

CRAFL Player Application

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____

I.D. Photo Copy Attached: Yes or No

In Case of Emergency Contact: _____

Please List any medical conditions you may have to ensure full and proper care if ever needed.

I (printed name) _____ declare that I have read, and understand and accept all the rules of CRAFL All information submitted by me on this application is correct.

Team Indemnity Agreement

_____ whose address is

_____, _____ (city) _____ County,

Texas agrees to hold harmless, release, defend, and indemnify the football sports entity known as the Crossroads Amateur Football League (CRAFL) of Victoria, Texas and its officers, agents, and employees from and against any all claims, causes of action, liabilities, or damages arising from or related to the above individual's practice, participation or involvement in the above mentioned sports activity of football or football program. This indemnity and defense obligation shall include all attorney's fees, court costs, expert fees, or other costs associated with the defense of any indemnified claim, cause of action, liability or damage.

_____ expressly agrees to release, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the sports entity known as Crossroads Amateur Football League (CRAFL) and its officers, agents, and employees in accordance with agreement regardless of whether the injury or damage is caused in whole or in part by the acts or omissions, including negligence of sport entity known as Crossroads Amateur Football League (CRAFL) or its officers, agents, or employees.

CONTRACT FOR VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION IN CROSSROADS AMATEUR FOOTBALL ASSUMPTION OF INJURY RISKS

There is a risk of injuries, serious and minor, associated with participation in any Crossroads Amateur Football Sports league. The risks may increase in activities involving physical contact, running, jumping or otherwise leaving one's feet, diving, sliding, or interaction with moving objects that are thrown or otherwise used in the sport. The risks include, but are not limited to: injury to the head, neck, or spine (including paralysis); injury to the muscular or skeletal systems; injury to internal or external organs; loss of or damage to sight, hearing, or teeth; death; long or short-term disability; loss of income, career opportunities, or the enjoyment of life; pain; and scarring or disfigurement.

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPANT to know his or her own general state of health and well-being, and therefore to be able to certify knowledgeably that he or she is physically fit to participate in a Crossroads Amateur Football Sports leagues.

IT IS ALSO THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPANT to have health insurance coverage sufficient to provide for medical or dental services and/or equipment required to treat any injury, minor or catastrophic, sustained or incurred as a result of participating in Crossroads Amateur Football Sports League, and to certify that such insurance coverage is held.

Therefore, AS A PRECONDITION TO BEING GRANTED PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY CROSSROADS AMATEUR FOOTBALL SPORTS LEAGUE, EACH PARTICIPANT shall read the agreement set forth below in order to make an educated choice to participate or not participate. Your signature will signify your recognition of the possible health risks involved and your informed consent to them.

To that end, and before releasing Crossroads Amateur Football League from all actions, claims, or demands related to any injury you may sustain as a result of participating in its Crossroads Amateur Football Sports league, please give serious consideration to the possible ramifications. You should understand that the causes of possible injury are many, but among them are: injury from bodily contact, incidental to or inherent in the nature of the sport; slipping, falling, or tripping on the playing surface, regardless of its physical or environmental conditions; injury from warming up, practicing, or training for game participation; injury due to supervision by Crossroads Amateur Football League employees, paid or unpaid, including referees or officials, or to rules, regulations, and instructions (or lack thereof) regarding the use of game equipment or tools or to the nature of the game itself, particularly in contact Crossroads Amateur Football Sports league; or injury due to a disparity between and among other players or teams with respect to experience level, strength, height, weight, age, ability, and the relative competitiveness or maturity of, between, or among other participants.

AGREEMENT

I _____ have read the above ASSUMPTION OF INJURY RISKS IN CROSSROADS AMATEUR FOOTBALL LEAGUE and understand its contents. I acknowledge the risk of injury that may result from participation in Crossroads Amateur Football Sports Leagues, and am willing to and hereby do voluntarily assume all risks of harm associated with my participation.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, I am physically fit and able to participate in Crossroads Amateur Football Sports League, that I am in good health, and that I am unaware of any medical condition, which might make my participation inadvisable. (initials) X _____

I am aware that participating in Crossroads Amateur Football League may expose me to a risk of injury, minor or serious, including those listed above in ASSUMPTION OF INJURY RISKS IN CLUB SPORTS. I accept and assume all risks, known or unknown, listed or unlisted, that may result from my voluntary participation in Crossroads Amateur Football Sports Leagues or in activities related to such sports, regardless of the cause of the injury. (initials) X _____

I acknowledge my responsibility to acquire health insurance coverage sufficient to provide for all medical or dental services and/or equipment required to treat any injury, minor or catastrophic, related to my participation in Crossroads Amateur Football Sports League, AND HEREBY CERTIFY that on the date noted below, I have such insurance coverage in effect. (initials) X _____

In consideration of Crossroads Amateur Football Sports League permitting me to participate in its Sports Leagues, I knowingly and intentionally give up any legal right that I, my heirs, or legal representatives have or may have against CRAFL and its trustees, officers, agents, employees, or insurers, from any action, claim, or demand that I, my heirs, or my legal representatives have or may have for any and all personal injuries I may suffer or sustain, regardless of cause or fault, on- or off-the field, as a result of my voluntary participation in Crossroads Amateur Football Sports Leagues and/or in other activities related thereto. (initials) X _____

I knowingly intend my signature on this Agreement to be a complete defense to any legal proceeding that may be brought by anyone on their own or on my behalf for any injury I may suffer or sustain as a result of voluntarily participating in Crossroads Amateur Football League or in activities related thereto, and further intend this Agreement to be a complete and total release of liability for all negligent acts, failures to act, or breaches of duty owed to me, which result in my personal injury or death as a result of my voluntary participation in Crossroads Amateur Football Sports League. (initials) X _____

I understand that this is an amateur football league and that the league, the teams within the league DO NOT owe any monies to you as this is a non-paying league. (initials) X _____

I understand that this contract ends at the end of the season, which will be at the end of the CRAFL Championship game, you may not sign with another team until after this game has been completed. (initials) X _____

I understand that if I quit or wish to play for another team after signing a contract with another CRAFL team, I must request to my current team in writing and it is up to the current team to submit the "Release Form" to CRAFL. (initials) X _____

I certify that I am 18 years of age or older, that I am legally competent and capable of executing this Agreement on my own behalf, that I have read the foregoing and have made a conscious decision to sign it of my own free will.

CRAFL - ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY

Crossroads Amateur Football has set certain behavior requirements for everyone that is a part of the League and to include everyone that attends a game that involves any CRAFL team.

Please alert all fans, coaches and athletes of these expectations - this is the only

Warning given:

(I) Fans: Support your team!

- No derogatory remarks to opposing players, coaches or teams.
- No personal or derogatory remarks directed at Officials, no loud or continuous harassment of Officials.
- Automatic zero tolerance for confronting Officials – any physical contact with Officials will involve law enforcement.

(II) Coaches: CRAFL expects our coaches to "**set the example**" for good behavior, sportsmanship and professional courtesy.

- You may disagree with an Official's call, do not make your comments personal, angry or derogatory, and once you have made them, drop it!
- Insist that your players and fans demonstrate good sportsmanship toward opposing coaches, players and Officials.
- Insist that all of your players shake hands after the game and demonstrate grace in winning and dignity in losing.
- Do not teach, tolerate, or allow taunting of other teams, "trash taking," or foul language at any point.
- Lead by example: compliment good plays by opposing players, shake hands with opposing coaches before and after the game, and do not get confrontational with Officials.

(III) Athletes: Show respect toward Officials, other players and other coaches.

- Do not engage in any form of derogatory comments, “trash talking,” foul language, or taunting, regardless of the score.
- Do not engage in “fighting,” as this could cause your ejection for one or more games and/or fines that are mandated by the Commissioner of the CRAFL that must be paid before the next game.
- Do not leave your bench, and encourage all other players to stay on the bench if any disruption occurs.
- Shake hands with opposing coach before the game and with opposing players and coaches after the game, demonstrating grace in winning and dignity in losing.

(IV) Penalties:

Coaches:

A coach ejection from one game will automatically be suspended from the next game; a second ejection during the Season will result in an automatic suspension for the remainder of the Season, subject to the coach’s right to an Appeal; serious misconduct could result in additional discipline.

Athletes:

An ejection for “fighting” will result in an automatic suspension of an athlete from there next game, and possible further discipline and up to a fine. A second ejection for “fighting” during the Season will result in a suspension for the rest of the Season and/or fines mandated by the Commissioner of the CRAFL which will be paid before the next game, subject to the athlete’s right to an appeal.

Fans:

Ejection from a game for misbehavior will result in your suspension from attending any other games in CRAFL; a second ejection from a game will result in your suspension for the rest of the Season. Any physical contact with game Officials, coaches, CRAFL Officials, or opposing players or other fans will cause law enforcement to be brought in for possible criminal prosecution, and you may be permanently banned from attending games.

All: Continued misconduct by a team, or its Coaches and/or fans, as a last resort, can result in forfeit and/or fines mandated by the Commissioner of the CRAFL which will be paid before the next game.

REMINDER: THIS IS YOUR ONE AND ONLY WARNING!!

FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS FORM IN ITS ENTIRETY WILL RESULT IN THE EXPULSION OF BOTH THE INDIVIDUAL AND HIS/HER TEAM FROM CROSSROADS AMATEUR FOOTBALL SPORTS LEAGUE.

Executed this the _____ day of _____, 20__.

Player’s Printed Name

Player Signature

Owner and/ or General Manager