

REPUBLIC PARKS & RECREATION SPORTS REGISTRATION

This form needs to be returned to be registered.

Program: Youth Volleyball – Winter 2020

Coaches Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Team Grade: _____ Competitive / Recreational

Team Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

I understand that Republic Parks & Recreation reserves the right to cancel a program at any time due to unforeseen circumstances, as well as photograph participants of our programs. I also understand that to be registered for a program, the fee must be paid.

Signature _____

For office use only
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Received by _____ Date _____



COACHES:

The Republic Parks and Recreation Department is excited to announce another session of youth volleyball for grades 1st – 6th. Please see below for league information.

LEAGUE STRUCTURE:

		TEAM LEAGUE FEE	
Grades	# of Games	Resident	Non-Resident
1 st & 2 nd	6	\$125	\$150
3 rd – 6 th	8	\$225	\$250

1st & 2nd Grade – This will be an introduction league and will be structured as such. The first 20 minutes of the scheduled game time will be used for drills and practice. After 20 minutes teams will play 2 games to 15 points with a cap at 17.

3rd – 6th Grade – All grades will be divided (3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th) unless there are not enough teams in each division in which case 3rd/4th will be combined and/or 5th/6th will be combined.

Registration: November 25 – December 27, 2019

Season Begins: January 20, 2020

Game Days:

1 st /2 nd Grade	-	Monday/Tuesday
3 rd Grade	-	Monday/Tuesday
4 th Grade	-	Monday/Tuesday
5 th Grade	-	Tuesday/Thursday
6 th Grade	-	Tuesday/Thursday

Background Check: All head coaches and co-head coaches are required to pass a background check (no cost to the coach) before they will be allowed to coach. Information regarding background checks will be included in the coaches' packet.

Practice: Teams are required to find their own practice facility. Teams that have paid for the league can rent a gym at the Republic Community Center for \$20 per hour. Rental fees are due at the beginning of each rental.

Coaches Meeting: Tuesday, January 14 @ 6:00p.m.- Republic Community Center

I look forward to working with you. Feel free to contact me at 732-3500 or kparks@republicmo.com with further questions.

Kris Parks
Recreation Supervisor



Girls Youth Volleyball Rules

Winter 2020

The Republic Parks and Recreation Department will follow HOA/USA Volleyball rules, with exceptions for certain rules as follows:

1. Teams must be comprised of at least eight players and we recommend no more than 12 players. At least four players must be present at the start of the game or the game will be considered a forfeit. A five-minute grace period will be allowed for the first match only. There will be NO “borrowing” or “bringing” players from other teams and off the stands to fill in. If the game is forfeited, you may still practice during your game time but there will be no referees.
2. Each match will consist of a best of three series of games. The first two games will be rally scored to 25 points (30 point cap), and the third, if needed, will be rally scored to 15 points (20 point cap). Every game must be won by a 2-point margin unless the cap is reached.
3. Let Serve will be used—a ball that when served, hits the net without touching the net antenna and continues across the net into the opponent’s court is a playable live ball.
4. A legal contact is a touch of the ball by any part of the player’s body.
5. There will be no time limit for each game.
6. Libero player will not be used to encourage player participation and development.
7. The rest period between games will be one minute and three minutes between matches.
8. Injury substitution may be made at any time and a team may play with fewer than four players if an injury during the game causes the team to be short.
9. Teams will follow standard substitution procedures. Standard substitution procedures are as follows: Starting players may be replaced by any player on the bench (but not by another starter). Once a starter is replaced, to be eligible to come back into the game she must re-enter for the player who took her spot (her substitute). The rotation must continue in the same manner. The rotation, once started, cannot be broken for that game. No substitutes can sub for more than one starter/position in the same game. Rotations may change for other games in the match.
10. Each team must provide their own line judge for each game. Line Judge must be at least 15 years old.
11. Time-outs may be requested any time the ball is dead. Time-outs shall not exceed one minute. A team is allowed two time outs per game with no carry over. If a third tie-breaking game is required, only one time out is allowed.
12. Players in 1st-2nd grades may serve from as close as the attack line. Players in 3rd – 6th grades may serve from the free throw line (approx. 23 ft. from the net).
13. **To encourage player development, please observe the following service rules:**
 - **For grades 1st-4th - After five consecutive serves, the opposing team will have a chance to serve.**

14. The official net heights: 1st-4th grade: 6'6"; 5th-6th grade: 7'0"
15. Players in grades 1st-6th grade will use the official Volley-Lite volleyball.
16. All players on a team must wear like-colored uniforms with numbers on their backs for identification. Numbers must be at least 6" on the back, which is not a duplicate of a teammate's number.
17. Jewelry will not be allowed.
18. Poor sportsmanship will not be tolerated. As a coach you are responsible for your team's crowd and their actions.
19. The official team roster and Coaches Code of Ethics must be filled out completely and turned in before the first game of the season. A team line up with names and starting positions must be turned in to the score keeper at least 10 minutes prior to game time.
20. Players may play on no more than two teams per grade division in the youth volleyball program. Players may play in two different grade levels as eligible. Players may play up grade levels, but not down. Players participating without being listed on the official team roster are considered ineligible. Teams found using an ineligible player will forfeit all games in which the ineligible player participated. No new players may be added to the team roster or change teams after the first game of the season has been played.
21. Males are allowed to play, however team rosters must be at least 50% female. Additionally, a maximum of 3 males (50% or less of players) is allowed to play on the court at any given time.
22. Should a team forfeit two consecutive games without notifying the Recreation Department the team will be dropped from the league.
23. Two adult coaches are permitted on the "bench." Coaches are to remain seated on the bench while play is in progress.
24. No protests are allowed on judgement calls of the officials. The official score sheet will be final. Concerns about officials must be made to the Recreation Supervisor. All protests must be filed by the head coach or the assistant coach at the Community Center within twenty-four hours of the violation.
25. Each team will receive two coaches' passes good for free entry into any & all of the games during the season. Coaches' passes must be shown at the gate. All fans between the ages of 12 and 55 will be required to pay a \$1.50 entry fee per league game.
26. The Recreation Supervisor reserves the right to make final determination on any rules or interpretations that may differ from the HOA/USA Volleyball rulebook.

Republic Parks & Receptions Gym Rules & Security

We are requesting your assistance in enforcing the following rules, which are to be observed by all groups using the gyms.

1. No one except the Republic Parks & Recreation Supervisor is allowed to touch or adjust the nets at anytime.
2. Siblings of players should remain in the gyms at all times and not be allowed to run the hallways without parent supervision.
3. Participants and spectators are allowed to utilize the walking track above the gym, however, people are prohibited from standing and watching gyms from above the court....only walking/running is allowed.
4. Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

Thank you for helping us take care of our gym!

REPUBLIC PARKS AND RECREATION
Youth 1st - 6th Grade Volleyball
Winter 2020

Head Coach _____

Team Name _____

Assistant Coach _____

Address _____

Hm. Ph. _____ Wk. Ph. _____

E-mail Address _____

Asst. Phone _____

NAME	PARENT'S SIGNATURE	* EMAIL	PHONE	GRADE
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Resident Team Fee = 1st/2nd - \$125/3rd-6th - \$225

Non - Resident Team Fee = 1st/2nd - \$150/3rd-6th - \$250

Registration Deadline: December 27, 2019

Grade _____

By signing the roster the parent/legal guardian gives permission for their child to participate in the Republic Parks & Recreation Volleyball program. The Parent/legal guardian also agrees that the Republic Parks and Recreation Department, its staff, or the City of Republic will not be held responsible for accidents that may occur through the use of park, recreation, or school facilities or equipment.

* By providing your email address you will receive monthly e-newsletters from the Parks & Recreation Department.
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Republic Parks & Recreation Coaches Code of Ethics



As a Coach in the Republic Parks and Recreation Department Program:

- I will place the needs of the participants ahead of a personal desire to win.
- I will not engage in unsportsmanlike conduct with any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee nor encourage my team or any other person to do so.
- I will not engage in any behavior which would endanger the health, safety or wellbeing of any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee nor encourage my team or any other person to do so.
- I will not use drugs or alcohol while at a youth sports event and will not attend, coach, officiate or participate in a youth sports event while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- I will not engage in the use of profanity or encourage my team or any other person to do so.
- I will treat any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee with respect regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation or ability. I will encourage my team to also do so.
- I will not engage in verbal or physical threats or abuse aimed at any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee nor encourage my team or any other person to do so.
- I will not initiate a fight or scuffle with any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee or encourage my team or any other person to do so.
- I will be knowledgeable in the rules of each sport that I coach and will teach and abide by the rules of the game.
- I will provide each player with the opportunities for equal playing time.
- I will remember that the game is for kids... not adults.

I understand that if I have any criminal charges brought against me that are listed in our Criteria for Exclusion in the Background Screening Policy for Volunteers during my term of service to the Republic Parks & Recreation Department, I will be required to immediately disclose the nature of the charges to the Athletic Superintendent or Parks & Recreation Director and voluntarily terminate my duties until a determination is made by the Athletic Superintendent or Parks & Recreation Director regarding the effect of the pending charges on my functions within the program.

Head Coach

Date

The Parks & Recreation Director and/or the Athletic Superintendent, upon each initial complaint, will review coaches who are in violation of the Code of Ethics. Coaches who violate the spirit of this code will be required to meet with the Parks & Recreation Director and/or the Athletic Superintendent. Should a coach be found to violate any one of the above codes he/she may be subject to game suspensions or expulsion from all Republic Parks & Recreation sponsored programs.