



# LINDHURST JR. BLAZERS

## Football & Cheer

### BOARD MEMBER APPLICATION

**Our Mission:** The goal of the Lindhurst Jr. Blazers Youth Football and Cheer (LJRB) is to firmly instill the values of good sportsmanship, honesty, loyalty, courage, unity, integrity, pride, and respect in our children and the community we serve. We provide a safe environment that allows our children to learn the fundamentals of youth football and cheerleading. We offer an environment where competition works together as a team effort and not for the personal glorification of individuals.

**Expectations:** Members of the Board of Directors are expected to uphold the mission, fulfill positionspecific responsibilities, and abide by the following guidelines:

1. As policy makers, mediators, and volunteers, members of the Board of must preserve and protect the LJRB organization.
2. Abide, respect, and enforce all policies and procedures established by the LJRB organization.
3. Supervise, respect, and provide support for all coaching staff members as well as parent volunteers.
4. Supervise, respect, and provide support for all youth football/cheerleading and all participants.
5. Exhibit outstanding conduct on and off the field.
6. Attend and participate in scheduled Board of Directors meetings.
7. Plan, organize, and attend off and on-season fundraising activities.
8. Commit a considerable amount of time to activities relating to day-to-day operations of the LJRB organization including practices and home games.
9. The position of Board Member is an appointed position upon approval of the LJRB and any such person approved and designated as such will hold that position for no definite period and may, regardless of the date of approval of position, be terminated at any time without notice for whatever reason(s) the Board of Directors deems necessary

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Please print legibly.

Last Name	First Name	MI
Address	City	Zip
Home Phone	Cell Phone	E-mail

Are you currently CPR / First Aid certified?  YES  NO If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any children you have playing/cheering in LJRB Football & Cheer:

Child's Name: _____	Age Group: _____
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**CRIMINAL HISTORY:**

Have you ever been convicted of any criminal offense in any state? (Other than traffic offenses)  YES  NO

Are you subject to any civil restraining order or any type of civil action relating to child or domestic abuse?  YES  NO

If you answered YES to either question please provide dates, charges, and an explanation.



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**POSITION APPLYING FOR:**

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | President                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | Equipment Manager            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | VP-Football                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | Snack Bar Coordinator        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | VP--Cheer                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | Head of Team Parents         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Secretary                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | Booth Operator               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Treasurer                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | Fundraising Coord. —Football |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Assist. Football Coordinator | <input type="checkbox"/> | Fundraising Coord. —Cheer    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Assist. Cheer Coordinator    |                          |                              |

Why are you interested in volunteering as a Board Member?

How will your volunteer/professional experience and/or education benefit LJRB?

Other experience/information you would like the board to consider:

**REFERENCE:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

*\*\*The LJRB is an organization that is run strictly by volunteers. These volunteers receive no monetary compensation or benefits for their services. The LJRB promotes health, fitness, teamwork, and academic recognition for all its young athletes. \*\* All coaches or representatives for the LJRB are expected to maintain the highest standards in sportsmanship and to display these standards, by example, for the benefit of their team.*

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_.



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All volunteers whose position requires routine access to children must be screened by Sierra Athletic Conference (SAC)/Lindhurst Jr. Blazers Youth Football & Cheer (LJRB). Your signature on this application signifies that you agree to allow SAC or an assigned agency to perform a criminal background screening. This screening will include a review of sex offender registries, child abuse, and criminal history records. I hereby release and hold harmless from liability SYF, LJRB, the officers, agents, volunteers thereof, and any other person or organization that may provide such information in accordance with the laws of the United States. I further understand that previous acceptance as a LJRB Coach/Volunteer does not obligate LJRB, to accept my current application.

1. I have not been convicted (including crimes the record of which has been expunged or pleas of “no contest”), disciplined, or discharged from employment for committing or attempting to commit crimes in but not limited to:
  - Child abuse
  - Sexual abuse of a minor
  - Physical abuse
  - Murder
  - Manslaughter
  - Felony assault
  - Kidnapping
  - Arson
  - Criminal sexual conduct
  - Neglect of a child
  - Abuse causing a child’s death
  - Prostitution related crimes
  - Child pornography
  - Child exploitation
  - Controlled substance crimes
  - Juvenile prostituting or pimping
2. I have not been convicted of any offense in any other state or against the laws of the United States which if committed or attempted in this state would have been punishable as one or more of the foregoing enumerated offenses.
3. I have not been adjudged liable for civil penalties or damages involving sexual or physical abuse of children.
4. I have not been subjected to any court order involving any sexual abuse or physical abuse of a minor, including but not limited to domestic order for protection.
5. I have not ever had my parental rights terminated.
6. I understand that I have an ongoing obligation as a volunteer of this organization to promptly report any conviction in those areas described above. (If you have committed or attempted to commit any of these crimes, please explain the circumstance related to the situation on a separate sheet of paper.)

**I UNDERSTAND THAT:**

1. I acknowledge that the submission of this application does not guarantee a position or interview with the LJRB Board of Directors.
2. The information that I have provided may be verified, in necessary, by obtaining a record check and/or contacting person or organizations that may have information concerning met. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless any person or organization that provides information. I also agree to hold harmless the Lindhurst Jr. Blazers Youth Football & Cheer and volunteers thereof.
3. In signing this application, I affirm that the information I have given is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

Board Vote:		President’s Approval	
Yes:		Approved:	
No:		Denied:	

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