

Rockville Football League Player Agreement, Injury Waiver and Parent Ethics Form

There are inherent dangers involved in participation in the sport of football/cheerleading. I must be aware of the hazards associated with each activity, such as use of equipment, slips and falls, and various athletic injuries related to the game of football/cheerleading. The rules and regulations for practice and games, as explained in any written materials and/or explained by coaches and staff. The rules and regulations for practice and games, as explained in any written materials and/or explained by coaches and staff. The possible consequences of participating in football/cheerleading include the possibility of serious injury.

I agree:

To obey the rules and regulations and to follow the directions of my coaches and attending staff. To inform my coach or a staff member of any dangerous or potentially hazardous situations I may observe. That if I do not understand how an activity is performed or how a piece of equipment to be used, I will ask a coach or staff member prior to beginning the activity. If I receive any equipment or uniform, which will allow me to participate in this program, I understand I am responsible for that piece of equipment or uniform and will return it to the coach, either at the end of the season or when I am no longer a member of the team. If I fail to return my assigned equipment and/or uniform, I am aware that I will be charged the cost of replacing it. To inform a coach or staff member if I have any problems meeting the physical requirements necessary for participation in any activity. Not to be transported to and from games and practices at any time in open pick-up trucks. Further I am aware this is against the law.

Print Players Name \_\_\_\_\_

Players Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I am aware that while participating in a recreation activity or program, such as flag, tackle football or cheerleading, arranged by Rockville Football League in cooperation with the City of Rockville Department of Recreation and Parks, certain risks and dangers may be present, including, but not limited to, those generally associated with certain activities, the hazards of traveling the public highways, of accidents, of illnesses, and of the forces of nature. In consideration of the right to participate in football/cheerleading and in further consideration of the arrangements made for me by Rockville Football League and the Mayor and Council of Rockville, through its Department of Recreation and Parks for food, travel and recreation, I do hereby, on behalf of myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, assume the above-mentioned risks, and do further release, hold harmless, and indemnify the Mayor and Council of Rockville and all of its agents, officers and employees and all members of the RFL Board of Directors from any and all claims for injuries or loss to any person or property which may arise out of or result from any participation in the above-referenced program or activity. I further grant permission for a doctor to administer emergency treatment to my son/daughter in the event that I cannot be reached in a medical emergency.

Print Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parental/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT'S CODE OF ETHICS**

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child participating in youth sports by following this Parents' Code of Ethics Pledge.

I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every game, practice, or other youth sports event.

I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child ahead of a personal desire to win.

I will insist that my child play in a safe and healthy environment I will support coaches and officials working with my child, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.

I will demand a sports environment for my child that is free of drugs, tobacco, and Alcohol, and will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.

I will remember that the game is for youth, not for adults.

I will do my very best to make youth sports fun for my child.

I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans, and officials with respect, regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability. I promise to help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by doing whatever I can such as being a respectful fan, assisting with coaching, or providing transportation.

I promise to help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by doing whatever I can such as being a respectful fan, assisting with coaching, or providing transportation.

I will read the NYSCA National Standards For Youth Sports and do what I can to help all youth sports organizations implement and enforce them.

Print Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parental/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_