



Letter of Agreement – Volunteer Coach

This is a formal Letter of Agreement between the University of New Haven's Department of Athletics and the individual named below whom is a Volunteer Coach on the athletics staff with the team listed.

A Volunteer Coach is a coach who does not receive compensation or remuneration from the institution's Department of Athletics or any organization funded by the Department of Athletics.

The Volunteer Coach position is official at the discretion of the institution's Department of Athletics administration and the Head Coach of the respective sport. The Volunteer Coach performs duties designated by the Head Coach and reports directly to them.

The following provisions shall be applied:

- (1) A Volunteer Coach is prohibited from contacting and evaluating prospective student-athletes off campus or from scouting opponents off campus until he/she has been certified on an annual basis as to knowledge of applicable recruiting rules;
- (2) A Volunteer Coach will be responsible to the Head Coach of his/her sport and will represent the University in an appropriate manner in all areas and adhere to NCAA, NE-10, and University regulations;
- (3) Compensation for employment from a source outside the Department of Athletics during the term of agreement shall be permissible. However, staff members may not be compensated by an individual or commercial business for assistance in the production, distribution or sale of items bearing the names or pictures of student-athletes;
- (4) A Volunteer Coach should report any known or suspected violation of NCAA, NE-10, or University regulations by staff, students, or other representatives of the institution's interest to the Director of Athletics;
- (5) A Volunteer Coach found to be in violation of NCAA regulations, will be subject to disciplinary or corrective action as set forth in the provisions of the NCAA enforcement procedures;
- (6) A Volunteer Coach may be suspended for a period of time or this agreement may be terminated if found to be involved in deliberate or serious violations of NCAA, NE-10, and University Policies and Procedures;
- (7) This agreement is null and void if/when the Head Coach leaves the University's employment for any reason.

I understand the provisions regulating my role as Volunteer Coach at the University of New Haven.

Print Name: _____ Signature: _____

Sport: _____

HEAD COACH _____
SPORT ADMINISTRATOR _____
DATE _____