

# Blue Ridge Soccer League (BRSL) 2011-12

## Member Club Commitment to the BRSL for Compliance to the BRSL Codes of Conduct and the VYSA KIDSAFE Program

As the \_\_\_\_\_(title of authorized club officer) of \_\_\_\_\_(club name), I agree that our club will support and uphold the BRSL Codes of Conduct for Parents, Spectators, Players, Coaches, and other Team Officials. I understand that the BRSL requires my club to print, distribute, obtain signatures, and have in the possession of the Team Manager (at ALL BRSL games) a non-altered and signed BRSL Code of Conduct form for every player, parent/guardian of player, coach and assistant coach, and team manager who participates in soccer matches scheduled by the Blue Ridge Soccer League. Any Players, Parents, and Team Officials added during the seasonal year must sign and agree to the BRSL Conduct Codes BEFORE participating in the BRSL. I further understand that these codes of conduct are to be supported by our club as the expected behavior standard at all BRSL related activities and that violations of these policies will be adjudicated by my club and/or the BRSL. I also understand that the BRSL reserves the right to impose sanctions against individuals and member teams who do not adequately support these standard and/or clubs that do not appropriately adjudicate these standards.

I certify by signing below that all of the aforementioned BRSL Conduct Code implementation and support requirements have been met by all Players, Coaches & Team Officials, and Parents as noted for the upcoming BRSL Season, and that signed forms are in the possession of every Team Manager at every game.

KIDSAFE is the VYSA system of mandatory background checks of all adults who in any way are associated in ANY team activities directly with the players (at practice, at games, or in any other related activity that places them around the team). As a Member Club of the BRSL, I understand that our Club must appoint a KIDSAFE Coordinator, who will perform all of the background checks in compliance with the VYSA Kidsafe Program prior to the start of the season, and continue checks throughout the seasonal year when any new adults who in any way are associated in ANY team activities directly with the players. This is a mission critical activity designed to keep predators away from our children.

By signing this document, I certify that our Club has complied with BRSL and VYSA requirements for KIDSAFE, and also understand that no adult is allowed in the Team Technical area during games who is NOT VYSA Carded. A Kidsafe background check is required to have a VYSA card.

Club Officer Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Date Signed \_\_\_\_\_

CLUB NAME \_\_\_\_\_

*Original of this form to be signed and mailed to the David James, Blue Ridge Soccer League, 2608 Bobwhite Drive SW, Roanoke, VA 24018 by the Date requested by the BRSL Administrator. Copy of this signed form is to be retained in Club files and also copied and sent to every TEAM MANAGER for each of your Club's Teams. Failure to receive this signed document at the league office at the date requested by the Administrator and before the FIRST BRSL Scheduled game of league play for Fall Season will result in the suspension of club play UNTIL it is received. This form must be signed by an authorized officer of your club, preferably your President. Your signature indicates your commitment that your Club will continue to comply with BRSL Conduct Standards and VYSA KIDSAFE requirements throughout the entire seasonal year.*