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Elementary Extra-Curricular Athletics Informed Consent

For: Tripleball (Volleyball)

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The written, informed consent of parents/guardians is required for participation in all elementary school extra-curricular athletic programs. The intent here is to provide for the safety of participants and to inform students and parents/guardians of the inherent risks of the program. The schedule of events is attached/will be published when finalized.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ATHLETICS PURPOSE(S):

The purpose of this activity is to provide an opportunity to develop skills in a sport to a higher degree than may be possible in the curricular physical education program, to increase school spirit, to encourage team play and to foster good sportsmanship.

ATHLETIC SEASON:

The **Tripleball/Volleyball** season starts in January and extends through to March. Boys compete on Mondays and girls on Tuesdays, after school hours (3:30-4:45 p.m.), at locations throughout North Vancouver. **Game schedules will be published when finalized.**

COACHES, SPONSORS(S) AND CHAPERONE(S):

Name	M/F	Position	Practice times	Email address
Jennifer Knibbs	Mon.-Fri.	Coach: Grade 6 & 7 girls Game Sponsor: Gr.6 girls	Gr. 6 & 7 girls Mon.&Wed. 12:15 – 12:55 gym	jknibbs@sd44.ca
Cecelia Hansen	Tuesday a.m./Thursday	Coach: Gr.6 & 7 boys Game Sponsor: Gr.7 girls	Gr. 6&7 boys Tues./Th.. 12:15 – 12:55 gym	chansen@sd44.ca
Deb Anderson	M/T/ alter. W.	Game Sponsor: Gr. 6 boys		danderson@sd44.ca
Maureen Schmid	Mon. – Fri.	Game Sponsor: Gr. 7 boys		mschmid@sd44.ca

SUPERVISION:

All supervision of students in this program is direct supervision. Direct supervision is defined as the time students spend with the sponsors, coaches and volunteers involved in the program, including during transportation and coaching.

TRANSPORTATION:

Transportation to and from activities will be provided by parent volunteers.. Transportation of students by private vehicles shall be in accordance with Board Policy 607: Transportation of Students and School District transportation procedures. All field trip transportation is subject to the regulation and law of the relevant municipal, provincial, federal or international jurisdiction.

Student dismissal from venues will be the responsibility of the coach/sponsor who will ensure that all participants are released to the direct supervision of an adult (e.g., parent driver).

RISKS AND CONSEQUENCES:

There is a degree of risk in all sports activities. The risk is increased to varying degrees when students are away from the safety of the school setting. It is impossible to itemize every possible element of risk associated with a sporting activity. This sporting activity may include, but not be limited to the following inherent risks, and all risks associated with:

- Travel to and from the event venue(s)
- the nature of sport (i.e., rolled ankles, joint / head injuries, loosened teeth, bruises and abrasions, fractures, and other bodily injuries)

EMERGENCY PLANNING:

Students have been briefed on the risks involved in this activity and on appropriate precautions to be taken. Students will be required to sign a *Student Awareness of Risk and Responsibility Form* in order to indicate a full understanding of the expectations, risks, safety precautions and responsibilities associated with this activity before being permitted to participate.

Other safety precautions:

- A cell phone will accompany the coach/sponsor, whenever an event takes place at a venue other than a school.
- A basic first aid kit will accompany the coach/sponsor, whenever an event takes place at a venue other than a school.
- The coach/sponsor will have immediate access to the student medical forms completed by the parent/guardian.
- Student Emergency Procedure Plans/medical supplies will be brought for students with life-threatening medical conditions (e.g., anaphylaxis).

In the event of student injury, parents/guardians will be notified. For all incidents involving injury, supervising school personnel will record details of the incident and, as soon as is practicable, complete an *Incident Report* submission.

ACCIDENT/LIABILITY INSURANCE:

Parents/guardians are responsible for the provision of individual student Accident Insurance for their child if desired. Individual student Accident Insurance can be obtained from companies such as www.iapkidsplus.com.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Knibbs & Cecelia Hansen

Return this Informed Consent Approval to School

ELEMENTARY EXTRA-CURRICULAR ATHLETICS
INFORMED CONSENT APPROVAL

PARENT/GUARDIAN PERMISSION

The written, informed consent of parents/guardians is required for participation in all elementary school extra-curricular athletic programs. The intent here is to provide for the safety of participants and to inform students and parents/guardians of the inherent risks of the program. Without this signed consent, students will not participate in this program.

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT

I, _____ (parent/guardian) of _____, have read the
Print Parent/Guardian's Name Print Student's Name
Informed Consent information that pertains to my child's participation in Tripleball. I am aware of the risks inherent in this athletic program and my signature indicates that my child has my informed consent to participate. I have completed and submitted a medical form for my child.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian

**Elementary Athletics Programs
Student Awareness of Risk and Responsibility Form**

Carisbrooke has arranged an after-school *Tripleball* program for students in grades 6 & 7

I understand that programs of this type may expose me to elements of risk. The risks and responsibilities, as outlined below, have been fully explained to me by a School Board employee, Jennifer Knibbs.

Risks:

- Accidents may occur when traveling to and from venues in private vehicles.
- Physical injury (e.g. rolled ankles, joint/head injuries, loosened teeth, bruises and abrasions, fractures, and other bodily injuries) may occur when participating in an athletic program.

Responsibilities:

- My behavior will be consistent with the Carisbrooke Code of Conduct.
- My behavior will be consistent with the NVEAA Fair Play Code.
- I accept full responsibility for my actions which will be thoughtful and reflect common sense, during transportation and at all venues, before, during and after events.
- I will attend practices and events as outlined by my coach.
- When traveling to and from venues I will conduct myself in a polite and quiet manner and keep my seatbelt on and buckled up.
- I will stay on the site at which the event takes place and will follow specified dismissal procedures.
- I will follow the safety precautions specific to the activity as outlined by my coach.

I have been made aware of the possible risks and consequences related to this athletic program. I freely agree to participate in the program and act in a safe and responsible manner according to School District *Policy 302: Student Conduct*, my school's Code of Conduct and the NVEAA Fair Play Code.

Signature of Student

Date

Printed Name of Student

School Board Employee Signature

Note: In addition to the Student Awareness of Risk and Responsibility Form, a written informed consent signed by the parent/guardian is required for student participation in this activity