

Corridor Volleyball Club

Fundraising Participation Policy

1. Purpose

Corridor Volleyball Club is committed to keeping registration fees as affordable as possible while continuing to provide high-quality coaching, training, and competitive opportunities for all athletes. Fundraising initiatives play an important role in offsetting club operating costs and supporting this goal.

2. Fundraising Expectations

All registered athletes are **expected to participate** in club-organized fundraising initiatives during the season. These initiatives are designed to reduce overall program costs and benefit the entire club community.

Participation may include, but is not limited to:

- Selling fundraising products
- Participating in fundraising events
- Contributing effort toward team or club fundraising goals

Fundraising expectations and timelines will be communicated clearly at the start of the season.

3. Opt-Out / Buy-Out Option

Corridor Volleyball Club recognizes that some athletes or families may choose or prefer not to participate in fundraising activities.

- Athletes who do not participate in fundraising will be required to pay a **fundraising opt-out (buy-out) amount**.
- This amount represents the athlete's share of expected fundraising contributions and is **owed in addition to the standard registration fees**.
- The opt-out amount and payment deadline will be communicated prior to or at the time of registration.

Failure to meet fundraising participation requirements or to pay the opt-out amount by the stated deadline may result in restrictions on participation until obligations are fulfilled.

4. Equity and Fairness

This policy is intended to ensure fairness among families and athletes by:

- Sharing responsibility for keeping club costs manageable
- Ensuring that those who do not participate in fundraising contribute financially in an equivalent manner

All funds raised or collected through opt-out payments are used solely to support club operations and programming.

5. Questions or Special Circumstances

Families experiencing extenuating circumstances are encouraged to contact the club executive to discuss their situation. Requests will be considered on a case-by-case basis, at the discretion of Corridor Volleyball Club.