



**BREVARD COUNTY YOUTH FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING ASSOCIATION, INC.
MEMBER VOLUNTEER APPLICATION**

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION-A copy of issued Photo ID must be attached to application.
To be completed by ALL Volunteers: i.e. Coaches, Team Moms and Board Members of BCYFCA.

Member League Name: _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Full Legal Name: _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____

Driver's License Number _____ State: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Address (Last 7 years): _____

Add'l Address: _____

Have you been convicted of a crime? If yes explain: _____

QUALIFICATIONS:

What position are you applying for: Coach, Board Member, Team Mom, etc.

Have you ever been refused participation in any youth sports program? If yes, explain: _____

CONSENT/RELEASE:

I authorize and give consent for BCYFCA or League Designee referenced above to obtain my personal information. This includes, but are not limited to criminal background records/information; criminal background check; coaching experience, personal references, and addresses. I authorized this information to be obtained either in writing, via internet, or via telephone in connection with my volunteer application.

I understand that my position is contingent upon adverse information about my background or character not being uncovered upon the performance of the above referenced checks. I also understand that regardless of my prior volunteer activities on behalf of the BCYFCA or League, that the BCYFCA is not required to allow my continued participation.

I agree to hold harmless and indemnify from liability arising out the use of the information that is uncovered in the above referenced checks.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

BCYFCA USE ONLY **ADMIN BOARD MEMBER:** _____

Background Completed by (Company): _____

Pass

Fail



Bayside Bears Football Coach Application

Full Name: _____
Last First Middle

Cell Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Do you have children playing?

Child's Name Child's Team Date of Birth

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Circle the coaching position you are applying for: Head Coach Assistant Coach

Circle Division(s) which you wish to coach this year (if more than one please note your preference):

Fall: Jr. Rookies Rookies Mighty Mite Pee Wee Bantam Juniors Seniors

Spring: Tiny-Mite Mitey-Mite Pee Wee Super Midget Midget JR Varsity Varsity

If not selected as a head coach, I am interested in serving as an assistant coach this season (check as appropriate)

In the same division In another division

COACH'S QUESTIONNAIRE:

1. Please describe why you want to be a Head or Assistant Youth Football Coach:

2. Please identify prior football playing experience (level, teams & years):

3. Please identify prior youth coaching experience and success (list team/organization, sport, years of service, age of participants coached, and in what coaching capacity):

4. Have you had any formal coaches training? (please specify and also list any coaching certificates you currently hold)

5. Have you ever been (i) suspended or expelled as a coach in any youth sport organization or (ii) ejected from a sporting event whether as a participant, spectator, coach or other volunteer?
Yes ____ No ____ If yes, please explain:

6. Philosophy - Please explain your approach to coaching and developing youth athletes:

7. Please describe what attributes you plan to instill into your team:

8. If you are selected as Head Coach, what would be your goals for:

Player Development:

Team Participation:

Your development as a coach:

Overall Team Goals:

9. How many assistant coaches do you feel you need to be successful and why? If you already have a staff please introduce them here:

10. Do you have any commitments that might interfere with your ability to coach a team (job, family, other volunteer work)? Please specify:

Head Coach applicants please provide a copy of your season plan and one of your practice plans (attach a separate sheet, if necessary)

Coaching References

Name	Phone	E-mail
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Bayside Bears Football Coaches Contract

Our goal is to provide an environment where children will have fun and develop the values of sportsmanship, teamwork, commitment and hard work. We encourage scholastic achievement and family involvement while acting as consistent and caring role models.

- All head coaches must be selected by the Coaches Selection Committee and approved by the President. Assistant coaches must be approved by the Coaches Selection Committee.
- All coaches must complete the application, sign the coaches contract, and pass the background check before working with any players.
- Head coaches must attend all BCYFCA and BBYFCA coaching clinics, training and meetings.
- All coaches must be Heads Up certified through USA Football.
- All coaches must have a current copy of the BCYFCA Tackle Rules.
- Head coaches ensure your roster book is in your possession at all practices and games and that you have roster sheets at each game.
- As a Bayside Bears coach you are required to attend all pep rallies, fundraisers, dances, etc. You will be expected to volunteer on game day and to support ALL Bayside teams.
- Be organized. Have your practices and drills planned, written out and timed. Be efficient with your time, change drills often, and engage all players. Keep players moving and minimize down time during practice.
- Head coaches must track player attendance at all team functions.
- Keep live tackling drills limited to smaller spaces. We do not want 10-yard cushions for high speed ramming type drills. Do lots of fit and freeze drills, and keep live scrimmaging to a minimum.
- Speak with confidence and purpose.
- Be positive, smile, and enthusiastically encourage your players.
- Be consistent, set parameters and don't let your players go outside of them.
- Encourage overt sportsmanship and teamwork at every turn.
- Do not use any abusive or foul language.
- Do not touch a player when you're angry. Never touch a player in any private area.
- Do not wear any clothing that promotes firearms, alcohol, tobacco products or bars.
- Only the head coach is to talk to officials. Arguing with officials or opposing coaches will NOT be tolerated. Only talk to officials to clarify the number of the player committing a foul, asking for amount of time left or when requesting a timeout, but never on a judgment call. Any coach that is tossed from a game will be dismissed from the team.
- No parents on the sidelines except coaches; control the crowd.
- Refer any parent/guardian or coach complaints to the President or any Board Member. They must be submitted in writing after the 24hr cool down period.
- Report any rules violations to the President or any Board Member present.
- Give your kids plenty of water breaks; take no chances with heat exhaustion.
- Take no chances with health issues. If necessary, call parent, evacuate or call for ambulance. Keep all asthma inhalers in one location.
- Safety is our first concern; medical kits will be issued to each team. Have them at all times.

- All players will play a minimum of 4 down plays. Any violation of this rule will result in suspension and or permanent expulsion. A play tracker form is to be used in each game and kept on file
- No Bayside team is allowed to score 50 points unless the other team is within 3 touchdowns. Be pro-active and don't put yourself in a position to go over 50 points.
- Do not blitz, run outside, pass, have star players handle the ball or run trick plays when up by 4 touchdowns or more, except for the first series after halftime. If it's late in the game then run the clock out.
- If a player quits or throws his equipment in anger, player is suspended from the rest of the current game and for the next game. He must attend all practices and help his coaches while suspended. A players' second offense will result in expulsion from the program.
- Do not smoke, dip or drink alcohol in front of any players or parents.
- Have fun!

Note: ****We are a ZERO TOLERANCE organization with drugs and alcohol****

I agree to abide by the above guidelines as a condition of coaching for the BBYFCA. I can be terminated at any time, with or without cause and will have no remedy or review. I acknowledge that I will be a role model, that players will take their cue from me. I agree to act in a way that is honorable. While the goal is to play well, the primary goal is the uplifting and proper training of young men.

Signed _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

Background Check _____

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