

Pulaski County Recreation Youth Sports Program Volunteer Application

In an effort to provide our community youth with a pleasant and safe recreational experience that stresses building good character and sportsmanship, Pulaski County Recreation requires the following application to be filled out by every person requesting to be a general volunteer and a head, or assistant coach in any participating support. The information given below will be kept confidential by all County staff and is required prior to allowing anyone to coach a recreational sport. In conjunction with Pulaski County hiring policies, all employees, volunteers, coaches and other workers are subject to a basic criminal background check. (A criminal background check is performed by simply giving your name and social security number.) In an effort to protect the legal interests of the County of Pulaski, those denying the County to conduct a basic criminal background check will not be considered for volunteer service. The County Recreation Commission reserves the right to terminate anyone performing volunteer service for any conduct deemed as inappropriate.

Name: _____ Home #: _____ Work #: _____ Cell #: _____
Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____
E-mail Address: _____ Social Security Number _____
Have you ever been convicted of a felony or any type of criminal misconduct? (Check One) YES _____ NO _____
If yes, please explain: _____
Social Security Number _____
Why are you volunteering? _____

Volunteer position you are applying for:

_____ Head Coach _____ Assistant Coach _____ Referee/Umpire _____ Team Parent _____ Clinic Instructor

Sport program (s) you would like to volunteer to work with:

Have you ever participated in an adult or youth sports program before?

If so
What program? Where? When? In what capacity?

Describe the skills/characteristics/experience/qualifications you possess that will enhance your success as a volunteer:

What areas of coaching do you feel you need training in?

_____ Technique _____ Rules _____ Strategy _____ Injury Prevention & Treatment _____ Safety _____
Communicating w/parents & Players _____ Developing Sportsmanship _____ Motivating Youngsters
_____ Organizing a practice _____ Warm-up & Physical Conditioning _____ Character Development

References: (References will be contacted)

Employed by: _____ Work Phone: _____

Please give two personal references that can recommend you as a volunteer:

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

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I understand that Pulaski County Recreation programs are founded on the principles of involvement "athlete first, winning second", safety, fair play, positive competition, volunteer involvement and fun for everyone in all programs. I also understand that as a volunteer I will be expected to follow all policies and procedures for volunteers and staff of Pulaski County Recreation. Working in a volunteer capacity, I state that I will promote an environment that stresses good sportsmanship and good character rather than focusing on winning at all costs. Further, I understand that along with the Pulaski County Recreation staff, I am responsible for the welfare and safety of both the team I am representing as well as the opposing teams. I understand that Pulaski County Recreation reserves the right to terminate my volunteer service for any on my conduct deemed as inappropriate. Lastly, I agree to allow the designated County Recreation Staff member to submit my name and social security number to the proper agency for the purpose of verifying and current or past criminal involvement.

Signature: _____ Date: _____