



2011/2012 INTRODUCTORY COACH MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

\$20

Must be at least 18 years of age to apply. • Form valid August 1, 2011-July 31, 2012.

INTRODUCTORY COACH MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

NEW MEMBERSHIP RENEWING MEMBERSHIP NO. _____

* Social Security Number is required for criminal background check screening

Please Email me my membership number and password

First Name _____ MI _____ Last Name _____

Date of Birth _____ Social Security No.* _____ Sex: Male Female

Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____ Telephone _____ Date of Birth _____

Club Name _____ Club No. _____ Club Owner _____

Program Information Required – Circle the level(s) that apply

<u>Women's Level</u>					<u>Acrobatic Level</u>			<u>Rhythmic Level</u>			<u>Trampoline/Tumbling Level</u>			<u>Group/GymFest/TeamGym Level</u>		
1	2	3	Prep	Opt	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3

INTRODUCTORY COACH MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT

Signature is required for acceptance of membership

All persons requesting Introductory Coach Membership must sign this disclosure statement. If this disclosure is not signed, the application will not be processed.

Requirements for Introductory Coach Membership include Safety/Risk Management Certification and a passed Criminal Background Check through the National Center for Safety Initiatives (NCSI). Additionally, all members of USA Gymnastics are expected to display ethical conduct and comply with the USA Gymnastics Code of Ethics and all applicable criminal codes.

- SAFETY/RISK MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATION: Must complete and pass a USA Gymnastics Safety/Risk Management Certification course (live or online). Certification is valid for 4 years.
- CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK: All background checks are performed by the NCSI exclusively. Background checks received from other agencies or for other organizations do not apply. Green light status must be granted by NCSI. Background checks are valid for 2 years.

If the above requirements of Introductory Coach Membership are not met, your membership will be placed in a pending status (not valid) and will be unable to participate in any USA Gymnastics sanctioned event, nor will a card be sent. Once membership requirements have been completed the membership will be eligible for participation in level 1-3 events. **Please note, membership will expire one year to the month that the membership was paid, regardless of the date requirements are completed.**

I understand the responsibilities of USA Gymnastics Introductory Coach Membership as listed above.

Printed Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Normal processing time is 3-4 weeks from the date of receipt in our office. \$25 RUSH processing guarantees membership number availability and listing in our database and online membership search within three business days of receipt in our office. Same day turnaround on rush processing requests cannot be guaranteed. Rush applies to membership number only. It does not apply to fees for registration for Safety /Risk Management Certification or Criminal Background Check. Your membership will be put into a pending status and you will not be eligible of for participation in USA Gymnastics sanctioned event until the requirements of Safety/Risk Management Certification and Background Check Certification have been met.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

VISA Other _____ Card # _____ Exp. Date _____

Print Cardholder Name _____ Signature _____

Cardholder Phone _____ Email (for receipt) _____

PAYMENT TOTALS

Make checks payable to USA Gymnastics

Membership Fee: **\$20** _____

RUSH Fee: \$ _____

Donation Total: \$ _____

TOTAL PAYMENT \$ _____
authorized/enclosed

Memberships are NON-REFUNDABLE and NON-TRANSFERABLE. Introductory Coach Membership registration fee is \$20 when submitting form via fax or mail. Full Payment required for processing. Please print clearly, and double check credit card information for accuracy.

Return completed form and payment to: USA Gymnastics, 132 E. Washington St. Ste. 700, Indianapolis, IN 46204 or by fax: 317.692.5212
Attention: Member Services

Office Use Only

Number _____

Rec'd Date _____

Payment Amt _____

Check No. _____

Email sent date _____

Approval _____

By _____ Other _____

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USA Gymnastics

University is a collection of educational resources, online and live courses, and a professional certification program.

The certification program will aim to organize the educational resources of USA Gymnastics University and provide a means to achieve logical progressions of professional development, a well-rounded knowledge base, and recognition of education and experience levels.

For more information visit
www.usagym.org/university

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

1. If you have previously had a USA Gymnastics membership of any type, please reference the prior membership number on your application.
2. You must apply for and receive an Introductory Coach membership number prior to beginning any educational course.
3. Introductory Coach membership will expire one year to the month membership was paid for. Regardless of when membership was paid.
4. It is your responsibility to keep your membership information and any requirements current.
5. Your membership card will be sent after all membership requirements have been met.

INTRODUCTORY COACH MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS:

- Secondary insurance coverage at USA Gymnastics sanctioned events, participating in Levels 1-3, Prep Opt and Group A & B USA Gymnastics sanctioned events ONLY
- Membership card and decal
- Monthly Member Services e-newsletter
- Opportunity to register for the Safety/Risk Management certification course and First Aid Basics course at the discounted member rate

FOR IN-HOUSE PROCESSING, PLEASE SEND COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM AND PAYMENT:

Via **MAIL**
USA Gymnastics Member Services
132 E Washington St., Ste 700
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Via **FAX** (*credit card orders*)
317-692-5212
Please do not fax forms more than once

Did you know that as a member of USA Gymnastics, a portion of your membership fee helps support our National Team, USA Olympic Athletes, Collegiate Athletes and Grassroots programs?

Show your support!

Become a member today!

Learn more at www.usagym.org.

For questions or concerns, contact USA Gymnastics Member Services Department at (800) 345-4719 or membership@usagym.org

