



## **2018 POTOMAC NATIONALS MEDIA CREDENTIAL REQUEST FORM**

*Please complete and sign the form below to formally request a 2018 Potomac Nationals Media Credential and also indicate your application for either a 2018 Season Credential or Daily Credentials. For multiple media members with the same affiliation, please fill out a credential request form for each member who will require a credential at Pfitzner Stadium.*

**Media Organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Job Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please check either the Season Credential box or the Daily Credentials box:*

### **2018 SEASON CREDENTIAL**

- Potomac Nationals 2018 Season Credentials will only be issued to media outlets that plan to cover the club on a regular basis. Regular basis is determined by at least one appearance per P-Nats' homestand. Only Potomac Nationals 2018 Season Credentials will be honored as a valid press pass.

### **2018 DAILY CREDENTIALS**

- To obtain a daily media pass to Pfitzner Stadium for individual games during the 2018 season, please indicate below the game dates you wish to cover or simply put, "TBD" if you are tentative on coverage dates and your credential application will be kept on file. In-season requests for daily press credentials must be received 24 hours in advance of the game's first pitch time if no dates are listed below.

**DATES REQUESTED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** All media credential requests are subject to approval by the Potomac Nationals Media Relations Department. **All media members must submit a signed MiLB Press Credential Agreement form in addition to this club credential application form to be considered for a working press credential.** Once your season credential or daily credential (with dates listed) request is approved, you may pick up your credential at any 2018 Potomac Nationals home game on or after P-Nats Opening Day 2018 on Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at the Potomac Nationals Ticket Office Will Call Window with proof of photo ID.

**Again, please provide at least 24 hours' notice on requests for daily credentials during the season.** If you have any questions, please contact the Potomac Nationals Director of Broadcasting & Media Relations, Mike Weisman, by phone by calling 703-590-2311 ext. 219 (office) or 781-929-2755 (mobile), or by emailing [mweisman@potomacnationals.com](mailto:mweisman@potomacnationals.com).

By signing this Credential Request Form the Credential Applicant agrees to the following conditions of Potomac Nationals Media Credential use:

- **Credential must be displayed (visible) at all times**
- **All one-on-one interview requests should be submitted to the Potomac Nationals Media Relations Department 24 hours in advance of the anticipated interview**
- **Potomac Nationals players and coaches will be made available to the media during the pregame up to one hour prior to first pitch at which point media access will cease until after the game**
- **No access to the Home or Visitor's Clubhouse will be permitted at any time without prior consent from Director of Broadcasting & Media Relations, Mike Weisman**
- **All accredited clubhouse visitors must be accompanied by a member of the Potomac Nationals Media Relations Department at all times**
- **No access to the playing field (on the surface itself), inside dugouts, or in bullpens is allowed during the course of the game for photographers, videographers, or other working media members. Non-commercial photos and video may be shot from field boxes and from First and Third Base Gates with respect to available space that does not interfere with fans' sightlines during the game**
- **Prior to the game, photographers and videographers must remain on the warning track and not on the playing field. Photographers and videographers are not to shoot beyond the first or third base bag, or get closer than halfway down the first or third base line towards the batting circle while shooting. Photographers and videographers may remain on the field up until the umpire signals last pitch for the starting pitcher warming up.**
- **Refrain from unauthorized audio recordings or video capture before, during, and after all games. All audio, video, and photography at Pfitzner Stadium must be sanctioned by the Potomac Nationals Media Relations Department**
- **Press Box access is limited to gameday press box staff members and media members with 2018 Season Credentials who have been granted prior permission to work inside the press box (press box space is very limited and your understanding is appreciated)**
- **Working press members may sit in the last row of Reserved Section 5 (directly in front of press box façade) to work before, during, and after games**
- **Postgame access to Potomac Nationals players and coaches will be made available following a mandatory 15-minute cool off period after the conclusion of the game, and in some cases the cool down period will exceed 15 minutes. If necessary, a press conference room will be set up for pressers if there is a need to accommodate multiple media outlets**
- **No solicitation of autographs or photographs under any circumstances from Potomac Nationals players or coaching staff at any time will be permitted**
- **Credential is not transferable and may be revoked at any time at the discretion of the Potomac Nationals Media Relations Department**

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*Signature of Credential Applicant*

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*Date*

***Thank you for your interest in covering the Potomac Nationals Baseball Club in 2018 and we look forward to hosting you at The Pfitz!***