



Northern Summit Volleyball Independent Fundraising Policy

PURPOSE

Families who choose not to take on a designated team or club support role may instead earn back their volunteer fee (\$250.00) through independent fundraising. This option is entirely self-directed—families are responsible for planning, organizing, and completing their own fundraising activities, either individually or in partnership with other NSVC family members. Independent fundraising is optional, but if selected, families must raise and submit the volunteer fee amount by March 31st. For this option, a post-dated cheque for April 1st is required upon registration; if the full volunteer fee is not submitted, the cheque will be cashed. This option provides flexibility for families to meet their volunteer commitment while still supporting the club's overall success. You may also choose to pay the fee with your club fees at time of registration, with no post-dated cheque needed.

GUIDELINES FOR FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES:

1. All fundraising activities must be approved by the NSVC Fundraising Committee or NSVC Board before taking place. Fill out the [Fundraising Form](#) and submit to northernsummitvolleyball@gmail.com.
2. Issues of liability or insurance approvals must be considered, especially where permitting and/or insurance is required. Fundraising events/options must not conflict with other NSVC sponsorships or fundraising activities.
3. If the fundraising activity is to be extended/offered to other teams to maximize the impact, the name and contact are to be added to the Fundraising Form.
4. Your fundraising may also include successful sponsorships, grants, & donations from individuals, businesses and community groups.
5. Merchandise sales are not an approved fundraising activity. All merchandise sales are done by NSVC exclusively.

APPROVAL PROCESS:

1. Complete the [Fundraising Form](#) at least **7 days** before the activity.
2. Email form to: northernsummitvolleyball@gmail.com

PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES:

1. Teams are not permitted to raise funds through raffles, bingo, gambling or other games of chance without appropriate permissions and permits.
2. Breweries, wineries, distilleries, or tobacco companies shall not sponsor any individual team or promote their products to underage athletes.
3. Establishments that have adult entertainment as their primary business are not to sponsor any team.
4. Alcoholic beverages are not permitted as prizes.
5. Monies raised through fundraising cannot be dispersed or used to benefit a sole family member or athlete.