



## USA Ultimate Tournament Sanctioning Agreement and Contract

The provisions outlined in this document form the sanctioning agreement and contract between USA Ultimate and the applicant for their specific event within the defined dates and locations for that event.

### Indemnification

As the duly authorized Event Manager, in consideration of me being allowed to be sanctioned / insured in any way by USA Ultimate, I agree to abide by and enforce all rules and regulations and decisions of USA Ultimate. I understand that I have primary responsibility to promote safe participation and to direct a safe event. I further understand and agree that the rules, regulations and decisions set forth by USA Ultimate are to be considered minimum standards and conditions and that special or unusual circumstances may require additional precautions and actions in the interest of safety.

USA Ultimate does not supervise the event or Event Manager and compliance with USA Ultimate regulations, rules, or policies is not guaranteed by the USA Ultimate. As such, USA Ultimate is not liable for any injuries or damage caused in whole or in part, directly or indirectly by the actions, errors or omissions of anyone affiliated with or related to the event, including but not limited to the Event Manager. Additionally, I must always avoid the destruction/misuse of fields.

It is hereby agreed that the undersigned, as Event Manager and agent for all promoters, sponsors, managers and any and all entities involved with the production of this event, jointly and severally agrees to defend, to hold harmless and to indemnify USA Ultimate and its officers, directors and agents, from any claims, demands or courses of action arising out of the promotion, organization and conduct of this USA Ultimate event.

As Event Manager, I will be expected to support, uphold and act in accordance with all USA Ultimate policies and procedures. I realize that any failure on my part to meet all requirements outlined in this contract/application may result in penalty fees, my suspension or the suspension of others acting under my direction, and/or prohibition of an activity or event from being sanctioned or insured by USA Ultimate in the future. Insurance coverage may be denied to any Event Manager or to any event for any reason.

### Event Requirements

I have reviewed the event requirements corresponding to my event and confirm that I understand and agree to abide by each. Each of these components provides a framework for ensuring that USAU events are safe, organized and of the highest quality.

All Tournaments: <https://usultimate.org/sanctioning/tournament-sanctioning/>

College Regular Season Events: <https://usultimate.org/college/2024-college-guidelines/#regular-season-guidelines>

Club Regular Season Events: <https://usultimate.org/club/2024-club-guidelines/#regular-season>

#### Health and Safety

I have read, understood and agree to abide by the USAU Health & Safety Requirements.

#### Competition

I have read, understood and agree to abide by the USAU Competition Requirements which establish fairness and consistency across events

#### Registration

I have read, understood and agree to abide by the USAU Registration Requirements so that participants can also benefit from the insurance coverage.

#### Provisions and Amenities

I have read, understood and agree to abide by the USAU Requirements for Provisions and Amenities.

The following are required for all events:

1. Complete USA Ultimate rosters for all participating teams.
2. All participants must sign a USA Ultimate Waiver and Release of Liability form (or have one on file for the current year).
3. All participants must be a current USA Ultimate member or purchase an event membership (for applicable events).

The event manager is financially responsible for missing memberships.

Deadline – All final materials (waivers, rosters, fees, etc.) must be posted in the event by the specified deadline for regular season events or for recreation events, or sent to USA Ultimate within 5 business days (postmarked) after the conclusion of the event. Materials are the responsibility of the Event Manager until they arrive at USA Ultimate.

Contact Information and Event E-mails – The Event Manager will have access to contact information for event participants and will have the ability to e-mail participants in relation to their event via the electronic rostering system. Sharing contact information to a third party or using the e-mail feature to contact participants not in relation to the sanctioned event is a violation of this contract and may result in a conduct case against the Event Manager.



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[Accident Report Claim Form](#) – If during the course of the event a participant or spectator is injured, the event manager must complete the claim form (copies should be kept on site) and return it to USA Ultimate. A form must be completed for all accidents or injuries.