FULMONT VOLLEYBALL CLUB
2026-27 CLUB SEASON CONTRACT

Parents and Players must sign this agreement that they have read the rules below and agree to them, sign and RETURN THE SIGNATURE PAGE ONLY.

The Fulmont Volleyball Club is dedicated to creating a safe, supportive, and incident-free season for all by clearly outlining expectations upfront through this agreement. We ask that all Athletes and Parents read and agree to these terms before joining.

The mission of the Fulmont Volleyball Club is to provide local Athletes with the opportunity to not only learn the game of volleyball but to also develop life skills that can be used both on and off the court.

THIS CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT (the "Contract") is made and entered into, by and between FULMONT VOLLEYBALL CLUB ("FVC") and below Named Parent and Athlete, as participant in a FVC Program.
Violation of any of these guidelines may lead to immediate termination of FVC membership, without refund.

ATHLETES

- FVC promotes respect, discipline, commitment, and teamwork, expecting all Athletes to act with integrity and represent the club positively. Selfish or disrespectful behavior—toward coaches, teammates, officials, parents, or other clubs—will not be tolerated.
- Athletes are expected to always uphold respectful communication, any disparaging remarks made through social media or electronic messaging—whether about teammates, other players, teams, or Club staff—are strictly prohibited.

PRACTICE & COMMITMENT

- Understand that practice is where you receive the most instruction and experience. Tournament play is only a supplement to participating in Club.
- Athletes commit to being at practice 10 minutes prior to the requested time.
- If you must miss a practice, you must inform your Coach a minimum 24 hours in advance so that the Coach may plan practice appropriately.
- Due to weather or unforeseen circumstances, there may be times when practice is cancelled at the last minute. This will be communicated as quickly as known/possible.
- We request that FVC be a priority, **<u>after</u>** schoolwork, school sports and school activities.
- Performance, effort, and attendance in practice determines playing time at tournaments.

TOURNAMENTS

- Players have NO guarantee of playing time.
- Bring ALL uniform items to ALL tournaments.
- When your team has tournament work duties, the ENTIRE team must stay and work until the match is completed, this includes the last officiating duty.
- During overnight travel, it is our preference that all Athletes stay with their parents or another team parent. It is the parent's responsibility to arrange housing for their Athletes, if they can't attend.
- Athletes and Parents are expected to always maintain respectful and responsible behavior while staying in hotels during FVC events.

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PARENTS

- Parents are to always be supportive of the entire Team, and all FVC Teams while at Tournaments. Negative comments will not be tolerated and may result in the Athlete being removed from the club.
- Parents are not to engage in any behavior in cheering that would reflect negatively on FVC. Guidelines for Parents are no different from Athletes in this regard.
- Parents are not to "Coach" their Athletes during Tournaments. The Athletes will be focused on what Coaches have to say and need to concentrate on such. Parents are not allowed near the team bench.
- Only the Head Coach or the Team Captain, under the direction of the Head Coach, may question an official or gym supervisor. At no time should you address or yell at any official OR the working team.
- **PHOTO RELEASE -** By participating in FVC activities, I grant permission for FVC to photograph, video record, and/or use images of me or my child for promotional, educational, and informational purposes. These materials may appear in club publications, social media, websites, or other media platforms. I understand that no compensation will be provided and that all media will remain the property of FVC. If I wish to opt out, I will notify the club in writing prior to the start of the season.

FUNDRAISING

I understand that fundraising activities help offset club expenses and benefit all players.

- Participation is encouraged but not required.
- All net proceeds from CLUB-wide fundraisers will be distributed evenly across rostered Athletes.
- All net proceeds from TEAM fundraisers will be distributed evenly across rostered Athletes of the respective team.
- Funds will be applied toward tournament fees, travel, uniforms, and other related costs.
- If an Athlete withdraws mid-season, their share of proceeds will be reallocated to remaining players.

FINANCIAL OBLIGATION

To be ready for the season, FVC has to make large non-refundable financial investments into tournament fees, equipment, administrative fees and, potentially, space rental. Included in the club fees are tournament fees, practice facility fees, uniforms for new players, and operational and administrative fees.

Total Club Fee: $900 per athlete, due as follows:

Payment Due	Amount	Description
At Contract Signing/Acceptance	$300	Initial deposit to secure roster spot
October 1, 2026	$150	Season installment
November 1, 2026	$150	Season installment
December 1, 2026	$150	Season installment
January 3, 2027	$150	Final installment

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PARENTS AND PLAYERS ARE TO KEEP THE WRITTEN AGREEMENT AND REMIT ONLY THIS SIGNATURE PAGE.

The above must be read, agreed upon, and signed by both Athlete and Parent(s) before joining the FVC Program.

In agreement with the commitments above, I certify that all parties have read all sections of above commitment agreement and agree to abide by the rules and commitments set forth above while participating in the volleyball season set forth by FVC.

Athlete Name: _____ Team:_____

Athlete Name	Athlete Signature	Date

Parent Name	Parent Signature	Date

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