



2025 USA VOLLEYBALL BOYS JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

June 18, 2025

Welcome and congratulations on securing your spot in the 2025 USA Volleyball Boys Junior National Championships! **Please read the following information carefully.** This information will be helpful in your preparations for Minneapolis, MN.

Tournament Site: Minneapolis Convention Center
1301 2nd Ave S, Minneapolis, MN 55403

TOURNAMENT DATES: July 3rd - 5th, 2025

<u>OPEN CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>
Boys 18 Open	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 17 Open	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 16 Open	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 15 Open	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 14 Open	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025

<u>USA DIVISION CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>
Boys 18 USA	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 17 USA	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 16 USA	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 15 USA	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 14 USA	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025

<u>AMERICAN DIVISION CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>
Boys 18 American	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 16 American	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025

<u>CLUB DIVISION CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>
Boys 18 Club	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 17 Club	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 16 Club	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 15 Club	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025
Boys 14 Club	3 July, 2025	5 July, 2025

SCHEDULE:

The waves and Finals schedule (coming soon) posted here:

[2025 Boys Junior National Championship \(BJNC\) - USA Volleyball](#)

HOTEL INFORMATION:

USAV has a Stay & Play Policy for this event. Hotel reservations should have been made through Team Travel Source, our hotel reservation specialists. If you did not book your reservations through Team Travel Source or did not receive approval for a waiver you could be subject to loss of your bid. If you have changes or concerns about your reservations, please call 844-875-4586 or try the Team Travel Source website (www.teamtravelsource.com).

FOOD, COOLERS AND CHAIRS:

These items **WILL NOT BE ALLOWED** in, or outside of the building and will be subject to confiscation from the Minneapolis Convention Center security. For your safety, security, and peace of mind, keep coolers in your vehicles. The

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Minneapolis Convention Center will be selling food in the venue, and they have made an effort to provide a good variety of options. Although we ask that they try to sell a few healthy snacks, we cannot control what they will ultimately sell. Chairs will be supplied around each court for spectators. Personal chairs are **NOT** permitted in the venue.

BAGS, BACKPACKS & OTHER PERSONAL ITEMS:

NEVER leave bags, backpacks, or any personal items unattended. Put someone in charge of minding team items during warm-ups and play. Lost and found is located at the Championship Desk.

THEME DAYS:



TOURNAMENT ONLINE CHECK-IN AND ONSITE CHECK-IN REQUIRED PROCEDURES FOR 2025:

****BOTH online and onsite check-in are required for this event****

USAV will utilize online check in through AES. Teams will be required to check-in online prior to checking in onsite. Online check-in will open on **Sunday June 29th at 12:00 pm CST. Online check-in closes at 10:00 pm CST on July 1st.** Once online check-in is completed, the team representative will need to report to **onsite** check-in on July 2nd starting at 2:00 pm CST til 8:00 pm CST at the Minneapolis Convention Center in **Meeting Room RM 257** to complete the process. Onsite team representatives will receive credentials and related tournament information along with two official rosters.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DIVISION</u>	<u>HOURS OF REGISTRATION CST</u>
July 2 nd	16 Open, USA, American, Club	2:00 PM- 8:00 PM
July 2 nd	15 Open, USA, Club	2:00 PM - 8:00 PM
July 2 nd	14 Open, USA, Club	2:00 PM - 8:00 PM
July 2 nd	18 Open, USA, American, Club	2:00 PM - 8:00 PM

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July 2nd

17 Open, USA, Club

2:00 PM - 8:00 PM

ONLINE CHECK-IN Instructions:

Please click this link for a video tutorial on online check in through AES:

<https://share.vidyard.com/watch/RTttgdeH4A9dfyJJskqP2i?>

*** Please note that only members who have been assigned club director access will be able to check a team in.

1. When logged into AES press "My Events"
2. Select "My Teams" for the 2025 USAV Boys Junior National Championship
3. Select "Check-In" next to the team you wish to check-in
4. Read over all instructions and requirements.
5. Record your name and cell phone number.
6. Select "Click Here to Verify and Save Your Roster" ensure your roster is completely correct.
7. Select "Save Roster".
8. Once roster is saved you will see a green check mark next to the "Click Here to Verify and Save Your Roster".
9. Select "Check-In".
10. Report to Onsite Check-In.

*** Note: Once you have completed online check-in on AES you will not be able to make changes to your roster online. You will need to make all other adjustments onsite. If you complete your roster but need to make an edit before onsite check-in, please email USAV Events Staff at bjnc@usav.org. We will allow you to start the online process over again

Selecting Credentials for Coaches Listed on Multiple Rosters:

Please click this link for a video tutorial on selecting primary rosters for credentials in AES:

<https://share.vidyard.com/watch/2f4Uvy6TRH1UbENz1C6na4?>

***This step will not apply to all teams. Some clubs may have multiple teams participating in this event. Rostered staff members can only receive one credential even if they are listed on multiple rosters.

1. After completing online check-in, a red information box may appear at the top of your screen indicating you have coaches listed on multiple rosters. You will need to determine their primary roster and what team they will receive their credential with.
2. Click on this red information box.
3. A pop-up window will list all coaches who appear on multiple rosters.
4. In the drop-down box next to their name select the team you wish to be their primary roster.
5. Select "Save" once all coaches have been assigned.

*** Please Note: Coaches who are head coaches on a team will automatically be defaulted to the roster that they are listed as Head Coach and will not appear on the duplicate roster report.

Important things to remember:

1. **Teams must be completely checked in ON SITE prior to closure of registration (8:00 PM CST) on their designated registration day.**
 - a. Teams that fail to check-in during this time frame will be penalized by forfeiting their first match of the tournament. **Teams will not be allowed to check in the morning or afternoon of play.** Please arrange travel accordingly to ensure you arrive on your check-in day.

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2. **Only one (1) team representative, club director or coach should go to check-in at the Minneapolis Convention Center to register their team(s).**
3. Each team will receive bag tags from this event. Although rostered personnel will receive a bag tag, a QR code will be the requirement to get rostered staff in the door. All rostered adult staff must be registered with their USAV region and have passed a background screen through the USAV screening process. If roster additions are made on site, event staff will have to be able to verify USAV membership and background clearance through the official membership database before the adult can be added to the official roster.

ONSITE CHECK-IN REQUIRED:

- A copy of your roster will be provided at check-in and will be your official roster to take to each match. You can access the exact roster USAV will print by clicking on the team name in AES under the event listed, click on the "Print" roster. **ALL** adult members listed as "Rostered Staff" including Chaperones must be USAV members, have completed SafeSport and passed a background screening through your region and must be members of USA Volleyball, no exceptions.
- Teams will be required to provide valid forms of ID including the following: Birth certificate, driver license, passport, or State/Federal issued IDs of each individual on a roster if tournament staff asks
- By signing your roster in AES, you are agreeing that your team has a travel policy in place.
- You must not make any marks on the physical roster or it will be deemed unofficial.

ROSTERED STAFF TOURNAMENT ENTRY – QR CODES**Redeeming your QR code:**

Please see instructions attached to this email with instructions on how to obtain your QR code. **Please note online check-in must be completed BEFORE coaches will be able to obtain their individual coach QR code.**** Rostered staff can find their USAV # on their roster within AES.

QR codes will be issued to those individuals who were designated on the Official Roster. ALL staff members over 18 years old listed on a roster must be registered with the teams' USAV region, must clear a background screening and must be SafeSport trained. Only a total of five staff members may be listed on the official event roster. The following individuals who are listed will receive QR codes:

1. Players
2. Head Coach (REQUIRED)
3. Assistant Coach(es) (if applicable)
4. Team Representative (if applicable)
5. Team Manager (if applicable)
6. Chaperone (if applicable)

- No duplicate QR codes will be released; Head coaches cannot double as the chaperone. Chaperones can only be assigned to one team per session with no overlap.
- Those persons whose names appear on the verified roster receive a QR code for admission and are permitted to sit on the bench.
- Players will receive bag tags; they must be in their uniforms to enter the arena

***USA Volleyball will be using an electronic ticketing system at the 2025 Boys Junior National Championship in Minneapolis, MN. As stated in the Pre-Tournament Manual only those registered coaches are permitted to use the designated coach tickets to enter the Minneapolis Convention Center. All other spectators will be required to purchase tickets. Coaches' tickets are nontransferable to non-rostered spectators and will be confiscated if misused. This rule will be strictly enforced as it is a safety precaution for athletes and spectators as the registered coaches are background screened, and SafeSport trained. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

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Any team caught violating this policy will have the credential confiscated. In addition, USA Volleyball reserves the right to impose additional penalties including, but not limited to, a \$5,000 fine and team disqualification from the Boys Junior National Championship.

We take the safety and well-being of athletes and spectators seriously and we appreciate your strict adherence to this policy.

ROSTERS:

The team roster is limited to 15 players and 5 rostered staff. ONLY those persons whose names appear on the verified roster will receive a credential.

All changes, after the roster-change deadline, onsite will be charged \$50.00 for any additions. No additions to the roster may be made after the first match has started. These changes will have to be processed at check-in time onsite at the Minneapolis Convention Center. **NOTE:** For any staff member additions, USAV membership and background screening clearance must be able to be verified by the USAV membership database.

Roster verification: We are making every effort to get the rosters 100% verified at this point. Please look at your rosters on AES and make sure they are correct. You can see the roster that we will print for the event by logging into AES, clicking on the Team Name and clicking on the "Print" roster listed next to the 2025 Boys Junior National Championships event.

SafeSport Certification: All adults (18 and older) listed on rosters must be SafeSport certified.

IMPACT Certification: It is a requirement that EVERY coach listed on a team roster be minimally IMPACT Certified. Teams will be deemed ineligible and denied access to the 2025 Boys Junior National Championship if their coaches are NOT IMPACT Certified. All coaches, Head and Assistants must now be certified to coach.

An IMPACT Certified member of the roster MUST be present at the Scorer's Table during all team officiating assignments.

UNIFORMS:

Uniform number sizes are to be a minimum of 4" on the front and a minimum of 6" on the back, NO EXCEPTIONS.

Verification of uniform number sizes will be done by officials on the playing court. Consult the 2023-2025 Official USA Volleyball Rules Book for additional information on uniform number sizes and placement. You can also download the Rules Book on our web site: [2023-2025-USAV-Indoor-Rules-Book.pdf](#)
2024-2025 USAV UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS [Microsoft Word - 2024-2025 USAV Uniforms Requirements.docx](#)

PLAYERS MUST WEAR THE SAME UNIFORM NUMBER THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE TOURNAMENT (unless an exceptional situation occurs – i.e. Blood on uniform)

PRACTICE OPPORTUNITIES:

Practice Opportunities will be available at BJNC at the Minneapolis Convention Center on **July 2nd – 12-8pm** at the Minneapolis Convention Center. Courts will be first come-first served with the allotted one-hour practice maximum. No reservations are needed. Please visit our equipment tent near the championship desk.

Limited Balls and Carts will be available with an ID and Court usage will be available on a first come first serve basis.

OFFICIAL BALL:

The official ball for the 2025 USA Boys Junior National Volleyball Championship is a Molten, FLISTATEC V5M5000- 3N (Red, White & Blue) for the 14s-18s divisions and Molten.

WARM UP BALLS & CARTS:

USAV **WILL NOT** be able to provide warm-up balls & carts on **every** court. With the size of the Boys tournament, we do not have the inventory of balls and carts to accommodate all the teams. However, USAV **WILL** have balls available for teams to check out on a first come, first serve basis throughout the tournament. The person checking out the volleyballs

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will need to provide an ID at the time of check-out (there will be a charge for any balls that are checked out and not returned to USAV). Please check in to the equipment tent near the Championship desk to check out balls for warm up.

Note: We do not have enough balls to supply every team so it would be wise to bring balls and carts with you.

PLAY SCHEDULE & RESULTS:

The play schedule is available on the USA Volleyball website and through AES (Advanced Event Systems). Once the tournament begins the results will be updated continuously on this site as well.

[2025 USAV Boys Junior National Championship - AES \(advancedeventsystems.com\)](https://www.advancedeventsystems.com)

THE FINAL DAY OF PLAY BRACKETS:

All age division teams will play all three days with the final day of play will be single elimination brackets. Brackets competition will all start between 8:00 am and 12:00 pm and the final matches scheduled in all brackets other than the Gold might be scheduled as late as 3:30 pm. Take into consideration that courts generally run behind on the final day of play and that the losing team must stay and ref the following match on the court they are playing on.

***** FINALS TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITH FINAL POSTED SCHEDULE**

SPECTATOR ADMISSION

Admission to the USA Volleyball Boys Junior National Championships is by QR code only. There will be no sales on-site. All admissions must be pre-purchased in advance: [2025 BJNC \(ticketspice.com\)](https://www.ticketspice.com)

Additional Info

- All tickets will be scanned and a strict 100% ID check will be enforced to enter the court area. All spectators will be asked to show ID with their ticket to enter this event.
- Once a ticket has been scanned for entry it is non-transferable.

Admission Prices

Tournament Pass (adults)	\$49.67
Adult one-day pass	\$20.69
Children 10 & Under	Free

PARKING AT THE MINNEAPOLIS CONVENTION CENTER:

[PUBLIC EVENT PARKING OPTIONS | MEET MINNEAPOLIS](#)

The Minneapolis Convention Center offers two convenient underground automated garages that are open 24 hours a day:

- 3rd Ave Parking Ramp – 1401 3rd Ave S., Minneapolis, MN 55404
- Plaza Parking Map – 117 S. 12th St. Minneapolis, MN 55403
- 11th & Marquette Parking Ramp – 1111 Marquette Ave. Minneapolis, MN 55403
- 11th Underground Parking Ramp – 1080 2nd Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55403
- Leamington Parking Map – 1001 2nd Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55403

Parking rates vary depending on the nature of the event.

BALLERTV:

We're excited to announce BallerTV will be livestreaming the Boys Junior National Championship. The event livestream kicks off Wednesday, July 3. All courts will be live streamed for those who have a BallerTV account. BallerTV is the contracted vendor for streaming and has the right to request anyone streaming the matches to discontinue streaming and put their equipment away. Recording for personal use is allowed.

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[Watch the USA Volleyball Boys Junior National Championship \(2025\) Livestream | BallerTV](#)

AIR TRAVEL:

Minneapolis-Saint Paul International Airport (MSP) is located approximately 12 miles from Minneapolis Convention Center and downtown Minneapolis.

Web address is: [Minneapolis Convention Center | Minneapolis \(mspairport.com\)](#)

Attractions/ Sightseeing: [All the Top Things to Do in Minneapolis | Meet Minneapolis](#)

Rental Cars:**Terminal 1**









On-airport rental car counters at Terminal 1 are located on the ground level of the Silver Parking Ramp. Passengers can take the underground tram to the ramp and follow the wayfinding signs to the rental area. The entrance to the Silver Ramp is located under the Prince mural.

Terminal 1 Airlines: Aer Lingus, Air Canada, Air France, Alaska Airlines, American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Denver Air, KLM Royal Dutch Airlines, Lufthansa, Spirit Airlines, United Airlines and WestJet

Terminal 2

At Terminal 2, on-airport rental car counters are located in the Ground Transportation Center on the ground level of the Purple Ramp directly across from the terminal building.

Departing Passengers: Return your car to our Rental Center

	800-GOALAMO	www.goalamo.com
	800-331-1212	www.avis.com
	800-527-0700	www.budget.com
	800-800-3666	www.dollar.com
	800-261-7331	www.enterprise.com
	800-654-3131	www.hertz.com
	801-258-5239	www.paylesscar.com
	800-CAR-RENT	www.nationalcar.com

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800-THRIFTY

www.thrifty.com

Ground Transportation: [Ground Transportation | MSP Airport](#)

UNIVERSITY ATHLETE:

University Athlete is the official college coach's communication tool for the Boys Junior National Championship Event.

All player data is extracted from Advanced Event Systems (AES) and supplied to colleges on their mobile devices. Teams that submit incomplete player information are putting their athletes at a disadvantage for recruiting purposes. It is the responsibility of the Team Representative/designee to input the data into the registration system (AES) accurately and completely for all players. Player information will be supplied to colleges for 15-18 age divisions only.

University Athlete is an important tool for all participants, parents and coaches. Most colleges obtain important information on student-athletes from data collected by University Athlete. For more information on University Athlete please visit their website at www.universityathlete.com. UA would like to encourage all athletes to go on and create their free UA profile.

National Anthem:

If players are interested in singing the National Anthem, please email BJNC@usav.org or do it on-site at the championship desk.

EVENT MERCHANDISE:

If you want up to date information about championship event merchandise, below is the Simpatico Solutions Website:

[Simpatico Solutions – Leading Merchandisers in the Club Volleyball Industry – We're the official event merchandisers for multiple state qualifiers, championships and several National Qualifiers](#)

At USPA, School Goes Where You Go

US Performance Academy, the official online academic partner of USA Volleyball, offers student-athletes the flexibility to train and compete at the highest level while obtaining a rigorous, high-quality education that is custom-tailored to fit within their family's busy lifestyle.

Connect with a USPA Family Advisor here: <https://gouspa.org/contact-us/>

QUESTIONS/CONCERNS:

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the above information, please do not hesitate to contact the USAV Events Department by telephone (719) 228-6800 or email bjnc@usav.org. Most questions can be answered by downloading the Pre-Tournament Manual from [USAV-BJNC-PTM-Final-2025-1.pdf \(usavolleyball.org\)](#)
We look forward to seeing you at the 2025 USA Boys Junior National Volleyball Championships in Minneapolis!
Good Luck to all teams!

Sincerely,

USA Volleyball Events Department

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