

2010 Reach Youth Basketball League Volunteer Coach Application



FAX COMPLETED APPLICATION
TO 480-659-2929

OR

MAIL APPLICATION TO:
REACH BASKETBALL
11530 E. CHESTNUT COURT
CHANDLER, AZ 85249

**A copy of a valid
government issued photo ID
must be attached to
complete this application.**

Please call 480-628-6722 with any questions.

NAME: _____ DATE OF APPLICATION: _____

ADDRESS: _____
STREET CITY STATE ZIP

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ MALE or FEMALE: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____

CELL PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

NAME OF CHILD / PARTICIPANT(S) AND SCHOOL ENROLLED:

Did you coach in a basketball program last year? Yes / No (please circle one)
If yes, which program and what grade level?

Are you interested in coaching a League Team? Yes / No
Please list coaching experience and/or formal training you received in coaching:

Outside of experience listed above, why you would be a good volunteer coach for REACH
YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE?

List any formal training you have received in First Aid:

List any formal training you have received in teaching children or parenting:

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

Have you ever been convicted of a crime? YES / NO (please circle one)

If yes, please explain:

Have you ever been involved in an incident involving child abuse or neglect? YES / NO (please circle one)

If yes, please explain:

REFERENCES (List 3 not related to you):

Name	Address	Phone #
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Print Name

Signature of Coach Applicant

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2010 REACH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE VOLUNTEER WAIVER & RELEASE FORM

VOLUNTEER WAIVER & RELEASE IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Reach Youth Basketball League (RYBL) and CUSD are committed to conducting its programs and activities in a safe manner and hold the safety of volunteers in high regard. The RYBL continually strives to reduce such risks and asks that all volunteers follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to protect the volunteers' safety. However, volunteers must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to volunteer for any recreational activity or program.

Please recognize that the RYBL carry only limited medical accident coverage for volunteers; therefore, it is strongly urged that all volunteers review their own health insurance policy for coverage. Additionally, each volunteer is solely responsible for determining if he/she is physically fit and/or properly skilled for any volunteer activity. It is always advisable, especially if the volunteer is pregnant, disabled in any way or recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical activity.

WARNING OF RISK

Despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury when participating in any recreational activity/program. Understandably, not all hazards and dangers can be foreseen. Volunteers must understand that depending upon the activity, certain risks, dangers and injuries due to acts of God, inclement weather, slipping, falling, inadequate or defective equipment, failure in supervision or instruction, premises defects, horseplay, carelessness, lack of skill or technique, and all other circumstances inherent to recreational activities/programs exist. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for the RYBL to guarantee absolute safety.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in signing up and volunteering for this program/activity, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you may sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with your volunteer services (including transportation services, when provided).

As a volunteer, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to volunteers in this program/activity, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that I may sustain as a result of said participation. I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims I may have (or accrue to me) as a result of volunteering in this program/activity against the RYBL and CUSD, including its officers, officials, agents, volunteers and employees (herein after collectively referred as "Parties").

I do hereby fully release and forever discharge the Parties from any and all claims for injuries, damages, or loss that I may have or which may accrue to me and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with my volunteer services.

I have read and fully understand the above important information, warning of risk, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. If registering on-line or via fax, your on-line or facsimile signature shall substitute for and have the same legal effect as an original form signature.

PLEASE PRINT

Volunteer's Name _____

Volunteer's Signature _____

Parent's Signature (if under 18 years old) _____ Date _____

PARTICIPATION WILL BE DENIED

If the signature of the volunteer and date are not on this waiver.

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COACHES' CODE OF ETHICS

The following Code of Ethics has been developed in compliance with standards as set forth by the Chandler Unified School District, *and* the Community Education CLUB C.U.S.D Program.

Our Coaches are the “face” of the program to our parents, players, officials, our schools, and our community at large. Thus, each coach is expected to maintain a high level of integrity and professionalism both on and off the field. A Coach’s primary responsibility is to develop good citizens and basketball players, and to instill a passion for the game in the players. Thus, our coach’s performance is not measured by wins and losses, rather in what he/she teaches the players in terms of technique, sportsmanship, and fair play.

I hereby Pledge to live up to my responsibilities as a Reach Youth Basketball League Coach and a Chandler Unified School District Volunteer by following this Coaches’ Code of Ethics.

- 1) Show sportsmanship and respect for the opponent at all times.
- 2) Show sportsmanship and respect for the game officials at all times.
- 3) Know, understand and appreciate the rules of the game of basketball.
- 4) Exercise and maintain self-control at all times when participating in all RYBL games.
- 5) Place the emotional and physical well-being of participants ahead of the desire to win.
- 6) Treat all participants as individuals remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for all the age groups.
- 7) Provide a fun and safe playing environment for all participants.
- 8) Exhibit proper ethical behavior while interacting with players, coaches, league officials and parents/guardians at practices and games. Understand that the use of foul or abusive language is strictly prohibited. Commit ourselves to make sure we will not tolerate the use of foul or abusive language by our players, parents, friends, and fans.
- 9) Know and practice the basic first-aid principles needed to treat injuries.
- 10) Demonstrate fair play and sportsmanship to all participants, officials and parents.
- 11) Provide a sports environment for all teams that is free of drugs, tobacco or alcohol within the confines of the playing court and refrain from their use at all RYBL events.
- 12) Treat each player, opposing coach, league official, and parent/guardian with the utmost respect and dignity.
- 13) Remember that we are a youth basketball coach and/or a basketball parent and that the game is for the youth players and not the adults.
- 14) Enjoy the RYBL experience by doing whatever is necessary on being a respectful fan, and especially assisting and supporting all the coaches, umpires and officials involved with RYBL.
- 15) Be reasonable in demands on the players and all participants remembering that the player(s) are not miniature professional basketball players.
- 16) Importantly, accept victory with humility and defeat with grace. Be neither boastful nor bitter.
- 17) Make sure my players, their parents and friends, and our fans, follow and understand this Code of Ethics and promise to follow the requirements of this code.

With my signature, I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and accept the terms of, and will do my best to fulfill the terms of this document. I understand that not upholding the terms of this code and agreement can result in removal from my coaching position and possibly my suspension from participation in all Reach Youth Basketball programs.

Print Name

Signature of Coach Applicant

DATE