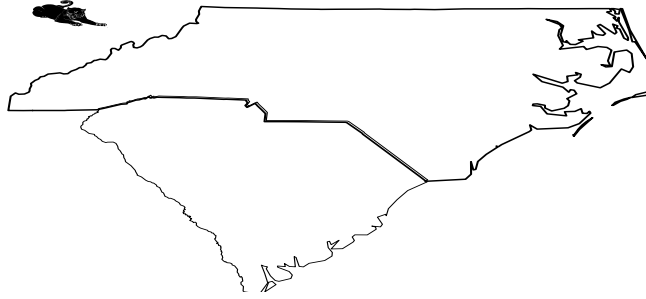


Carolina Youth Rugby

P.O. Box 12585, Charlotte, NC 28220



2010 PLAYER INFORMATION

Player's Name _____ Nickname: _____

Player's Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Home Phone: _____ E-Mail _____

Date of Birth _____

Parent/Guardian 1: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian 2: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Other Emergency Contact: _____

Other Emergency Phone: _____

CAROLINA YOUTH RUGBY GENERAL CODE OF CONDUCT 2010

This code establishes the basic contract for behavior on this team, for both coaches and players. Once a player joins the team, he or she has made a commitment to abide by these rules

1. **Grades are a player's primary concern.** Player's grades will not fall because a player is playing Rugby. If your school has other requirements these will apply.
2. **Use of controlled substances (alcohol, other drugs, cigarettes for minors, etc.) will not be tolerated.**
3. **Racist, sexist, and bigoted jokes and statements will not be tolerated.**
4. **Obscene or profane language, as determined by the coaches, will not be tolerated.**
5. **No player will be allowed to participate in contact practices or games without a mouthpiece.**
6. **No player will be allowed to participate in contact practices or games without a suitably qualified or experienced Coach and Medical Trainer/EMT**
7. **Fighting on the pitch will not be tolerated.** If a fight appears to be starting, teammates will pull the offending player to a safe area. Fighting could get a player suspended from the league for a period of time determined by coaches and/or the disciplinary committee.
8. **Intolerable offenses may result in temporary or permanent suspension from the league at the discretion of the coach or a disciplinary committee appointed by the Board of Carolina Youth Rugby.**
9. **Rugby Activities are those approved by the head coach, and a coach is present at the activity i.e. practices, games (set-up, competition, and clean-up), approved social activities and fundraisers. If no coach is present, it is not a team-sanctioned activity, even if it starts as one.**
- 10) **No player or coach will show disrespect to any other player, coach or referee.**
11. No player will be dropped from the team for lack of athletic ability.
12. Players will not be allowed to play without the following:
 - (a) Picture identification, (b) CIPP registration, (c) Medical waiver/permission form, (d) Payment of player fee to Carolina Youth Rugby (e) When requested, verification from school of student status. Unless a player is over eighteen on September 1st 2009, parents/guardians must sign these forms.
13. Players will wear the proper uniform to practice and games. At games, exposed boxer shorts or non white or black lycra shorts are unacceptable.
14. Good manners are expected on and off the field, especially when a player is wearing clothing identifying him or her as a Rugby player for Carolina Youth Rugby. Respect for the Referee is required by the laws for the players and expected by the club for the spectators (back talk, disrespectful behavior, or assault, either verbal or physical, will not be tolerated).
15. As a club, all players are expected to assist whenever possible. This includes setting up the fields, after game socials, and fundraisers.
16. The home team shall arrange an after game social. Players from both teams shall attend.
17. If a player is severely injured, a Coach, or someone designated by a Coach, will take him or her to the hospital. An adult, generally a Coach, will remain with the player until either the player is released, or the parents arrive.
18. Parents shall abide by the following Code for Parents:
 - a. Remember, young people are involved in rugby for their enjoyment, not yours.
 - b. Always encourage your child to play by the Laws of the Game.
 - c. Teach young children that honest endeavor is as important as winning, so that the result of each game is accepted without disappointment.
 - d. Help young people work towards skill improvement and good sportsmanship.
 - e. Set a good example by applauding good play on both sides.
 - f. Never ridicule, humiliate, or shout at young players for making a mistake or losing a match. Encourage them through recognizing the positive aspects of their play.
 - g. Do not place emphasis on winning at all costs
 - h. Do not force an unwilling child to participate in the playing of rugby. If the child is to play, he or she will do so in good time. There are other aspects of rugby other than playing which are equally fulfilling.
 - i. Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from rugby.
 - j. As a spectator, do not use profane language or harass referees, coaches, or players.
 - k. Do not publicly question the referee's judgment and never their honesty.
 - l. Recognize the value and importance of volunteer referees and coaches. They give of their time and resources to provide recreational activities for young people.
 - m. Encourage in your child an appreciation of mutual respect for teammates and opponents.

We have read, understand and agree to the Code of Conduct as set forth above:

(X) _____ Player Date: _____

(X) _____ Custodial Parent/Legal Guardian Date: _____

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Parental Permission, Waiver, Release, and Authorization to Consent to Medical Treatment for Minor**

Player's Name: _____ (the "Player")

1. The Player, and his or her custodial parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) (together referred to as the "Undersigned"), hereby consent to the Player's participation in Rugby with the Youth Team (the "Team") of Carolina Youth Rugby. The Undersigned understand and agree that participation includes, but is not limited to, practice sessions, games, meetings, functions, parties, fund raising, and the like, and transportation to and from these activities. The Undersigned further understand and agree that transportation will generally be via automobiles and that the drivers will include adults, other Players, and fellow students. The Undersigned understand there is the potential for some drivers to be underinsured, or uninsured and the Undersigned agree to supplement their insurance to provide for sufficient underinsured or uninsured coverage to compensate for any losses resulting from injury or death in connection with a transportation mishap and the Undersigned otherwise waive claims against any driver beyond his or her insurance coverage as well as against any Carolina Youth Rugby coach and staff and against USA Rugby, their designated Local Area Union or Territorial Union..

2. The Undersigned understand and agree that the Team is not sponsored by any school within any of the school districts, and as such, these institutions and their administrators and officials are not responsible or liable for injury, sickness, disability, paralysis, or death that may result from the Player's participation with the Team and all claims against said entities and individuals are waived.

3. The Undersigned understand that there are no salaried coaches or administrators assisting the Team. They are all volunteers.

4. The Undersigned understand that Players on the Team may include individuals 19 years of age and under, and that the Team will not only compete against other youth, but also, under controlled circumstances, against adult or college age Teams. The Player agrees to provide the Team with proof of age with a copy of identification with a photograph.

5. The Undersigned understand that Rugby is a physical, full contact sport with the possibility of injury, minor or major, always present. The Undersigned hereby accept the risks that accompany participation in Rugby. The Undersigned agree that they will not hold Carolina Youth Rugby, any coach and staff, USA Rugby, their designated Local Area Union or Territorial Union Team officials and administrators responsible for injury, sickness, disability, paralysis, or death that may result from participation with the Team and all claims resulting from such participation are waived. As such:

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY: IN CONSIDERATION OF THE PLAYER'S RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE, THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the coaches, officials, and/or administrators of the Team, Carolina Youth Rugby, USA Rugby, their designated Local Area Union or Territorial Union, all schools and districts within North Carolina, and sponsors and workers. **THE UNDERSIGNED AGREE THAT THIS RELEASE IS BINDING AND EFFECTIVE AS TO THEMSELVES AS WELL AS TO THEIR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES, ASSIGNS, HEIRS, AND NEXT OF KIN AND THAT IT APPLIES TO ANY AND ALL LOSS OR DAMAGE CLAIMED ON ACCOUNT OF INJURY, DISABILITY OR DEATH, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE ABOVE REFERRED TO ENTITIES, ORGANIZATIONS OR INDIVIDUALS OR OTHERWISE.**

The Undersigned understand that by signing this release they are giving up substantial rights they would otherwise have to recover damages for losses and they agree that they are doing so voluntarily and without inducement, threat, or duress. The Undersigned agree that they had the opportunity to seek legal advice before signing this release and have either done so, or have voluntarily elected not to and waive this opportunity.

6. The Undersigned understand that there may not be a trainer at the Team's games or practice session.

7. The Undersigned understand and agree that the Youth Code of Conduct will bind the Player, while a member of the Team.

8. The Undersigned understand and agree to be solely responsible for the following:

- a. To see that the Player has had a Physical to determine that he/she is able and fit to play Rugby
- b. To see that the Player has appropriate medical insurance and has done the following:
 - i. Completed and signed the authorization to consent to medical treatment
 - ii. Provided the Team with proof of insurance
- c. To see that the Player wears a mouthpiece during all practices and games
- d. To see that the Player abides by all Team rules and instructions
- e. To see that the Player does not allow rugby to interfere with school requirements
- f. To see that the Player maintains a law abiding personal life in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations.

9. The Undersigned agree to accept all responsibility, including medical and financial, for participation; to pay the annual fee that covers registration, union dues, field and equipment, training aids, etc. The Undersigned understand that each Player must play in a regulation uniform that consists of a jersey, shorts, socks, and approved shoes; that a Player will wear the Team owned jersey and will provide his/her own shorts and over the calf socks.

We have read and understand and agree to the information and waiver and release of liability as set forth above:

(X) _____ Player Date: _____

(X) _____ Custodial Parent/Legal Guardian Date: _____

(X) _____ Custodial Parent/Legal Guardian Date: _____

AUTHORIZATION TO CONSENT TO MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR MINOR**

I (we) _____ and _____ of the city of _____, in the county of _____, state of _____ do hereby state that I am (we are) the natural parent(s) (legal guardian(s)) having legal custody of _____, a minor, age _____, born _____, 19 _____, who resides with me (us) at _____

In connection with my (our) child's participation on the Youth Team of Carolina Youth Rugby, I (we) authorize Carolina Youth Rugby to consent to any X-ray examination, any anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care which is deemed advisable by, and to be rendered under, the general or special supervision of any physician or surgeon licensed under the provisions of the Medicine Practice Act, whether such diagnosis or treatment is rendered at the office of the physician, or at a hospital. It is understood that this authorization is given in advance of any specific diagnosis, treatment, or hospital care being required, and is being given to provide Carolina Youth Rugby the ability to give specific consent to any and all such diagnosis, treatment, or hospital care with the aforementioned physician in the exercise of his/her best judgment may deem advisable. This consent is given with the caveat that the need for treatment is immediate and I (we) am not available. I (we) understand that I (we) assume all liabilities and expenses for the above. I (we) waive all claims against the above referred to adult, physicians, hospitals and their employees, ambulatory care, etc., in connection with the decision for immediate care.

This authorization is only valid from January 1st, 2010 to December 31st, 2010 inclusive.

The following is provided:

Player's SS# _____ Home phone: _____, Work Phone: _____

Medical Alert: Allergies: _____, Medications: _____

Drug Reactions: _____

Previous Injuries/Illnesses/Surgery: _____, Current Physical Condition: _____

Insurance: Provider/Policy/ID #: _____

Name of Primary Physician: _____ Phone #: _____

Name of Policyholder (generally the parent): _____

Alternate point of contact: Name _____ Phone #: _____

_____, Sign by Parent/Legal Guardian Date: _____

****Non-minors and emancipated minors must still fill out this form and sign for themselves.**

If you are a High School Senior please check box.