

CAMP WAIVER

GENERAL INFORMATION

WAIVER/MEDICAL/INSURANCE/NCAA RULES NOTICE (SIGNATURE REQUIRED)

NCAA RULES NOTICE: NCAA Rules Prohibit Payment of Camp Expenses (Transportation, Camp Tuition, spending Money, etc.) by Representatives of the University of Georgia's Athletic Interests. NCAA Rules also prohibit free or reduced camp admission for prospects (9th grade and above). If you have questions, notify camp officials prior to attending camp.

I give my written permission for my child to be treated by a medical doctor if deemed necessary by coaches responsible for camp operation.

I will not hold the camp responsible for any payments beyond their Camp Insurance Program, and will secure adequate family insurance coverage if additional coverage is desired.

I have read and understand the NCAA Rules Notice above AND I hereby give my permission for a qualified physician, athletic trainer, and/or hospital emergency room to administer necessary health care in the case of accident and/or emergency.

PARENT'S SIGNATURE:

DATE: _____

As a participant in the 2009 Bulldog Volleyball Camp, I assume the inherit risk of injury during athletic participation. I hereby release the University of Georgia, UGAA, the Bulldog Volleyball Camp Volleyball camp and its associates from any liability while participating in the camp. I further will abide all rules and regulations set forth by the camp.

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE:

DATE: _____



The Ramsey Center

REGISTRATION:

Confirmation email with release forms will be sent upon receipt of application and tuition. Due to limited spots in the individual camps, full tuition is due with application except for Combination Campers. Please send 1/2 the tuition with registration and the rest is due May 15. Team Campers see info under Team Camp listing for registration information. Prorated admission is available for partial camp attendance.

TRAINING FACILITIES:

Instruction will take place at UGA's \$40-million Ramsey Student Center - rated by Sports Illustrated as the best facility of its kind in the nation, the same facility that hosts the Georgia volleyball team in the fall. Air-conditioned courts will be used for training and competition. Also available to camper's use is an outdoor swimming pool. Team camp may use other local off-campus sites.

HOUSING AND MEALS AND EQUIPMENT:

Resident campers will be housed two per room in air-conditioned dormitories on the University of Georgia campus. Dorms will be supervised by both University of Georgia residence hall supervisors and volleyball camp staff 24 hours a day. Individual campers will be shuttled to and from the Ramsey Student Center for practices. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner will be served to all resident campers, and commuters will receive lunch and dinner daily (all included in fees, not to include TEAM CAMP COMMUTERS). Campers should bring T-shirts, volleyball shoes, socks, knee pads, towels, soap, twin-size sheets, blanket, pillow, alarm clock, and toiletries. A camp gift will be provided to each participant.

For more Information:

Contact **Andrea McCartney**, Director
georgiavolleyball@hotmail.com
or you can call
706-542-4788

Dear Volleyball Friend:

Now entering our third summer for camps at UGA, we strive to offer you the BEST environment to improve your volleyball skills and performance. The last two summers have provided us with many opportunities to work with some of the brightest high school coaches and most talented athletes from the states of Georgia, Florida, Texas, Oklahoma, North Carolina, South Carolina, Alabama and Tennessee. We expanded our camp offerings this year and added two new camps, as we were at capacity last summer and left many athletes needing more. We approach our camps as an opportunity to get you to your highest level of play and build relationships between you and the Bulldog Volleyball Program. We look forward to another great summer of camps and hope you will join us!

GO DAWGS,
The McCartney's and the Bulldog Family

2009 BULLDOG VOLLEYBALL CAMP
University of Georgia
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SKILL CAMP JUNE 14-16

Grades 6 – 12 • Check in 12:30 - 2:00 pm • Check out noon

Cost \$365 Resident • \$265 Commuter

This camp is designed to fine tune all skills including: defensive (passing, digging, blocking) and offensive (attacking, serving, setting). Players will be grouped on courts based on skill and experience level. The camper should leave camp with a better understanding of how to execute each particular skill at a higher level than when the camp began.

POSITION CAMP JUNE 17-19

Grades 6 – 12 • Check in 12:30 – 2:00 pm • Check out noon

Cost \$365 Resident • \$265 Commuter

This camp is designed to train players in their skill positions, (setter or hitter for junior high players OR outside hitter, middle hitter, setter, opposite/right side hitter, defensive specialist/libero for high school players) in a team-play setting. Sessions will go back and forth between a concentration on specific position training and then putting that position training into a team setting. This camp is geared toward more experienced players pursuing roster spots on junior high and high school teams.

COMBINATION CAMP JUNE 14-19

Grades 6 – 12 • Check in 12:30 – 2:00 pm • Check out noon

Cost \$675 Resident • \$475 Commuter

The goal of this camp is to combine the Skill Acquisition Camp and the Position Training Camp. First the athlete works on each skill, then she works on her position. The camp is designed for the serious camper, as 6 days of volleyball is quite challenging!

DAY CAMP JUNE 22-24

Grades 3 – 12 • 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM Each Day

Cost \$225 Commuter Only (Lunch is included in the fee)

The goal of this camp is to take a lighter approach to volleyball and offer training in each skill, along with fun games for the players who may just be starting volleyball. Lower nets and lighter balls will also be used to enhance learning ability for the athletes.

TRAINING CAMP JULY 10-12

Grades 6 – 12 • Check in 12:30 – 2:00 pm • Check out noon

Cost \$365 Resident • \$265 Commuter

The goal of this camp is to offer the athlete three days to improve their overall game with both skill and position training, finishing the camp with competitive play. Six sessions of hard work and discipline, mixed with some fun, but come ready to work as this camp will be up tempo!

TEAM CAMP 1 JULY 16-19

TEAM CAMP 2 JULY 23-26

Grades 9 – 12 • Check in 12:30 – 2:30 pm • Check out noon

Cost \$375 Resident • \$275 Commuter

The team camp will give your team an opportunity to train and compete together prior to the start of the high school year. The focus for camp is team competition and strategies but will also include position training, team training and competitive drill instruction. Teams train together with their high school coach and a volleyball camp coach. The first night of camp is a competition jamboree. Day 2 and 3 will combine training and competition, with the last half of Day 3 and all of Day 4 concluding camp with a tournament and the eventual crowning a camp champion. There will also be an All-Tournament Team selected. There is no cost to high school head coaches attending team camp. Each assistant must pay \$125 for room and board (unless they are coaching a separate competition team). Competition teams must have a minimum of 8 players and can register with a \$1200 non-refundable deposit (\$150 per player) AND roster from coach. The balance and registration information for each athlete will be due JUNE 1, but can be turned in at anytime prior to June 1. Should a team need to add players, full tuition can be sent June 1 for the add-ons. Transportation is NOT provided. Teams are responsible for getting to and from all facilities.

JOEL McCARTNEY

Head Coach

After the most successful turnaround in Georgia's program history, Head Coach Joel McCartney led the Bulldog volleyball team to even greater heights in 2008. With another overall winning season and 10 conference victories in the SEC, McCartney became the winningest second-year volleyball coach for the Georgia University program. The ten league wins were the most by a Georgia squad since 2003. McCartney reached a career milestone of his own in the 2008 season, achieving his 300th collegiate-career head coaching victory, giving him an overall coaching record of 316-127. In his 12 years of head coaching, McCartney's win percentage is .713, which ranks among the top 25 for active NCAA Division I coaches. One of the highlights of the season came as Georgia upset the No. 8-ranked Florida Gators in Athens, marking the first time Georgia had defeated a ranked opponent since 1995 and the first time the Dawgs had defeated the Gators in eighteen years. McCartney saw two of his Bulldogs honored as members of the All-SEC team for the second-consecutive season. In college, McCartney played as an outside hitter with the Graceland College men's team that finished two-times as the runner-up in the Collegiate Club National Tournament. After graduating with a degree in Business Administration he moved to the West Coast and began competing outdoors on the beach while playing indoors for the 1998 USAV Open National Champion Nike Molten team. Following a year with Nike Molten, McCartney was drafted to play professionally for IKSU in Umea, Sweden. After three seasons abroad, he returned to the states to pursue his Master's degree in Sport Administration at Eastern Kentucky University while serving as an assistant coach. From there McCartney had coaching stints at Indiana State (assistant, 1993-1994), Bellevue University (head, 1996-1999), Oklahoma (assistant, 2000), Winthrop University (head, 2001-2006). Now with 23 years of coaching experience and a successful playing career behind him, McCartney has found a home in Athens at the University of Georgia where he plans to remain for the remainder of his coaching career. He brings enthusiasm and knowledge to the camp setting to help each athlete reach her individual goals. He is originally from Papillion, Nebraska and is married to the former Andrea Viviano. They have two children: Kate and James.



ANDREA McCARTNEY

Camp Director, Court Coach

Andrea McCartney has served as an assistant coach for Joel McCartney since she began her coaching career in 1996, serving as McCartney's first assistant at Bellevue University and as the volunteer assistant at the University of Oklahoma, under Kalani Mahi. Andrea served as McCartney's first assistant at Winthrop University until the birth of their first child in 2004, when she stepped down to a part-time coaching role, still responsible for the direction of camps and recruiting. Since the move to Athens in December of 2006, Andrea had resigned her formal position as an assistant coach to be a full-time mother to the McCartney children, Kate (4 years old) and James (2 years old). Andrea has directed both the 2007 and 2008 Summer Camp series at UGA, hosting over 800 campers and 75 coaches in the two summers. In January of 2008, she returned to the coaching ranks and assumed the

Volunteer Assistant role for the University of Georgia, with her main area of responsibility in on-court training. McCartney was an NAIA All-Region outside hitter for the Bellevue College Bruins and still ranks among many top ten categories in digs, kills, attack attempts and games played. She also competed as a defensive specialist for the National Volleyball Association pro-league as a member of the Nebraska Tornadoes, who won the 1999 NVA League Title.



CHAD HANSON

Assistant Coach, Court Coach

Chad Hanson is entering his second season as the assistant coach in the Bulldog program. Hanson assists in many facets of the Georgia Volleyball Program but concentrates most of his time in on-court training, recruiting, and scouting opponents. Before arriving in Athens in February of 2007, Hanson assisted for three seasons in the Big 10 Conference at the University of Iowa. Hanson has experience at both the junior and collegiate level. During the 2002 volleyball season, Hanson served as Washington State's volunteer assistant coach. Hanson traveled with the WSU squad to the NCAA tournament en route to an Elite Eight appearance. Hanson was also a volunteer assistant coach at the University of Idaho in 2003, helping the Vandals advance to the NCAA tournament. At the junior level, Hanson worked with the Iowa Rockets volleyball club in Iowa City. He was previously the Club Director for the Palouse Jrs. Volleyball Club in Pullman, WA, and the Head Volleyball Coach in the Colton School District in Colton, WA. Hanson is married to the former Karla McMartin and they have a daughter, Piper, born in April 2008.



BRIANA McCARTHY

Assistant Coach, Court Coach

Briana McCarthy is entering her second season as an assistant coach with the Bulldog program. McCarthy assists in many facets of the Georgia Volleyball Program but concentrates most of her time in on-court training, recruiting, and team travel. She joined the Georgia program from Ohio State University (2003-2007), where she was a four-year letter winner and three-time team captain for the Buckeyes. Additionally, McCarthy has coached volleyball on the club level most recently with Matchpoint VBC from 2007-08. She has also worked with the Columbus Volleyball Academy (2004-06), Ohio State Nike Camps (2004-07) and All-American Volleyball Camps (2004-07). McCarthy earned a degree in Sports and Leisure Studies from Ohio State University.



LORA SARICH

Court Coach

Lora Sarich is entering her second season as the Director of Volleyball Operations with the Bulldog program. Sarich serves as an assistant to the coaching staff and aids in the administrative aspects of the program. She also is the head coach for the University of Georgia's women's club volleyball team. She joined the Georgia program in 2007 after being an assistant coach at West Georgia. Sarich previously was a four year letter winner at the University of Toledo. She is from Bellevue, Nebraska where she played for Bellevue West High School, one of the best volleyball schools in the state of Nebraska.



Staff will be assisted by current and former collegiate athletes and fellow collegiate coaches.

Name: _____

Age: _____ Grade (Fall '09): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Parent: _____

Parent's Cell Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

Contact Email for information packet (must have): _____

School: _____

Coach's Name: _____

Coach's Phone: _____

I would like to room with: (Only 2 campers per room)

Adult T-shirt size: S M L XL

Position: OH MH RS S DS/L

Check one: Resident Camper Commuter Camper

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*High school coaches send all applications together with each player's \$150 non-refundable deposit check

Please send form with FULL camp tuition by **June 1, 2009.**

Make check payable to:

Bulldog Volleyball Camp

c/o Andrea McCartney

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