



Dearest potential sponsor,

I am writing on behalf of the Watsonville Starlings Volleyball Club. The following is some background information on the Starlings organization: Beginning with a single inner-city San Diego team in 1996, today Starlings is the largest Junior Volleyball Club in the nation – serving some 2,500 girls in 38 clubs across America. The goal of Starlings Volleyball is to encourage teamwork, positive life skills, academic success, and to establish community based clubs throughout the nation. The guiding concept has been to provide an opportunity for girls (ages 10-18) to participate regardless of their socioeconomic background.

While junior club volleyball dues are often exclusionary, Starlings club dues are dramatically minimized in an attempt to achieve our mission; to provide girls from diverse backgrounds the opportunity to train and compete in volleyball at a fun and challenging level. However, because of this, in order for our organization to operate we need sponsors like you to participate and support us. Any contributions you choose to donate will be greatly appreciated and most beneficial to our program. Starlings Volleyball has been working in Watsonville for the past 11 years to offer activities that are rich in academic and moral development, and help focus a young student's need for excitement and constructive physical activity.

Currently we are in need of sponsors to help our teams prepare for our National Championship Tournament in San Diego. In June, hundreds of Starlings athletes from across the Nation will play in a 5-day, fun-spirited volleyball tournament in San Diego which costs the program \$6,200.00. Any contributions will make it easier to send our teams to this final event. Starlings is a 501c.3 non-profit organization (tax ID #33-07 49769) and contributions are tax deductible. With your help, Starlings athletes will continue to compete at a competitive level and bring something for the community of Watsonville to be proud of.

I would like to thank you for your time. If you have any questions, please contact me at 831/588-5853.

Sincerely,

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