



## North Texas Region Offer and Acceptance Agreement



For the 2017-2018 season, this letter is to certify that I \_\_\_\_\_ am joining the below club and team for the 2017-2018 USAV Membership period. (Athlete's Name)

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<b>Region Club Name</b>	<b>Team Name - Must Be Entered for Offer to be recognized by NTR</b>	<b>Age Group Offered</b>	<b>Initial Installment</b>
Date of Offer: ____ / ____ / ____ <b>Once this written offer is made, the offer MUST stay valid until the respective acknowledgment date below.</b>			

Once this offer is signed and fully executed by all parties all other clubs are obligated to respect my signing and shall cease to contact me. I shall notify any club coach, club representative or club director who contacts my family or me that I have officially joined the above-mentioned club. Signatures by the player, guardian and club director of this letter of intent and payment of initial installment signifies commitment to the CLUB for one season. **It is unethical to attend another club's tryout or discuss other opportunities once you have fully executed this agreement.**

Prior to the **Offer Date**, a club (all representatives for a club) is prohibited from presenting/accepting any written offer, and/or accepting any payment for any club dues associated with USAV membership for the upcoming season.

**Offer Date** – first date that any official written offer to play in the upcoming USA Volleyball membership season may be offered to players

**Acknowledgement Date** - Once an official offer has been made to the player, the club must leave the offer on the table (the club may not rescind an offer) until 12 noon Sunday following the Offer Date. The player may accept the written agreement before the NTR Registration Acknowledgement Date if they so choose. The purpose for the Acceptance Window is to allow players to leave the club's gym without the pressure of losing their offer. Signing and/or paying funds earlier than the listed dates, will result in sanction(s) against the club and player.

### Tryout and Offer Start Dates

Age Group	Dead Period (a player cannot sign an Offer and Acceptance Agreement)	2017-2018 "Offer Date" First Day to Offer	Acknowledgment Date
<u>10s-13s</u>	The first day written agreements may be made to players will be no earlier than 56 days prior to the final day of competition for the UIL State Volleyball tournament in all classifications.	September 23, 2017	September 24, 2017 at 12 noon
<u>14s &amp; 15s</u>	The first day written agreements may be made to players will be no earlier than 49 days prior to the final day of competition for the UIL State Volleyball tournament in all classifications.	September 30, 2017	October 1, 2017 at 12 noon
<u>16s-18s</u>	The first day written agreements may be made to players will be no earlier than 42 days prior to the final day of competition for the UIL State Volleyball tournament in all classifications.	October 7, 2017	October 8, 2017 at 12 noon

**Recognition of Club Affiliation** - After accepting an offer from a club, the player is to update their "Club Affiliation" in the USA Volleyball membership website to show the club with which they are to be affiliated for the upcoming season. The region will use both the "Online Club Affiliation" and this Agreement to settle and disputes regarding club affiliation.

We the undersigned jointly certify that we have read and understand the above information and agree to be bound to the above club for the current junior sanctioned indoor season as defined by the end of the USA Volleyball National Championships.

Athlete/Participant (Print Name)	Athlete/Participant (Signature)	Date: _____
Parent/ Guardian (Print Name)	Parent/ Guardian (Signature)	Date: _____
Club Director (Print Name)	Club Director (Signature)	Date: _____

**If you feel that you were pressured into signing this form and were not given the opportunity to tryout at another club, please contact the North Texas Region office immediately at [ntrcarrera@gmail.com](mailto:ntrcarrera@gmail.com).**