

**East Valley Athletes for Christ (EVAC) Eagles
Volunteer Coach Application**

Thank you for your interest in serving EVAC. Please review and complete all the items in this document. When finished, return it to the Athletic Director or any Board Member.

PART 1 – General Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Sport(s): _____

Desired Coaching Position:

Head coach Assistant coach No preference

Married: Yes No

Children: Yes No

Homeschool children: Yes No

PART 2 – Background Information and Questions

Please describe yourself fully in the following areas of your life (use more paper as necessary)

1) Are you a professing Christian? Yes No

2) Please provide a brief personal testimony:

3) Describe your church life. Examples of desired details include where you currently attend church, how long you have been involved there, ministries and positions where you have served or currently serve, etc.

4) Cite any other leadership experience you have.

5) Describe any coaching experience (when, where, what sport, how many years).

6) What is your coaching philosophy? This might include why you want to coach for EVAC, what you want to accomplish, your views regarding the value of athletics in Christian character training, etc.

7) Other background information:

Note: This will remain confidential within the board. Please answer yes or no to the following questions. If you answer 'yes', please provide a written description of your experience including current situation. Any 'yes' answers will not necessarily preclude your acceptance to coach for EVAC (consideration given will vary based on the specific circumstances).

a) Have you ever been convicted of a crime? Yes No

b) Have you been involved in substance abuse (drugs, alcohol, etc.)? Yes No

8) References:

a) Please provide two personal references

1. Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone Number: _____

2. Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone Number: _____

b) Please include the name, email and phone number of your pastor (spiritual authority)

Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone Number: _____

PART 3 – Acknowledgements

Please review and affirm the following.

EVAC Mission Statement

East Valley Athletes for Christ (EVAC) is an association of homeschool families dedicated to exemplifying Christ while participating in athletic competition. It is the goal of EVAC to encourage the hearts and minds of the participating homeschool youth in the love and likeness of Christ.

I agree with the EVAC Mission Statement and understand that the EVAC Board works to conduct business upholding the principles and standards set forth therein.

Applicant Initials: _____

EVAC Policies and Authority

I agree to be subject to the EVAC Board and its decisions if selected to serve. I understand that this leadership position provides added influence, and I will seek to use it wisely, prudently, and in submission to the Board’s authority.

Applicant Initials: _____

I acknowledge that unless permission is otherwise given, any and all clinics, camps, or other sport-related activities that I run outside of the season (CAA start date for practice through our last tournament game) are independent of EVAC. When this is the case, I will inform any gyms/fields that I use that this camp is not related to EVAC and will provide separate liability insurance if required. I will state on any and all paperwork to participants that my camps are not sponsored or endorsed by EVAC.

Applicant Initials: _____

EVAC Statement of Faith

EVAC requires that everyone serving as volunteers in a position of leadership (i.e., those in a position of influence within the organization or over student athletes), agree with our adopted and published statement of faith.

We believe the Bible alone is the inerrant, inspired Word of God and that it is our final authority in all matters.

2 Timothy 3:16-17, 2 Peter 1:20-21

We believe God is a person, eternally existing as the Trinity in unity – Father, Son (Jesus Christ), and Holy Spirit – three persons, one God.

Matthew 26:19, 1 Corinthians 8:6

We believe in Jesus’ virgin birth, sinless life, miracles, and atoning death through His shed blood and His bodily resurrection.

Luke 1:30-55, John 1:1-15

We believe man was created in the image of God; but fell into separation from God through sin, bringing death to all men.

Genesis 2:16, Genesis 3:16-19, Romans 5:12, Romans 3:10-23, Romans 6:23

We believe that God creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God.

Gen. 1:26-27

*We believe God ordained marriage to be the union of one man and one woman.
Genesis 2:24*

*We believe salvation is a free gift from God for “whosoever will call upon the name of the Lord.”
It is by the grace of God, through faith, not any works of any man. Salvation is received through
faith in Jesus Christ and His finished work.
Ephesians 2:8-9, Acts 16:31*

I, the undersigned, agree with the Statement of Faith. I also understand that the EVAC Board works to conduct activities in accordance with the principles and standards set forth in the EVAC Statement of Faith.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Applicant Name: _____