**Jasper County Recreation Department**

**“Play Up” Waiver Request Form**

Jasper County Recreation Department allows parents/players to request a WAIVER to allow their player to “play up” into the next age-group allowed to them. Requests and any approval granted are for one playing season only. Requests are by written application only by the parent or legal guardian. While Jasper County Recreation Department does not recommend that players play up, the Department’s leadership does recognize that there may be a number of factors, including but not limited to, size, maturity, playing experience, and exceptional skills that may warrant a child’s ability to play up.

Player’s Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sport Playing:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Player’s Date of Birth:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Actual JCRD Age Group:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (Home):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number (Cell):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Requested Age Group:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I, the parent/guardian of the above-minor child, hereby request my child to play tee ball/baseball/softball/

football/soccer (please circle one) in an age group older than that assigned and recommended by JCRD. I am aware that my child will be playing against older and potentially more physically developed players with potentially higher level of skills, and I, therefore, recognize the added risks to my child’s health and safety, as well as to my child’s emotional well-being. I also understand that having my child play up keeps them from being eligible for All-Star teams. In signing below, I accept these risks and accept all and every liability and responsibility stemming from such risks as my own, and I absolve the Jasper County Recreation Department, its board members, volunteers, and associated personnel against any claims by or on behalf of the player named above and from any responsibility for the same. I also acknowledge that I am making this decision on my own initiative and have not been requested to do so by any JCRD coach or member.

**INFORMED CONSENT/INSURANCE NOTICE – JCRD RECOMMENDS THAT PLAYERS NOT REGISTER TO A TEAM WITH OTHER PLAYERS WHO’S AGE GROUP EXCEEDS THE REQUESTING PLAYER’S ACTUAL AGE GROUP.**

It is JCRD’s policy that all players compete at a level they are capable of, both physically and developmentally. For a player to move up to the next age group available to them requires approval from the JCRD Director of Recreation.

**\*Remember parents, if a child plays up then they are not eligible for All-star teams at the end of the season.**

Parent/Guardian – Print Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

JCRD Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_