

## Athletic Housing

### 2012-2013 Academic Year - Conditions of Assignment:

NCAA recognized student-athletes may request team housing status if all of the following conditions are met:

1. The team is required to fill all ten (10) bed spaces within the suite prior to June 1, 2012. At least six (6) of the residents of the suite are required to be current members of the team. **The six current members must have completed housing contracts and deposits by Friday, March 16, 2012 at 5pm, and must submit the attached application for housing by the posted deadline of Friday, March 16, 2012 at 5pm for the team to be considered for a suite.** The remaining four (4) bed spaces must be filled with incoming student-athletes at the discretion of the team's coach or the Athletic Department by June 1, 2012.
2. Eligible residents of the suite are defined as current student-athletes or other students affiliated with the team applying for team housing status (such as team managers or those in other official positions recognized by the Athletic Department). Incoming freshmen or transfer students will be considered eligible residents at the discretion of the team's coach or the Athletic Department.
3. Teams may request more than one suite, however all suites must adhere to the aforementioned occupancy requirements. Multiple suites will be considered after all eligible athletic teams requesting housing have been granted at least one suite. Multiple applications per team will be granted in the order in which they were received.
4. Should a vacancy arise within the suite, it shall be the team's responsibility to identify an eligible individual to fill the vacancy within seven days of notification. If the vacancy should remain unfilled, the team may lose Athletic Housing status and all vacancies may be filled at the discretion of the Director of Residence Life or occupants may be relocated.
5. The residents of each suite will select a representative to serve as liaison between resident student-athletes and the Director of Residence Life or his/her designee. This representative will be required to relay concerns of the suite to the Director or his/her designee, address occupancy concerns within the suite, and ensure collective monitoring of group behavior within the suite.
6. Athletic Housing will only occur in Washington Residence Hall.
7. Athletic teams must be NCAA recognized and in good standing with the Athletic Department and the University.

### Policies:

1. Individual resident student-athletes of legal drinking age may only consume alcohol in the privacy of their room.
2. Alcohol may not be consumed in the common area of the suite.
3. All activities conducted in the common area must be alcohol free.

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4. Athletic teams or Athletic Housing groups who sponsor events in their suite that violate the Alcohol Policy are subject to judicial action as individuals and also as an Athletic Housing group. Sanctions may also be levied against the team or individual student-athletes at the discretion of the Athletic Department.
5. Teams or Athletic Housing groups may not charge an entry fee for any meetings or activities occurring within a suite.
6. Resident student-athletes residing in Athletic Housing are responsible for monitoring and regulating visitor behavior within their suite.
7. All Athletic Housing residents and guests must adhere to posted fire code occupancy maximums and all other fire safety policies.

All resident students are expected to adhere to all University and Residence Life Policies as outlined on the Robert Morris University Web Page, in the Guide to Residence Living, Student Judicial Handbook, Housing Contract, Terms of Agreement and other University publications. These policies include, but are not limited to Quiet Hours, Alcohol, and Visitation Policies.

**Agreement:**

- A. Each Athletic Housing group shall initiate and maintain on-going communication with the Director of Residence Life or his/her designee.
- B. On a limited basis, Athletic Housing residents may paint, decorate, and furnish the common area and individual rooms consistent with group needs and University policy. Athletic Housing groups must receive written approval for painting or significant physical modification to the residential area. Said modifications may remain intact on a yearly basis providing full occupancy of the suite. Should University renovation/improvement projects occur within the Athletic Housing suite area, the group will be notified to remove any modifications they wish to retain and University renovations will proceed as planned. Athletic Housing groups must return the suite to its original condition or absorb the costs associated with the University bearing this burden should they lose Athletic Housing status.
- C. Teams may retain a suite on a yearly basis providing that team members maintain occupancy of the designated suite and follow proper re-application procedures as requested through the Office of Residence Life. Said suite will remain reserved in the team's name until such time as the suite is no longer occupied per the Athletic Housing policies.
- D. Athletic Housing groups will be afforded the opportunity, according to University policy, to use residential program space for team meetings, programming and recruitment efforts.
- E. The Athletic Housing group must receive approval and submit appropriate paperwork for any room assignment changes that occur within the suite.
- F. The Athletic Housing group understands that should the suite not remain fully occupied, should the aforementioned agreements not be followed, or should occupancy needs significantly warrant such action, that said suite may be relocated or disbanded at the discretion of the Director of Residence Life.

Name of Team: \_\_\_\_\_

List, in rank order, your group's three preferences regarding suite assignment (including tower and suite number). **Please note that suites will be granted at the discretion of the Director of Residence Life and based upon availability. Every effort will be made to adhere to your preferences wherever possible, however preferences are not guaranteed.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Type or print each student-athlete's full name and RMU ID number below according to the room assignments requested. Each student-athlete must also sign the application. The **Room Selection Credit Cards** of those students listed below must be submitted along with this form for the application to be considered complete. Please indicate any spaces to be held for incoming student-athletes by writing HOLD in the appropriate location. Up to four (4) spaces may be held in a suite for incoming student-athletes. Note: Each individual listed on this application is required to have submitted a housing contract and deposit by March 16, 2012. An Athletic Housing suite will not be granted if all requestors have not submitted a contract and deposit by this posted deadline.

Room	Name	RMU ID #	Signature
1			
1			
2			
2			
3			
3			
4			
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5			
5			

**Note: The rooms listed above correspond to the room numbers in the suite (1 = A51 in suite A5, etc.).**

By signing this request, I/we have read and agreed to the conditions and agreements outlined in the Athletic Housing Policy.

List two individuals of those above who will accept the responsibility of representing the group as Athletic Housing Representatives. These individuals will be the contact persons between the suite and the Office of Residence Life.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Summer Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Summer Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Coach's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

(Coach's signature is required for all Athletic Housing Applications)

**Athletic Housing Applications must be submitted to the Office of Residence Life on or before 5pm on March 16, 2012.**

Office Use Only	Date & Time Submitted:
	ORL Staff:

