

## Junior Board Meeting Report Jan 12,2026

1) WEVA Events – Proposed dates for 2025-2026 events. Sites reserved noted. Confirming site coordinators for events. Medals ordered, coordinated merchandise vendor for events. Contract for SUNY Brockport completed, COI sent to Tri-County per their request. Working on discussions with club directors about moving teams to a different event that has room for those that are already not registered for event that could be optional for them.

- WEVA - Rally I - Feb 1<sup>st</sup> - 14 -21 and 16- 20 - SUNY Brockport, Armory - working on getting 24 - maybe wait listing 1- 14's
- WEVA Festival 12, 13, 14's – Feb 7<sup>th</sup> - Tri-County, Armory- 12-12, 13-16, 16-20 - 1 wait listed for 12's division, maybe 1- 13 team
- WEVA Festival 15, 16, 17, 18– Feb 8<sup>th</sup> - SUNY Brockport, Armory - 15-16, 16-16, 17-12, 18-12 - 2 wait listed for 17's division
- WEVA Challenge 14's - 3/14 - SUNY Brockport - hosted by VFX
- WEVA Challenge 16's - 3/15 - The ROCK - hosted by NFVB
- WEVA Challenge 12's and 13's - 3/15 - SUNY Brockport - hosted by VFX
- WEVA Challenge 15's - 3.21 - The ROCK - hosted by NFVB
- WEVA Bid Qualifier 18's – 3/22 - site TBD - Rochester area - 18 -3
- WEVA Boys Regional Championships - 3/22 - SUNY Brockport, Roberts Wesleyan, The ROCK-12-6, 14/13-16 (only one 13 team), 15-7,16-11, 17-6,18-7
- WEVA Dig Fest I - 12, 13, 14 - 4/11 - SUNY Brockport, Armory - 12-8, 13-12, 14-22
- WEVA Dig Fest II - 15, 16, 17, 18 - 4/12 - SUNY Brockport, Armory- 15-20, 16-12, 17-11, 18-10- maybe wait listing 5- 15's and 1-16
- WEVA Bid Qualifier 14 – April 18<sup>th</sup> - SUNY Brockport - 14-2
- WEVA Regional Championship 12, 13 - April 18<sup>th</sup> - SUNY Brockport- 12-4, 13-5
- WEVA Bid Qualifier 15-17 – April 19<sup>th</sup> - SUNY Brockport - 15-5, 16-6, 17-2

2) 2026 Nationals Sites: Approved National Qualifier events posted to USA website.

USA Volleyball Girls' Junior National Championships (GJNC) for 11's thru 13's – Minneapolis, MINN - 6/19 - 6/22

USA Volleyball Girls' Junior National Championships (GJNC) for 14's thru 17's - Indianapolis, Indiana - 6/25 - 7/3

USA Volleyball Girls' Junior Club Championships - Columbus, Ohio - 6/5- 6/7 - NEW EVENT ADDED for 2025-2026- replaces Patriot division-all can register - first come first serve like Patriot division was at National events prior years

USA Volleyball Boys' Junior National Championships (BJNC) – Phoenix, Arizona - 7/8-7/11

USA Volleyball Open National Championships - Orlando, Fla - 5/22- 5/27

USA Volleyball Girl's Junior National Championships for 18's - Reno, Nevada - 5/1-5/3

3) Positions on board that are up for election in 2026 are President, Treasurer, Junior Girls Rep and Junior Boys Rep. WEVA will be seeking interested candidates for these positions for a three year term of service.

4) WEVA to provide financial assistance in support of four teams to attend the USA All Star Championships (Previously was HP). WEVA has budgeted \$20,000 from the region. Daniel Miranda, Buffalo State University volleyball men's head coach served as the head organizer for tryouts, team camp for practices, registration, uniform purchase, travel plans and hotel accommodations with assistance from Michael DeDee, Roberts Wesleyan coach.

5) WEVA sent out email notifying the boys clubs in the region that teams must play in one USAV sanctioned region event to be eligible to participate in the boys' regional championship event. Winners of the age groups will be eligible for payment of financial award IF they played in two WEVA sanctioned events in the season. The regional championship event does not count as the event played in.

6) WEVA sent out email to girls club directors communicating that the BID events will only accept up to 8 teams per age division that ARE accepting a BID to USA Nationals earned during their participation in the event. The 12 and 13's will be run under a new name the WEVA 12/13 Girls Regional Championship since we have had no interest over the last few years where Nationals are hosted for them while players are still in school during June.

7) USA Nationals Girls Bids allocated to WEVA region for 2025-2026 season. 11's and 12's - No Bids allocated, 13's have a National and an American bid, 14/15/16/17/18 have a National, American and a Freedom bid. Will need to communicate to USA if any BIDS will be turned back to them for reallocation.

8) USA Nationals Boys Bids - 14/15/16/17/18 USA Bids are allocated for 2025-2026 season. Will need to communicate if any BIDS will be turned back to them for reallocation.

9) Main Street Armory will have additional parking at church parking lot on Saturday only, for dates that the theater has nothing booked. Will be communicated in cover letter for events, if available.

Submitted by: WEVA JUNIOR COORDINATOR – Cindy D'Errico