

Revolution Parent Expectations:

1. **Emphasize the entire experience.** Work to create a positive environment for your daughter to promote the skills and good health related to volleyball.
2. **Encourage learning and development.** Work to educate yourself and your daughter about the game so that she can get the best exposure to the sport.
3. **Help the coach achieve team goals.** Work with the coaches to help my child develop into a well-rounded team player and develop an appreciation for team contributions. Also look to help the coach achieve the goals and objectives that have been defined for the team.
4. **Let the coach control the game.** Don't give your child instructions or feedback counter to those of the coach or the volleyball program. Show respect for the coaches' decisions and demonstrate positive support of the coaching staff and the program as a whole
5. **Demonstrate good sportsmanship.** Treat everyone in and around the program fairly and with respect. Set high standards for your daughter to follow and respect the importance and contributions of the coaching staff. Remember, we all represent Revolution Volleyball.
6. Never address an official or line judge before, during, or after the game in a negative way.
7. Follow the communication guidelines set forth by the club. We have established a communication "ladder" that will assist you and your daughter when communicating with your coach if an issue arises
 - a. Your daughter should talk to the coach first.
 - b. You and your daughter together talk to the coach.
 - c. You, your daughter and the coach talk to the directors
 - d. Meetings must be scheduled and will never occur during a practice or tournament
 - e. We recommend in person meetings for discussion as opposed to email for the purpose of addressing issues. In person interactions allow for real dialogue.

Revolution Player Expectations:

1. I will commit to my team and the Revolution Volleyball Club. I commit to working hard at practices and competitions.
2. I will work to educate myself about the game and play to the best of my ability.
3. I will listen to the coaches and work towards the goals of the club, the team and the goals I have set for myself.
4. I will work with my coaches and teammates to develop team skills. I must emphasize team play over personal accomplishments.
5. I will be a role model for my teammates and younger members of the club. I will work to control my anger and never use unsuitable language or make inappropriate gestures.
6. I will arrive at practices and tournaments on time.
7. I will treat everyone fairly and with respect.
8. I will respect the calls of the officials and line judges.
9. I will respect our opponents and positively encourage their efforts.
10. I will follow team guidelines and philosophies and hold my teammates accountable to the same.

This document was not created to be a legalized document but instead a glimpse of the expectations that we have for everybody representing the club. You are a welcomed member into the Revolution family and our expectations of you should be understood and embraced. We thank you for your support in abiding by the above guidelines and look forward to a great season.