

COACH / RENTER FACILITY USE AGREEMENT & RELEASE

For coaches, teams, organizations, renters and event organizers

READ CAREFULLY. THIS DOCUMENT AFFECTS LEGAL RIGHTS. Do not sign until the activity, participant and applicable dates are completed.

Coach / renter name:	Organization legal name:
Activity / event:	Facility area(s):
Use date(s) and times:	Expected participants / guests:
Organization address:	Phone / email:
Facility owner/operator (if different from Northgate):	

1. SIGNER’S OWN RELEASE

I am at least 18 and sign for myself. In exchange for permission to organize, coach, rent or participate in the activity described above, I accept the risks of my own participation and presence at the Athletic Center, including risks of injury, illness, death or property loss. “Released Parties” means Northgate Church Dresden and, to the extent they own, operate, manage or provide the facility or activity, its trustees, directors, officers, pastors, employees, volunteers, agents, insurers, facility managers and property owner.

To the fullest extent permitted by Ohio law, I release and agree not to sue the Released Parties for claims arising from my own participation or presence, including claims alleging their ordinary negligence in supervision, instruction, facility or equipment inspection or maintenance, or failure to warn. This does not release claims Ohio law does not permit to be released, including claims based on gross negligence, recklessness, willful or wanton misconduct or intentional misconduct.

2. ORGANIZER AND FACILITY RESPONSIBILITIES

I will use only the areas and times approved by Northgate, keep a responsible adult present, actively supervise the group, follow staff directions and posted rules, and ensure participants use equipment safely. I will not allow unauthorized access, transfer or sublet this booking, or bring equipment or activities not approved by Northgate. I will promptly report any injury, damage, hazard or incident to Northgate staff. Northgate may stop an activity or require a person to leave for unsafe conduct or a rules violation.

Alcohol, illegal drugs and tobacco products, including vaping products, are prohibited indoors and outdoors on Northgate property. Video surveillance operates on Northgate property; there should be no expectation of privacy in monitored areas. Surveillance is a security measure and does not guarantee that staff are watching or that every area or activity is monitored.

3. PARTICIPANT FORMS; NO AUTHORITY TO SIGN FOR OTHERS

This agreement releases claims belonging to me only. I do not sign or waive rights for any participant, parent, guardian or other adult by signing this form. Before anyone participates, I will ensure each adult participant signs the adult release and each minor’s parent or legal guardian completes the minor release. I will maintain the completed forms for the activity and provide them to Northgate upon request. My signature does not replace those individual forms.

4. LIMITED RESPONSIBILITY FOR GROUP CLAIMS AND PROPERTY DAMAGE

To the extent permitted by law, I agree, and the organization identified above agrees if I am authorized to bind it, to indemnify and hold harmless Northgate Church Dresden from third-party claims, damages and reasonable costs (including reasonable attorneys’ fees) only to the extent caused by my or the organization’s negligence, reckless or intentional misconduct, breach of this agreement, or the negligent, reckless or intentional acts of our participants or guests. This obligation does not apply to the extent a claim or loss is caused by a Released Party’s negligence or other conduct for which liability cannot lawfully be shifted. Nothing in this section requires a minor participant or a parent to indemnify a Released Party.

I understand that fees, deposits, cancellation terms, insurance requirements and any additional rental conditions are governed by the separate booking or facility-use agreement, if any. This form does not replace that agreement.

5. EMERGENCY RESPONSE

I will identify an emergency contact for the group, call 911 when appropriate, notify Northgate staff promptly and cooperate with incident reporting. Northgate staff are not medical providers and are not required to provide medical treatment. I will ensure the group’s emergency contacts and medical consent forms are collected as appropriate.

Emergency contact for group:	Relationship / role:
Phone:	Alternate phone:

6. ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND SIGNATURE

I have read and understand this agreement, including the release of my ordinary-negligence claims to the extent permitted by law and my responsibilities for the group. I have authority to sign for the organization only if indicated below. I sign voluntarily and will provide the required participant releases before the activity.

Coach / renter signature (individual):	Date:
Printed name:	Role:
For organization (if authorized):	☐ I am authorized to bind this organization
Northgate representative (optional):	Date:

Ohio law governs this agreement. If any provision is unenforceable, the remaining provisions remain in effect to the extent allowed by law. Confirm the organization's legal name and authority before signing on its behalf.