

JEFFERSON PARISH DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION
WAIVER REQUEST



- **A request for approval for a child (children) to play outside of their selected home playground. The Waiver Committee's approval is required before a participant is authorized to play out of his/her established home playground, including, but not limited to practice. Waivers will not be accepted for a sport, once registration closes for that sport.**
- **Proof of residency (driver's license or valid state ID) is required upon submission of this document.**

Date _____
 My child/children currently participate at our Home Playground _____.

I would like to request that he/she/they be allowed to participate at a New Home Playground _____.
 Previous sport participation (including years) _____.

Approval of the home playground supervisor that you are waiving from. _____.

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION (only those listed will be waived – no additions allowed after submitting request/approval):

Name	Gender	Age	Date of Birth	Last playground participated	School attending
			/ /		
			/ /		

Address of child/children _____ City _____ Zip _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Father's name _____ Phone (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

E-Mail _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Place of Employment _____ Work phone _____

Mother's name _____ Phone (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

E-Mail _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Place of Employment _____ Work phone _____

If parents are separated/divorced, who is designated as the custodial parent? _____

Jefferson Parish Department of Recreation - Waiver Policy/ Participant Selection Policy

In January 2021, JPRD implemented the Playground Participation Selection Policy, with the goal to increase participation, to give participants a choice in which playground their child can participate, and elevate the quality of youth programming at playgrounds across the Parish. Below are important Playground Selection Policy Guidelines. **For a more detailed explanation of our Waiver/Participant Selection Policy, refer to our JPRD PLAYGROUND PARTICIPATION SELECTION POLICY ONLINE.**

- Participants that reside in unincorporated Jefferson Parish (Gretna, Harahan, Kenner, Westwego) must sit out one (1) year of All-Stars beginning with the sport, of the waiver approval and pay a \$150 fee annually, per family. **RECREATION IS NOT ACCEPTING NEW WAIVERS TO GIRARD PLAYGROUND, LAKESHORE PLAYGROUND, PONTIFF PLAYGROUND OR PARD PLAYGROUND.**
- Participants that reside outside of Jefferson Parish (Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, etc.) must sit out the first two (2) years of All-Stars beginning with the sport, of the waiver approval and pay a \$150 fee annually per family. **RECREATION IS NOT ACCEPTING NEW WAIVERS TO GIRARD PLAYGROUND, LAKESHORE PLAYGROUND, PONTIFF PLAYGROUND, OR PARD PLAYGROUND.**
- Waivers must be renewed each year. The waiver will become invalid if the waiver and/or renewal fee is not submitted to the Recreation office before the expiration date, and the individual will be deemed ineligible for all-stars.
- Participants on waiver from unincorporated Jefferson Parish or outside of Jefferson Parish may not be eligible for All-Stars if the franchise rules deem them ineligible. They may be allowed to play intramural All-Stars if they have completed their sit out stipulations.

- E. Participants that have already established a "Home" playground and want to waive to another playground and make this their new "Home" playground may apply for a waiver. Once approved, the participant will have to sit out once (1) year of All-Stars from the date of waiver approval and pay a one-time fee of **\$25 per family**.

WAIVER CHARGES (Make checks payable to JPRD):

Out of Parish Residents and Unincorporated Jefferson Parish residents:
(Including Gretna, Harahan, Kenner, Westwego) \$150

.....\$150 Annually

PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

Initial each to acknowledge that you fully understand each of the following:

____ I/We acknowledge that all the information I have given on the registration form and this waiver is true and correct and that I understand the JPRD Playground Participation Selection Policy that was implemented in 2021. I/We acknowledge that my child is also participating in the sport that he/she is requesting this waiver for and failure to participate in the sport of this waiver request, waiver will be rescinded

____ I /WE, acknowledge that if I/we are on a sit out we are not eligible for all stars on Recreation, Franchise or ,JPRD EAST/WEST teams. All Stars is defined as the following by sport: Basketball – (Bidly leagues , Rec -All stars, JPRD) Track – (District, Bank, Parish Meets) Soccer – (Playground and Parish All Stars to include JPRD) Baseball / Softball - (Little League, Diamond Youth, Babe Ruth, Dizzy Dean, Dixie Boys, Dixie Majors, and All Rec All-Stars) Tackle Football – (Rookies, Minors, Juniors, Seniors Flag Football (Rec -All-Stars) Volleyball – (Rec All-Stars) Cheerleading –Spirit Bowl – (All-American division)

____ I/We, applicants for a waiver from the Jefferson Parish Department of Parks and Recreation (JPRD), authorize JPRD to seek and obtain whatever records JPRD might require to determine my/our residency in unincorporated Jefferson Parish, specifically, at the address stated herein and on my child’s registration form, or to confirm my/our child’s age. The records I/we herewith release include, but are not limited to: birth records, school records and any record with a public utility, or voter registrar. I hereby waive any privilege granted by law against the release of such records and hereby authorize the custodian or holder of such records to release said record(s) to JPRD, without reservation.

____ I/We acknowledge that should any inquiry into residency or date of birth reveal that either my child’s registration form or this waiver application has been completed using fraudulent information, or other than the actual birth date, SAID REVELATION WILL RESULT IN THE IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION OF MY CHILD TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY JPRD PROGRAMS OR ACTIVITIES FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR AND ONE (1) SPORT; OR IN THE CASE OF FRAUDULENT RESIDENCY INFORMATION, MY/OUR WAIVER REQUEST IS AUTOMATICALLY DENIED AND MY/OUR CHILD (CHILDREN) IS IMMEDIATELY DISQUALIFIED FROM PARTICIPATION IN ANY JPRD PROGRAMS OR ACTIVITIES FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR AND ONE (1) SPORT.

____ If approved, I understand that it will be my responsibility to reapply prior to the expiration date on the bottom of this form. If the application and fee (if applicable) are not received into our office by the expiration date then this waiver will become Invalid and you will be ineligible to reapply.

Date _____ Signature of Parent/Guardian (only) _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

PROOF OF RESIDENCY:

Current Driver’s license/ID of parent/guardian.

Address shown on driver’s license _____ DL License # _____

Above information verified by _____ Job Title _____ Date _____

PAYMENT) If applicable, must be made upon submission of this waiver request – If denied, funds will be refunded)

Amount paid: \$ _____ Credit/Debit Check/Money Order _____ Received by _____ Date _____

WAIVER COMMITTEE:

This waiver has been Approved Denied

Waiver Committee initials: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

Waiver Committee comments: