

**AKRON LITTLE LEAGUE FOOTBALL, INC.
2019 COACHES APPLICATION**

The following ALLFI Rules along with the NOFA Rules must be adhered to. If you cannot follow the rules set forth by the NOFA Board and ALLFI Board, please do not apply for any coaching position either football or cheerleading within ALLFI and/or NOFA. Please mail this completed application (all 3 pages) to ALLFI at below address on or by Thursday, March 1, 2018. Any questions please feel free to contact the Director of Coaches at any time.

1. No tobacco products, drugs, or alcohol are to be used during practices, games or any other ALLFI/NOFA Event.
2. Coaches must be committed to the program from February 2019 or when Sign-ups are held through the end of the season December 2019. This includes ALLFI practices and events.
3. Coaches are responsible for their team throughout the entire season.
4. Head Coaches are responsible for choosing a Team Mom to assist the team by handing out paperwork and collecting paperwork and team moms will be required for all teams and must fill out an application and be board approved.
5. Coaches are responsible for making sure your team is properly fitted with all necessary equipment/uniforms and that it is returned at the end of the season in the same condition it was given to the player/cheerleader.
6. Coaches must help set up and take down the field on game day and also make sure their practice area is left clean after practice.
7. Coaches MUST make a concerted effort to ensure all players on their team play throughout the game and keep track of the minimum 6 plays received during the game while playing all players as much as possible in all games.
8. Coaches are responsible for the conduct of his/her team and staff at all times during practice, games and any other ALLFI/NOFA Events.
9. All practices are to be held at the same place and time set forth by the ALLFI Board of Directors. The only exceptions are scrimmages or if a Coach obtains approval of the ALLFI Board of Directors prior to a change.
10. All Coaches are responsible for obtaining approval from the Director of Coaches for any scrimmages, prior to scheduling – who will get Board Approval.
11. No verbal or physical abuse will be tolerated by any Coach and/or his/her and/or players/cheerleaders – any verbal or physical abuse will result in immediate dismissal of any and all parties involved.
12. No Coach, at any time, will engage in any verbal or physical confrontation with any Parent, Coach, Referee or Participant. If any confrontation should take place it will result in immediate suspension and possible dismissal of all Coaches involved.
13. If a Coach is not in compliance with the above Rules along with the By-Laws and Rules of ALLFI and NOFA you may be brought in front of the ALLFI Board and proper action taken. If the situation warrants, your position may be terminated instantly.
14. Coaches will be exposed to all weather conditions throughout the season.

Return Applications To: ALLFI
P.O. Box 44
Akron, NY 14001

Questions: Sean Luck Phone: (716) 949-7439
Joe Skidmore Phone: (716) 957-2825

It is important to remember that the children in our program as in any youth sports program look up to all the coaches and individuals involved in our program and we are to be leading by example. Learning the sports of Football and Cheerleading while having fun doing so in a safe environment is and will be the primary focus of ALL involved in ALLFI \ NOFA and will be our first priority.

PRINT NAME: _____ DATE: _____
SIGNATURE: _____ PHONE: _____
ADDRESS: _____

CELL #: _____ E-MAIL: _____

FIRST COACHING PREFERENCE: _____

SECOND COACHING PREFERENCE: _____

THIRD COACHING PREFERENCE: _____

Background Check Submitted _____ Date Certified _____



Completed _____ USA Football # _____ Date _____
 NYSCA # _____ Date Expires _____
 Football/Cheerleading (circle One) Level _____

NIAGARA ORLEANS FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION
 2019 SEASON

Coaching Application

Name: _____ Telephone (Home) _____
 Address: _____ Telephone (Work) _____
 City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone (Cell) _____
 E-Mail _____ Address _____
 Shirt Size: _____

If you have lived at the above address for less than five years please list prior address:

Address: City/State/Zip: _____

1. What is your occupation: _____
2. Do you have a valid Driver's License _____ Yes _____ No
 State _____ Number _____
3. Do you currently carry a personal auto policy with liability coverage? ___ yes ___ no
4. Do you have medical coverage? _____ yes _____ no
 Carrier: _____ Policy # _____
5. Have you ever played Football or been a cheerleader:
 ___ yes # of Years _____ NO
 If yes at what level _____
6. Have you ever coached Football or Cheerleading?
 ___ yes # of Years _____ NO
 If yes where? _____
9. Do you have any formal training as a coach?
 ___ yes # of Years _____ NO
 If yes please describe - I did do that coaches class/training with Little League when I coached in the past

Please list the name, address and telephone number of two people who know you sufficiently well to comment on your past coaching or your potential as a coach:

Name	Address	Telephone
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Have you ever been convicted of an offense against the Law other than a minor traffic violation? (A conviction does not mean you cannot coach. The offense and how recently you were convicted will be considered)

Yes _____ or No _____ if yes please explain on the reverse.

NIAGARA ORLEANS FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

Coaching Code

- Enthusiastically support and practice the “Everyone Plays”, “Good Sportsmanship”, and “Positive Coaching” philosophies.
- Be reasonable in our demands on a young players’ time, energy, enthusiasm, and performance on the football field.
- Impress on your players that they must abide by all the Laws of the Games at all times.
- Develop team respect for the ability of opponents, and for the judgement of referees and opposing coaches.
- Ensure that your players’ football/cheerleading experience is one of fun and enjoyment (winning is only part of it). Players should never be yelled at or ridiculed for making mistakes or losing a game.
- Set a good example and be generous with your praise. Children need a coach that they can respect.
- Keep informed of sound principles of coaching, growth and child development.
- Check your equipment and playing facilities. They should meet safety standards and be appropriate for the age and ability of your players.
- Follow the advice of a physician when an injured child is ready to play again.

Specific Coaches Rules:

1. No Tobacco Products, E Cigs, Drugs, or Alcohol are to be used during practices, games or any other NOFA Event when children are present.
2. Coaches must be committed to the Program from the time of application till the end of November.
3. Coaches are responsible for their Team/Squad throughout the entire season.
4. Coaches are responsible for making sure your Team/Squad are properly outfitted with all the necessary equipment/uniforms.
5. No Verbal or Physical Abuse will be tolerated by any Coach to his/her Player/Cheerleader. Any Verbal or Physical Abuse will result in immediate dismissal or any and all parties involved.
6. No Coach, at any time, will engage in any Verbal or Physical confrontation with any Parent, Coach, Referee or Participant. If any confrontation should take place it will result in immediate suspension and possible dismissal of all Coaches involved.

If accepted for a coaching position, I hereby agree to abide by the philosophies, the coach’s code, the rules and regulations set forth and the decision of the NOFA Board.

Signature

Date

All information contained herein in addition to any data gathered during a background check will be used solely for the purpose of confirming the applicant’s eligibility as a coach, and will be held in strict confidence.