-risk girls through the sport of volleyball*

 You are willing to use your gifts and passion for volleyball to help teach and empower your coaches, and guide your players into being successful and victorious women

 You are willing to learn and improve as a Director and leader as well as mentor those with less experience

 Through your affiliation with Starlings Volleyball, USA you have access to:

-  Free and greatly discounted equipment and apparel
-  Free premium membership to the Art of Coaching and a Starlings exclusive Coaches Certification Series
-  Discounted USA Volleyball, AAU and JVA memberships
-  Free tax exemption status
-  Financial support for your players
-  Financial support for your coaches, gym costs and travel needs
-  Access to Olympians and volleyball expertise to help build and maintain your program
-  Dedicated executive staff available 24/7 to support you and your club
-  Access to Starlings fundraising programs and platforms
-  Partnership with the largest club volleyball program in the US which is held in the highest regard by those in the volleyball world

YOUR CLUB AFFILIATE OPPORTUNITIES AWAIT!

FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED IN THE POCKET

You can also find the attached documents on the Starlings website
www.starlings.org/clubaffiliates

