Regional Referee Camp for Prospective 2025 Junior National Referee Candidates at Girls Junior National Championship (14-17) July 8-11 Las Vegas, Nevada

If you plan to apply as a Junior National Candidate in 2025, we strongly encourage you to join us for our Regional Referee Camp at the 2024 GJNC in Las Vegas. This camp will provide insight into the candidacy process and allow you the opportunity to improve your knowledge and skills. During the camp you will receive feedback from the USA Volleyball National and Junior National Referee Coaching Team.

The registration deadline for the camp is **April 24 at 11:59 PM (PT)**. A workgroup of National Coaching Staff will make the decision on the 40 referees who will be invited to participate, and campers will be informed on May 8 of their acceptance to camp.

- Site: Mandalay Bay Convention Center, Las Vegas, Nevada
- Camp Dates: July 8-11, 2024 (second session of GJNC).
- Arrival: Any time on Sunday, July 7.
- Departure: Departure flights may be scheduled after 7:00 PM on Thursday, July 11, or any time on July 12.
- Housing: Campers may participate in USAV housing, but must pay a housing fee of \$50 per night. Please view the Housing Policy & FAQ here: <u>Housing Candidate-Camper 2024 FAQS.pdf</u>. This is located <u>here</u> under "Applications- Junior National Applications" and "Candidate Camper Housing Information." Campers may also choose to obtain their own housing for the camp.
 - Housing Fee if checking out 7/11: 4 nights for \$200
 - Housing Fee if checking out 7/12: 5 nights for \$250
- Registration Fee: The fee to attend the camp is \$300. Deadline to register is April 24 at 11:59 PM (PT).
- Registration Link: https://usa-volleyball.sportngin.com/register/form/806503614
- Evaluation Forms: To obtain a copy of the R1 & R2 Evaluation Forms, please visit our website: <u>Indoor</u> <u>Referees - USA Volleyball</u>. The forms are located under "Important Materials for Indoor Referees" and "USAV Referee Evaluation Forms."
- **Expenses**: Remember that all expenses (travel, lodging, meals, etc.) are your responsibility. You will not be paid for matches that you referee during the coaching and mentoring sessions; however, we will attempt to assign all campers at least one or two paid matches.

Have a great time with the players, coaches, and clubs as you finish up your season, and feel free to ask any questions that will help you prepare for the camp!

It is strongly suggested that you practice as a 2nd referee as often as possible. Although many events do not have paid 2nd referees, you can look for opportunities to work as a second referee during your off time at events you work for the remainder of the season. For example, if your first match of the day is at 9:00 AM, consider arriving in time to be the 2nd referee for the 8:00 AM match on your court.

We also encourage you to study the rules book and case book and stay current with rules interpretations and techniques that can be found <u>here</u>. Scroll to Indoor Casebook, Indoor Critical Rules, Points of Emphasis, and Rules Interpretations.