



# Youth Soccer Registration Form

## - FALL 2009 -

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISKS, LIABILITY RELEASE, INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT AND REFUND POLICY:

In signing this release for myself and for any named immediate family member minor participant(s) (if such participant is under the age of eighteen), I acknowledge and understand that as a participant at the Groveport Recreation Center, Aquatic Center, Town Hall and/or any other facility, activity or program of the Village of Groveport, I/we will be exposed to risks of serious bodily injury, sickness or death due to circumstances inherent in the Village of Groveport facilities, activities and programs, including the negligent acts or omissions of others. I acknowledge that there are a variety of risks and dangers inherent in recreational activities and facilities, including but not limited to: sports related injuries; collisions with stationary objects; falls; risks associated with water-related activities (including diving injuries and drowning); adverse environmental conditions or any other conditions which may cause heat stroke, heat exhaustion, hypothermia or any other illness or injury; physical contact between participants; injuries related to overexertion; slippery floors; misuse or inexperience with fitness equipment. In exchange for being permitted to participate, I voluntarily agree to assume all of these risks and other risks inherent in participating in such activities, programs and facilities. I acknowledge that I (or the participants for whom I sign) have/has no physical limitations, or disabilities of any kind which would restrict me or them from participating. I agree to make Village staff aware of any special accommodations that may be needed at the time of registration and I agree to note such special accommodation on said form. Despite these dangers, and in consideration of the Village of Groveport accepting my registration, I for myself and/or the immediate family member minor participant(s) for whom I am signing, all heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, agree to hold harmless and release the Village of Groveport, its boards and council, officers, officials, employees, volunteers and other representatives from all claims for liability or legal responsibility for any damage or loss of any kind, including personal property or death, property damage, and economic loss, arising from my participation in and/or use of the Village of Groveport Recreation Center, Aquatic Center, Town Hall and/or any other facility, activity or program of the Village of Groveport.

I further, on behalf of myself or for any named immediate family member minor participant(s) for whom I am signing, agree to protect, indemnify and hold harmless the Village of Groveport and the listed persons and entities for any and all cost, liability, expense and claim arising from any act or omission committed by myself or the named participant related to the Village of Groveport's facilities, activities and programs other activity or program sponsored by or affiliated with the Village of Groveport. I further, on behalf of myself or for any named immediate family member minor participant(s) for whom I am signing, agree to follow all facility, activity or program rules and regulations, and realize that my right to participate may be terminated by the Village at any point in time for not adhering to said rules and regulations.

I do hereby grant and give these groups the right to use my and my child's photograph or image with or without my or my child's name, both single and in conjunction with other persons or objects for any and all purposed including, but not limited to, private or public presentations, advertising, publicity, and promotion relating hereto. I warrant that I have the right to authorize the foregoing uses and do hereby agree to hold the Village of Groveport Recreation Department harmless of and from any and all liability of whatever nature which may arise out of result of such uses. For the consideration stated above, I further agree that in the event that my child repudiates or attempts to repudiate such release, I will indemnify and save harmless the Village of Groveport, its successors and assigns, for any and all loss and damage occasioned thereby.

**REFUND POLICY** – All programs have a minimum number of participants in order to be conducted. The Village of Groveport reserves the right to cancel, combine, alter dates and times, or make any other revision which may be necessary in regards to programs or classes. All refunds will be made by the following guidelines:  
**Cancelled Class** – If the Village cancels a class, the participant will receive a full-refund or gift certificate, based on patron's preference. **Before Program Begins** – Refunds will be made only before the start of the program for the following circumstances: (1). When the refund/gift certificate is requested at least five business days in advance of the first meeting date, provided that it does not reduce the participation level below the required minimum. (2). When the participant becomes ill. Note: a doctor's statement must be presented before the start of the program. **After Program Begins** – Refunds/Gift Certificates will only be given if the participant becomes ill and is no longer able to participate in the remainder of the program. A doctor's statement must be provided. All refunds given will be prorated from the date of notification to the Parks & Recreation Department. **Trips** – Since trips require reservations weeks in ahead of time, the Village of Groveport cannot process refunds for persons requesting a refund or gift certificate (no exceptions). **Administrative Fee** - A \$5 administrative processing fee will be charged to cover processing costs for each individual program enrollment. The \$5 administrative processing fee will not be charged if the Village of Groveport cancels the program. According to the Village's bill paying schedule, requested refund checks take approximately two to four weeks to process. Refunds will be mailed from the Village's Finance Department to your residence. Cash refunds will not be issued. **Class Transfers** – Persons wishing to transfer from one class to another may do so providing that the transfer does not reduce the participation level below the required minimum. **Memberships** – Annual and seasonal memberships are non-refundable and non-transferable.

I have read, fully understand and agree to the terms of the Acknowledgement of Risks, Liability Release, Indemnification Agreement and Refund Policy.

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Parent's/Legal Guardian's Signature Required  
Participant's Signature Required (if over 18 years of age)

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Date

# Parents' Code of Ethics

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care and encouragement for my child participating in youth sports by following this Code of Ethics.

I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches and officials at every game, practice or other youth sports event.

I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child ahead of any personal desire to win.

I will insist that my child play in a safe and healthy environment.

I will provide support for coaches and officials working with my child to provide a positive, enjoyable experience for all.

I will demand a drug, alcohol and tobacco-free sports environment for my child and agree to assist by refraining from their use at all youth sports events.

I will remember that the game is for children and not for adults.

I will do my very best to make youth sports fun for my child.

I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, creed or ability.

I will promise to help my child enjoy the youth sports experience within my personal constraints by assisting with coaching, being a respectful fan, providing transportation or whatever I am capable of doing.

I will require that my child's coach be trained in the responsibilities of being a youth sports coach and that the coach agrees to the youth sports Coaches' Code of Ethics.

I will read the GRC National Standards for Youth Sports and do everything in my power to assist all youth sports organizations to implement and enforce them.

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