

For Official	Use Only: Tryout	Number

Thank you for your interest in playing volleyball in the Badger Region of USA Volleyball! Please fill out and take the first page of this sheet, along with a copy of your registration confirmation (or membership card) from Webpoint and your completed medical and concussion forms to each tryout.

Good luck and have a great year!

Player Legal NameFirst	MI	Last	
Address			
	City	ST	ZIP
Home Phone: ()	Cell Phone: ()		
Email Address:	Gender (M/F):	Grade In School:	
Birthdate (MM/DD/YYYY):	High School Graduation Year:		
Parent/Guardian Names:			
Parent/Guardian Phone(s):			
Height Inches	Right/Left Handed		
Feet Inches Preferred Position:	Secondary Position (if appl	icable)	
Emergency Contact During Tryout	(Name & Phone)		

USA VOLLEYBALL JUNIOR PLAYER AGE DEFINITION For use during the 2017-2018 Season

To determine the correct age division, please find the Month of Birth in the left column and then the year of birth in the same row. The heading of the column matching the Year of Birth is the correct age bracket.

	18 & Under ¹	18 & Under	17 & Under	16 & Under	15 & Under ²	14 & Under	13 & Under	12 & Under	11 & Under	10 & Under	9 & Under	8 & Under
Sept	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Oct	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Nov	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Dec	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Jan	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Feb	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Mar	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Apr	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
May	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
June	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
July	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Aug	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010

¹ Players who were born on or after September 1, 1999 <u>OR</u> players who were born on or after September 1, 1998 <u>and</u> a high school student in the twelfth (12th) grade or below during some part of the current academic year.

² Male Only - Players who were born on or after September 1, 2003 <u>OR</u> players who were born on or after September 1,2002 (15 years or younger) who shall neither have completed nor are in a grade higher than the eighth (8th) grade during the current academic year are eligible to play in the 14 & Under division. This exception is based on the net height difference of 7'4 1/8" to 7'11 5/8" between the 14 and Under Division to the 15 and Under Division.

The Age Definition Policy was most recently revised by the USA Volleyball Board of Directors on January 19, 2002.

The classification cut-off date of September 1 was reviewed by the USAV Junior Assembly and the USA Regional Volleyball Association Assembly prior and during the USAV 2016 Annual Meetings and research justified the continuation of the cut-off date of September 1.

2017-18 Badger Region Junior Tryout and Commitment Dates

Individual clubs will determine their tryout schedule. Badger Region encourages all prospective athletes to directly contact each club they will be trying out for to determine how the tryout processes will work on a club-to-club basis.

"Previously registered player" means a player who played for the same club in 2016-17.

o In other words, if you played for a club in the 2016-17 season and that same club offers you a spot for the 2017-18 season, you are considered a "previously registered player." If another club that you did not player for offers you a spot, you may follow the "all other players" time frame.

14 & Under Girls (born Sept. 1, 2002 and after)

- First available date for tryouts: Oct. 7, 2017
- Previously registered players commitment date: <u>Tuesday</u>, Oct. 10
 - o A player will not be required to commit to a club for which they were a registered member the previous season until 9:01 p.m. on Tuesday.
- All other players commitment date: Thursday, Oct. 12
 - o A player will not be required to commit to a club for which they were not a registered member the previous season until 9:01 p.m. on Thursday.
- Commitment dates for all offers made after Oct. 12 is at the discretion of the club.

15 & Older Girls (born Aug. 31, 2002 and before)

- First available date for tryouts: Nov. 11, 2017
- Previously registered players commitment date: Tuesday, Nov. 14
 - A player will not be required to commit to a club for which they were a registered member the previous season until 9:01 p.m. on Tuesday.
- All other players commitment date: Thursday, Nov. 16
 - o A player will not be required to commit to a club for which they were not a registered member the previous season until 9:01 p.m. on Thursday.
- All offers made after Nov. 16 must be held until 6 p.m. on Nov. 21.

All Boys

14 & Under Boys (born Sept. 1, 2002 and after): First available date for tryouts: Nov. 17, 2017

15 & Older Boys (born Aug. 31, 2002 and before): First available date for tryouts: Nov. 18, 2017

- Previously registered players commitment date: <u>Tuesday</u>, Nov. 21
 - A player will not be required to commit to a club for which they were a registered member the previous season until 9:01 p.m. on Tuesday.
- All other players commitment date: Wednesday, Nov. 22
 - A player will not be required to commit to a club for which they were not a registered member the previous season until 9:01 p.m. on Wednesday (to avoid Thanksgiving).
- All offers made after Nov. 23 must be held until 6 p.m. on Nov. 28.

Notes: As always, players are encouraged to let clubs know of their intentions as soon as the decision has been made – a player does <u>NOT</u> need to wait until the deadline to accept or decline an offer. Individual clubs may choose to extend offer deadlines, at their discretion, or athletes may ask for this extension. Any extensions granted (or not) are the sole responsibility of Badger Region member clubs.

A club program who has given an offer of membership to a player may make one (1) club-initiated follow-up contact with that player between the time of the offer and the subsequent commitment date. A club-initiated contact shall be defined as a phone call, email, text, Tweet or Facebook message by a representative of the club program making the offer.

Formal acceptance of an offer is determined by when the player selects their chosen club in Webpoint. Players should leave the club selection as "Undecided" until an offer has been made by the club and accepted by the player. Upon official commitment to a club that is registered with Badger Region/USA Volleyball, the athlete must remain with that club/team for the remainder of the Junior Volleyball season.

Please contact your regional Board of Directors representative or the Region office with questions. This information can be found on the Badger Region website at www.BadgerVolleyball.org.