



# NCVA Letter of Commitment

2023.2024 Boys' Season

FIRST DAY OF TRYOUTS MAY BE HELD ON OR AFTER AUGUST 18, 2023. DO NOT SIGN THIS BEFORE AUGUST 23, 2022.

DO NOT SIGN WITHOUT READING CAREFULLY OR WITHIN 48 HOURS AFTER ATTENDING A TRYOUT.

**NOTE: IT IS A VIOLATION OF NCVA POLICY TO POST-DATE THIS DOCUMENT.**

1. **This is the official Letter of Commitment for NCVA/USAV, all others will not be recognized or supported.**
  - a. This requirement has been created to protect the player and parent/guardian as a member of a club whom follows NCVA policies and guidelines.
2. **Basic Penalty.** I understand that by signing this letter I am committed to joining the club named within this document for the entire 2023-2024 season (September 1, 2023 – August 31, 2024). If I compete with another club, I may be subject to suspension for the remainder of the season.
  - a. **Early Signing Penalty.** A player who signs a Letter of Commitment can only do so after they receive an offer from that club.
  - b. **Under no conditions** may the Letter of Commitment **be pre-signed or pre-dated.**
  - c. **It is the responsibility of the Club to inform players' parent or legal guardian of deposit and refund policy in the Commitment Letter.**
  - d. **It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to understand the club deposit and refund policy before signing.**
  - e. **Only One Letter of Commitment Permitted.** A player who signs more than one Letter of Commitment with more than one club is subject to suspension for the entire 2023-2024 season.
3. **Verbal Commitments.** Returning players may verbally commit after July 6, 2023. **A verbal commitment is not binding.** The player may revoke the commitment at any time, before signing this Letter of Commitment, without penalty.
4. **Recruiting Ban after Signing.** I understand that all clubs are obligated to respect my signing and shall cease to recruit me upon my signing this document. I shall notify any recruiter who contacts me that I have signed and if necessary, have the club I am committed to contact the NCVA for further assistance.
5. **Club Signatures Required Prior to Submission.** This document must be signed and dated by the Club Director before submission to me and my parents (or legal guardian) for our signatures.
6. **Parent/Guardian Signature Required.** My parent or legal guardian is required to sign this Letter of Commitment if I am less than 21 years of age at the time of signing.
7. **Falsification of Letter of Commitment.** If any part of this Letter of Commitment is falsified, including the date or any policy, the athlete and club understands that they are subject to suspension for the entire 2023-2024 season.
8. **Nullification of Other Agreements.** My signature on this Letter of Commitment nullifies any agreements, verbal or otherwise, which would release me from the conditions stated within this document.
9. **Binding Agreement.** I understand that I have signed this Letter of Commitment with the club and not with a particular individual. If the coach or any player(s) leaves the team, I remain bound by the provisions of this document. If a club makes dramatic material changes from what was promised, then it may be grounds for a release from the commitment. Examples include, but are not limited, to significant changes in practice schedule, practice location, tournament schedule, cost, etc.

**I certify that I have read all terms and conditions in this document, discussed them with the club representative named within, and I fully understand, accept, and agree to them:**

Club Name: _____	Team Name: _____	
Player's Name: _____	Signature: _____	Date: _____
Address: _____	City: _____	State: _____ Zip: _____
Parent's Name: _____	Signature: _____	Date: _____
Parent Phone #: _____	Parent Email: _____	
Club Director: _____	Signature: _____	Date: _____