



# 2010 Jr. Blue Devils Football

## Application for Football Coach (two pages)

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### Contact Information:

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First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

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Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

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Phone Number

Alternate Phone Number

Email Address

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Driver's License #

Date of Birth

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### Coaching Preferences:

Head Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Assistant \_\_\_\_\_

Midget \_\_\_\_\_ Jr. Midget \_\_\_\_\_ PeeWee \_\_\_\_\_ Jr. PeeWee \_\_\_\_\_

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### Experience:

Please list any experience that you have with either coaching or playing football.

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### Davis Junior Blue Devil Football Mission Statement

To guide kids to reach their highest potential in life by teaching the fundamentals of football.

### Davis Junior Blue Devil Football Beliefs

- Victories on the field are a by-product of maintaining clear priorities in life. Winning is not the focus. Priorities are family first, academics second, and football third.
- We want participants to put out their best effort in order to have a great experience.
- We will strive to emphasize the following set of principles that in turn will foster the development of key life skills: teamwork, sportsmanship, effort, and preparation.

## **Davis Junior Blue Devil Football Philosophy**

- Game time is at the discretion of the Head Coach. However, all players are expected to play each game.
- Strongly discourage “two-way” players and encourage coaches to platoon the offense, defense, and special teams. Coaches are expected to include all players in practice drills and activities.

### **Coaches Code of Ethics:**

With the understanding that youth sports are for the education, fun and enjoyment of the kids, and that I, along with the other coaches, am responsible for the safety and well being of the kids on my team and do hereby agree to the following:

- I will place the emotional/physical well being of the players ahead of my personal desire to win.
- I will treat each player as an individual, remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for children in the same age group.
- I will provide a positive, encouraging and safe playing environment for my players.
- I will refrain from the use of foul, derogatory or abusive language when coaching or attending any youth sports events. The approach to coaching that involves motivating kids thru derogatory yelling and screaming is not acceptable at this Club.
- I will do my best to organize practices that are fun, challenging, safe and productive for my players and the team.
- I will provide a sports environment for my team that is free of drugs, tobacco and alcohol and refrain from their use at all youth sports events, including practices and games.
- I will be knowledgeable in and abide by the rules of the youth football and the league in which we play, and teach those rules to my players.
- I will use coaching techniques appropriate for all the skills I teach.
- I will always remember that I am a youth sports coach and that the game is for the kids, not the adults.
- I will always show respect for and abide by the decisions, calls and judgments of the officials at any game.
- I will not criticize a fellow coach, board member, child or family member in front of the kids, fans, or families, and only discuss any disagreements, differences of opinion or conflicts I may have with the person to whom I have the disagreement and at an appropriate time and place.
- I will treat all those around me with dignity and respect including all my players, their families, my fellow coaches, the opposing team, their coaches and families, the officials and Jr. Blue Devil Board members.

I have read and will support and comply with the above Davis Junior Blue Devils Coaching Code of Ethics and the Club’s Mission, Beliefs, and Football Philosophy.

As a condition of volunteering, I give permission for DJBD to conduct a background check on me, which may include a review of sex offender registries, child abuse & criminal history records. Acceptance of this application does not ensure a coaching spot or an interview. If appointed, I am subject to probation, suspension and/or removal from my coaching position at any time at the sole discretion of the Board of Directors. I understand this is for a one (1) season commitment. I declare that the information on this application is accurate and true.

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Signature of Applicant

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Date