

Belleville Ravens Volleyball Parent's Letter of Commitment

As a parent of the Belleville Ravens Competitive program, you have made an educated decision to invest in the development of your player. Further to the financial commitment of this program, the club feels that there must be an additional commitment on your part to ensure we maximize the development of your athlete, your athlete's team, and your athlete's club. The following are guidelines that we will need from you in order to make the program successful. As parents of a member of the Belleville Ravens Program we.....

- Will ensure that our athlete is aware and comfortable with all of the policies and procedures that have been outlined by the club
- Are aware that it is not permitted to interfere during practice, games, or official team events by providing personal instruction for our athlete unless otherwise cleared by the coaching staff
- Will conduct ourselves in a supportive and constructive manner when cheering and supporting at games and tournaments
- Will inform the coaching staff of any situations that might affect our athlete's ability to cope with certain situation either physical, mental, or emotional
- Will not approach a member of the coaching staff with a concern during practices, matches, or tournaments. The communications should be made immediately prior to or following practice or in the days in between practices. Furthermore, we should not address any concern in the presence of my athlete, players from my athlete's team, or players or coaches from other club teams. All parent concerns should be communicated directly to the Head Coach, preferably in person, or via e-mail, or via phone call. If in person, I will follow the rule of 3 (three people present during the conversation). If the results are not satisfying, the matter should be handled through the executive of the club.
- Will support our athlete through positive feedback of them and their teammates play at all times. We understand that this program will push our athlete to a high level of achievement which will not always be easy
- Will be involved with our athlete development through the Ravens program by asking for feedback from the coaches at the appropriate time
- Will speak positively about other members of the club's parent group, athletes, coaching staff, and executive to people internally and externally, and will feel free to make positive suggestions to the coaching staff to advance the club's pursuit of long-term athletic development.

By the parents making this commitment, we enable each athlete an opportunity to develop throughout the 2023-2024 season.

Date

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Financial Obligations

- Athletes and parents agree to pay to the Belleville Ravens Volleyball Club the total sum of \$xxxxx for:
 - \$260 non-refundable Team Fees
 - \$1165 individual fees for 12U, 13U & 14U
 - \$1205 individual fees for 15U, 16U & 17U
 - \$1215 individual fees for 18U
- The Club agrees to offer the program as outlined above. The Club will use best efforts to offer the program as described although reserves the right to modify the program at any time to best meet the Club, team, and individual needs.
- Parents will be responsible for paying the entire amount by October 1, 2023, or can choose to make three installment payments on the following schedule:
 - October 1, 2023
 - November 15, 2023
 - January 15, 2023

Termination

- The Club and athlete recognize that circumstances may arise that make it impossible for an athlete to continue to participate in the Program.
- The Club and athlete recognize that the financial success of the program is based on full participation by all athletes in the program.
- An athlete may terminate their participation in the program if:
 - The non-refundable fees applicable to the program are paid in full in accordance to the payment plan.
 - The portion of individual fees for which the athlete has received benefit is paid in full.
- The Club may terminate an athlete’s participation in the program for cause without notice and without any refund in fees. Such conditions include but are not limited to contravening the OVA Code of Conduct and the OVA Drug and Alcohol Policy, as well as any of the Team policies established in the accompanying documents.
- The Club may terminate an athlete’s participation in the program without cause and without notice provided that the athlete is refunded any Individual and team fees that have not yet been consumed.

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