

**Midwest Collegiate Club Volleyball, Inc.**  
**d/b/a Midwest Intercollegiate Volleyball Association**  
**Release of Liability and Sportsmanship Acknowledgement**

CLUB NAME \_\_\_\_\_ CONFERENCE: \_\_\_\_\_ SEASON: \_\_\_\_\_

AUTHORIZED CLUB REPRESENTATIVE (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned individuals individually and jointly agree, as a precondition of participating in the Midwest Intercollegiate Volleyball Association, and its various conferences ("MIVA"), to the following:

1. Each participant acknowledges the inherent risks in the sport of volleyball, including, without limitation, muscular, nerve, and bone damage. Notwithstanding these risks, each participant acknowledges that neither the MIVA nor any of its agents or representatives make any representations of any kind related to the safety or appropriateness of any facility used or useful for MIVA events or MIVA sponsored and directed activities, or, related to the background or training of any individual associated with any MIVA event or activity. Each participant and club represents that they will exercise the highest degree of sportsmanship and behavior while participating in any MIVA event or MIVA sponsored and directed activities.
2. Each participant acknowledges that the MIVA is not obliged to provide insurance or any form of reimbursement to clubs or participants for any of their costs, injuries or damages arising in connection with their participation in any MIVA event or MIVA sponsored and directed activity. Each participant and club acknowledges that they assume all cost, risk and expense of their participation in all MIVA events and MIVA sponsored and directed activities. Each club and participant acknowledges that MIVA does not assume any liability or responsibility of any kind with respect to the participation by the club and participants in non-MIVA sponsored events or activities, including but not limited to their travel and accommodations, practices, acquisition or use of equipment, balls or uniforms, participation in non-MIVA events or activities, nor for the conduct of any school staff, contracted referees, fans, other teams, persons or, organizations, whether or not the same are related in any way to a MIVA event or are MIVA agents and representatives.
3. Each participant and club releases and agrees to hold harmless the Midwest Collegiate Club Volleyball, Inc. and each of its agents and representatives, including each member of the Midwest Collegiate Club Volleyball, Inc. Board of Directors, Officers, Commissioner(s), Director(s) of Competition, referees, trainers, assistants, tournament directors, volunteers and MIVA event staff, from any liability or claims for damages arising in connection with the planning or execution of any MIVA event or MIVA sponsored and directed activity. Each club and participant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Midwest Collegiate Club Volleyball, Inc. and each of its agents and representatives, including each member of the Midwest Collegiate Club Volleyball, Inc. Board of Directors, Officers, Commissioner(s), Director(s) of Competition, referees, trainers, assistants, tournament directors, volunteers and MIVA event staff from any liability or claims for damages related to a participant's or club's failure to comply with any MIVA or other applicable rule, policy or code of conduct, or any law.
4. Each participant represents that they have medical insurance that provides coverage to them in the event they are injured while participating in any MIVA event or MIVA sponsored and directed activity. Each participant represents that they have no physical or mental disability that in any way exposes them or others to unreasonable risk by virtue of their participation in any MIVA event or MIVA sponsored and directed activity. Each participant represents that they have secured requisite sports and other necessary training and have the background necessary to fully participate in any MIVA event or MIVA sponsored and directed activity. Each club represents that they have identified any participant under the age of 18 and have met all requirements of any kind relative to the participation of any individual under the 18,

including any necessary training, background, disclosure to the MIVA and similar or related requirements that pertain to participation by such persons.

5. Each participant and club represents that they have secured all necessary approvals of any kind that are appropriate or necessary for participation in any MIVA event or MIVA sponsored and directed activity. Each participant and club gives permission to the MIVA and its authorized representatives to share participant name and other personally identifying information necessary for the administration of the individual's participation in MIVA events or any MIVA sponsored and directed activity.

Please submit one form per team. All roster and bench personnel must sign this form (use \* to indicate person under the age of 18).

The undersigned acknowledge that they have read and understood this document and meet all requirements that relate to their participation in a MIVA event or MIVA sponsored or directed activity:

| CLUB NAME _____ | Signature _____ | Date _____ |
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