

## ***Request for Sponsorship 2017 – 2018 Junior Olympic Volleyball***



Dear Sir/Madam,

The Southern Strikers Volleyball Club (SSVBC) is a structured, non-profit Junior Olympic volleyball program based in Central Georgia. The Club was established and is ran strictly by volunteers. We are approved by the United States Department of the Treasury as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, EIN number 27-3786962. Our goal is to provide female athletes with professional training to maximize their competitive volleyball skills for higher level competitions. Furthermore, we strive to maintain high standards of sportsmanship, leadership and integrity.

SSVBC is registered with and operates under the rules and guidelines of the Southeast Region Volleyball Association (SRVA) and U.S. Volleyball Association (USAV). Our volleyball program is an excellent path of athletic pursuit, which also affords the opportunity for these young ladies to further their secondary education while sustaining athletic and academic achievements.

The SSVBC volleyball season is extremely active from November until May of each year. Our teams, ranging from 14-18 years of age, practice 3-4 times per week and will participate in numerous competitions throughout the southeast — Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee and Florida. In order for SSVBC to remain successful in our goals and provide these athletes the competitive environment to further their development, we must seek financial donations and rely on local businesses, organizations and individuals for support. Each player pays a registration fee to join SSVBC. However, that fee does not cover all of the costs associated with operating the club. Although the club is ran by volunteers, there are other costs such as SRVA registration, tournament fees, facility rentals, equipment, uniforms, travel, lodging and specialized training.

Our intent is to develop and maintain special, long-term relationships with businesses, organizations and individuals interested in supporting our program and youth. Financial support of our volleyball organization will provide for recognition and visibility as a sponsor through our website <http://www.strikersvbc.com/>, t-shirts, and other events throughout the season. In addition, your support will enable SSVBC to attend and maximize youth opportunities in competitive volleyball environments. We invite you to visit our website for more information, photo gallery and sponsor information.

We appreciate and thank you for your consideration and/or continued support for our volleyball organization and invite you to visit and/or observe our operations at any time. If you have any questions, please contact the SSVBC at (478) 442-1582 or (478) 442-2999. Please make Sponsorship donations payable to SSVBC. Mailing address: 307 Sweet Bay Road, Kathleen, GA 31047. On behalf of the coaches, parents and players of the Southern Strikers Volleyball Club, thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

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Director, SSVBC