



# BEACH

★ *National Championship* ★ ★

Virginia Beach

Virginia

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**2025**

# WELCOME TO VIRGINIA BEACH



On behalf of USA Volleyball and the Outdoor Events Department, it is our pleasure to join our hosts to welcome you to Virginia Beach, VA and the Virginia Beach Oceanfront for the 2025 USA Volleyball Beach National Championship. We thank you for your continued support and offer our best wishes to each participant for a successful and enjoyable experience.

First time participants can look forward to a time of fellowship and making new friends; returning players to the renewal of friendships and the making of new ones.

We extend our thanks to the Old Dominion Region of USA Volleyball for helping to host this event. They are already working hard preparing for this championship.

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## A NOTE FROM USA VOLLEYBALL

USA Volleyball's vision, and unwavering commitment, is “to build, create, and support a safe, inclusive, positive volleyball experience and a lifetime of opportunity for all.”

### **HARASSMENT INCIDENT RESPONSE-OFFICIALS & STAFF (HIROS)**

In addressing the increasing number of harassment incidents making headlines in sports, this serves as a reminder that there is ZERO TOLERANCE for harassment towards our officials, tournament staff, players, coaches, and spectators. To ensure accountability, the creation of the Harassment Incident Response – Officials & Staff (HIROS) is presented at all Qualifiers and National Championships to encourage tournament staff to confidently respond in real-time to what is deemed as hate speech, inappropriate gestures, or aggressive physical interaction targeting an individual's ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, disability, and physical appearance. Those who witness on-site harassment must report these unacceptable behaviors and actions to our officials, arbitrators, or tournament staff.

### **SPECTATOR CONDUCT**

We also remind coaches of their crucial role in maintaining respectful and courteous behavior and their responsibility to guide their teams and spectators. Unsportsmanlike conduct by spectators will be addressed by Arbitrators and Event Staff and may lead to dismissal from the event.

Let's all play our part in upholding the safety and integrity of the game and ensure a positive experience for all involved.

# TRAVEL INFORMATION

## HOTELS

**Team Travel Source** is the official housing company for the 2025 USA Volleyball Beach National Championship.

Housing options can be found [here](#).

## AIR TRAVEL INFORMATION

Norfolk International Airport (ORF) – 2200 Norview Ave, Norfolk, VA 23518

Web address is: <https://www.flyorf.com/>

## WEBSITES

ATTRACTIONS & SIGHTSEEING: [Visit Virginia Beach | Official Tourism Site of Virginia Beach](#)

## GROUND TRANSPORTATION

### PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

#### VIRGINIA BEACH TROLLEYS

Hampton Roads Transit's VB Wave Trolley and Bayfront Shuttle services are an easy way to get around the Virginia Beach Oceanfront, Rudee Inlet, and even reach First Landing State Park along the Chesapeake Bay to walk the trails. Hop aboard, kick back, and let us do the driving. With VB Wave Trolleys arriving approximately every 15 minutes during peak hours, visitors and residents alike can easily explore Virginia Beach on **their** schedule. [Click here](#) for more information.

## PUBLIC PARKING

Numerous public parking garages and other public parking options can be found located near the competition venue.

Parking Lots and Garages in Close Proximity

- Municipal Parking Lots are located on Atlantic Avenue at 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Rudee Loop and 2<sup>nd</sup> Street.
- Closest Parking Garage is located on Pacific Avenue at 9<sup>th</sup> Street.

More information on Oceanfront Parking can be found [here](#).



## BEACH EQUIPMENT RENTALS

Beach chairs, umbrellas and other equipment rentals are available at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Company: Sunrise Beach Services by Boucher Brothers

Contact: +1 (757) 615-0720

# QUICK FACTS

## DATES OF COMPETITION

2025 USA Volleyball Beach National Championship  
Virginia Beach Oceanfront  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Age Division Schedule

Division	Session I			Session II		
	Wednesday 16-Jul	Thursday 17-Jul	Friday 18-Jul	Saturday 19-Jul	Sunday 20-Jul	Monday 21-Jul
Girls 18 Open				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Girls 18 American				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Girls 18 Patriot				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Girls 16 Open	Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals			
Girls 16 American	Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals			
Girls 16 Patriot	Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals			
Girls 14 Open				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Girls 14 American				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Girls 14 Patriot				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Girls 12 Open	Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals			
Girls 12 American	Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals			
Girls 12 Patriot	Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals			
Boys 18 Open				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Boys 16 Open	Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals			
Boys 14 Open				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals
Boys 12 Open				Pool Play	Pool Play	AM Brackets & Finals

Note: All teams will play at least one match on the last day of your Championship. All Gold medal matches will be played that day on the Championship Court, followed by the awards ceremony.

## CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE & EVENT PAGE

[Click here](#) to view the schedule for the 2025 USA Volleyball Beach National Championship.

Athletes and coaches will utilize the above Volleyball Life Event Page to see the schedule and record match scores.

The schedule for each Session will be released at approximately 5:00pm ET the night before Day 1.

Session I: 5:00pm ET on Tuesday, July 15, 2025

Session II: 5:00pm ET on Friday, July 18, 2025

Wave times for each Session will be released Monday, July 14, 2025.



COMPETITION VENUE SITE MAP

COURT LAYOUT

Please see below for the current Court Layout for the 2025 USA Volleyball Beach National Championship.



## TOURNAMENT BALL

### All Age Divisions

### Molten Elite Beach Volleyball BV5000



## REQUIRED DRESS CODE & ATTIRE

Uniforms are not required but are encouraged. All athletes are REQUIRED to wear a top, for girls it must cover your midsection when standing, and bottoms such as spandex, shorts or leggings. No bikinis will be permitted for any team. For boys it must be a tank top or t-shirt that covers the midsection when standing, and bottoms such as board shorts, athletic shorts. No brief type of swim trunks.

## DEADLINES

All teams must complete registration by the established deadline listed below.

DEADLINES	
Registration Opens	October 25, 2024
Refund Deadline for All Divisions	July 11, 2025
Deadline for Qualifier Events	July 13, 2025
Deadline for Registration for All Divisions	July 14, 2025 – 3:00pm EST
Deadline for Submission of Countable USAV Point-Based Events	July 14, 2025
Deadline for Coach Registration (Session I)	July 15, 2025 – 11:59pm EST
Deadline for Coach Registration (Session II)	July 18, 2025 – 11:59pm EST

## PARTNER SWITCHES & CHANGE DEADLINES

A partner switch may be made prior to registration closing on July 14, 2025 for Session I and July 17, 2025 on Session II. No partner switches may be made after this time unless requested deemed appropriate and accepted by the USAV Outdoor Events Championship Committee.

All partner switches must show a current Sports Engine USAV membership.

## TOURNAMENT TEAM CHECK-IN

All necessary check-in procedures will take place at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront in Virginia Beach, VA. BOTH athletes must be present together in order to complete the check-in process. Athletes will not be able to check in without their partner.

Date	Division	Type	Time
July 16, 2025	SESSION I Girls 16U Open, American, and Patriot Girls 12U Open, American, and Patriot Boys 16U Open	On-Site Check-In  *Located at the Championship Tent between 11 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> Street.	7:00am
July 19, 2025	SESSION II Girls 18U Open, American, and Patriot Girls 14U Open, American, and Patriot Boys 18U, 14U and 12U Open	On-Site Check-In  *Located at the Championship Tent between 11 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> Street.	7:00am

**IMPORTANT:** **There will be a mandatory check-in** during the time stated above. Athletes will receive their participation gifts at Athlete Check-In.

Teams must be completely checked in prior to their first match on Day 1 of their respective Division/Session. Teams that fail to complete in-person check-in will be subject to forfeiture of their first match of the tournament. Please arrange travel accordingly to ensure both athletes will arrive in time to completely check in your team.

Both athletes should go to the check-in desk at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront to pick up credentials and athlete gifts.

## TOURNAMENT CREDENTIALS

### PARTICIPATING ATHLETES

1. On-Site Check-In will take place at the Championship Tent between at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront.
2. BOTH athletes are to be active Full Members of USA Volleyball.
3. Those persons whose names appear for the pair are permitted to be on the court and utilize the players boxes.

### PARTICIPATING COACHES

1. On-Site Check-In will take place at the Championship Tent between at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront.
2. ALL Coaches must be full active members of USA Volleyball and complete all necessary requirements, including a USAV Background Check, SafeSport and IMPACT.
3. Coaches must have a valid ID (driver's license, birth certificate, passport or state/federal ID—photo ID is preferred if available) to obtain their Coach Credential. It is to be shown at check-in to any authorized representative of the Championship Committee, USAV Staff, Arbitrator or the Event Security Staff.
4. Coaches will receive a credential and wristband on Day 1 of each Session. Credentials/Wristbands are NOT VALID for adults or parents of the players who are not registered as coaches.
  - a. Credentials AND wristbands must be worn at all times to access the playing areas and player boxes.

## COACH REGISTRATION

All coaches wishing to participate with their teams at the BNC must register online prior to the start of the tournament.

Coach Registration Process:

1. Select "Register" for the Event
2. Bypass the "Bid Code" Section and click "Next"
3. Insert 'Coach Name' into the "Player Name" field and click "Next"
4. Complete the rest of the registration

Coaches must have a current USAV Membership and be up to date on the following:

- SafeSport trained
- Background Screened
- IMPACT Certified
  1. Coaches must register no later than one week before the start of the event. Late walk ups are permitted upon verification of coaching requirements including IMPACT, SafeSport training and successful completion of a background screen.
  2. Coaches will be required to wear wrist bands (or other designated form of identification for the event) when interacting with athletes and/or on the field of play.

3. Coaches working with more than one (1) team only need to register once per event but MUST identify the teams they are coaching to the tournament staff.

International Coaches must submit a Letter of Good Standing from their federation to [BeachEvents@usav.org](mailto:BeachEvents@usav.org) before registering online.

## **PRACTICE OPPORTUNITIES**

Practices will be allowed at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront on Tuesday, July 15<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 – 7:00pm and Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup> from 4:00 – 7:00pm. Courts will be first come, first serve with an allotted 1-hour practice maximum.



# GENERAL VENUE INFORMATION

## OCEANFRONT RULES & REGULATIONS

Coolers, chairs, umbrellas and tents are permitted to be brought into the event footprint. Spectator seating will be available for the two Championship Courts. Alcohol and drugs are NOT permitted.

Beach chairs, umbrellas and other equipment rentals are available at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront. [Click here](#) to learn more.

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ANYONE DISCOVERED IN POSSESSION OR CONSUMING ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY EXPELLED FROM THE CHAMPIONSHIPS. THERE ARE NO WARNINGS FOR ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION BY PLAYERS OR ANY OTHER UNDERAGE PERSON WHOSE NAMES APPEAR ON THE OFFICIAL TEAM ROSTERS. THERE ARE NO WARNINGS FOR DRUG CONSUMPTION BY PLAYERS OR ANY PERSON WHOSE NAMES APPEAR ON THE OFFICIAL TEAM ROSTERS. IF DISCOVERY OCCURS AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF PLAY FOR THE PLAYER/TEAM, THE USAV CORPORATE ETHICS AND ELIGIBILITY COMMITTEE WILL BE NOTIFIED AND THE EXTENSION OF SANCTIONS MAY RESULT IN THE LIMITING OF FUTURE PARTICIPATION WITH USA VOLLEYBALL. ANY HIGH PERFORMANCE, YOUTH OR JUNIOR NATIONAL TEAM MEMBER FOUND IN POSSESSION OF ALCOHOL OR ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES MAY BE REMOVED FROM PARTICIPATION WITH THE NATIONAL PROGRAM.

## EVENT MERCHANDISE

Event merchandise sales will be held at the venue during the USA Volleyball Beach National Championship. Merchandisers will include the official event merchandiser, Simpatico. The Official Merchandise Tent will be located on the Championship Block between 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Streets.

## INCLIMATE WEATHER

Athletes and coaches will be expected to continue in wind or rain that does not present a threat of danger to the participants. Under no circumstances will athletes be allowed to participate when lightning (within 10 miles), tornados or other dangerous weather is present in the area. If there is a need to evacuate the oceanfront, an announcement will be made on-site. Event updates will then be sent out via Volleyball Life.

## EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY

If you are interest in making a reservation for action photography throughout the course of the event, please contact Quad C Photography at (979) 476-2473 or [quadcphotography@quadcphotography.com](mailto:quadcphotography@quadcphotography.com).

# WHAT TO PACK

## ATHLETE PACKING LIST

Are you asking yourself what you should bring to Virginia Beach? If so, here's a checklist of some high priority items that should make it into your backpack or suitcase.

- Gear to wear during competition (Please keep in mind our dress code / attire policy.)
- Sand Socks are **HIGHLY ENCOURAGED AND RECOMMENDED**
- Beach Towels
- Flip Flops / Slides
- Sunscreen
- Hats / visors
- Rain Jacket
- Sunglasses
- Water bottle

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### A DAY WITH TKN



Olympians Taryn Kloth Brasher and Kristen Nuss will be making a special appearance on Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup>! Get ready to meet one of your favorite athletes up close! Stop by the **Zenni Booth** on **Friday, July 18** for an exclusive **athlete appearance and autograph signing** session. Autograph signings will take place at 8:30am and 10:45am.

Whether you're looking to snap a photo, grab an autograph, or just say hi, this is your chance to connect with two of America's top athletes in the game. Don't miss out!

Come early — lines may form quickly!