



2021 AZ Region Jr. Beach Registration

Name _____

Club _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Emergency Phone _____

Email _____

Division (circle only the youngest division your son/daughter is able to play in)

G12U [Born Sept. 1, 2008 or after] B12

G14U [Born Sept. 1, 2006 or after] B14

G16U [Born Sept. 1, 2004 or after] B16

G18U [Born Sept. 1, 2002 or after] B18

All players must be current USAV members. Players that are not current USAV members (did NOT play club volleyball), submit a 2021 USAV Membership Form (available online) along with a \$15 membership fee. Please visit the AZ Region Beach page for more info.

Please note, any and all state, county, park and/or AZ Region protocols for COVID will be implemented and enforced.

Please mail this registration form along with your check for \$20 payable to the

Arizona Region of USA Volleyball:

7100 W. Erie St. Chandler, AZ 85226

480.306.8094 p office@azregionvolleyball.org

You can also register online in SportsEngine or download the brochure at

www.azregionvolleyball.org/beach.

For tournament schedules, standings, updates and special tournament information, visit

www.azregionvolleyball.org/beach



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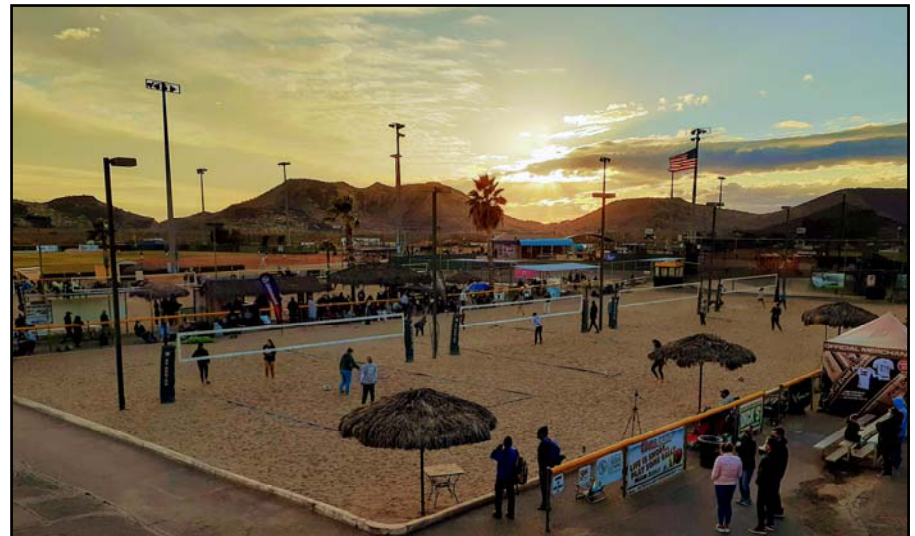
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2021 marks our 20th season of junior beach doubles in the AZ Region. This program continues to set the standard for others around the country all because of YOU. We are also very proud to announce that Arizona was the first state in the country to adopt high school sand volleyball as a varsity sport and is playing its ninth season and now over 80 teams.

The tournaments start the first part of May. Check the calendar on the Region website's beach page for the ages and dates of tournaments.

Reminders:

- ◆ You can download the AZ Region Jr. Beach program registration form online at www.azregionvolleyball.org/beach. Fill out and mail in. OR you can register ONLINE through your SportsEngine account.
- ◆ We will be using the same age groups used in Region indoor play. As in indoor, you can always play UP in a division but you cannot play down.
- ◆ All tournaments will be held in Phoenix at Victory Lanes Sports Complex located at 22603 N 43rd Ave, Glendale AZ 85310, (Main Office: 623-581-6000). Complex is located south of Pinnacle Peak Rd. on 43rd Ave. behind Wet 'n' Wild Water Park. Only water is allowed to be brought in the facility. There is a \$3 charge to enter the park.



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2021 AZ Region Jr. Beach Program Overview

REGISTRATION

Registration for the Jr. Beach program can be completed by mailing this form with payment of \$20 to the AZ Region office OR online through your SportEngine account. YOU WILL NEED TO BRING A MEDICAL RELEASE FORM WITH YOUR FIRST TOURNAMENT THAT WE WILL KEEP ON FILE ALL SUMMER.

HOW IT WORKS

Teams are made up of two boys or two girls and are guaranteed a minimum of 3 matches depending on the number of teams in the tournament. If an age division is represented by three or fewer teams, those teams may be asked to play up an age division to ensure more matches. The teams moving up will still be awarded medals for their appropriate age group.

Teams officiate their own matches. Officiating clinics will be conducted at the beginning of each tournament. If there is a dispute, it will be settled by the Tournament Director.

Teams earn points which is dictated by the number of teams in a division at each tournament and their respective finish in each. Medals will be awarded to the top two finishers in each age division at each tournament.

MATCH FORMAT

The tournament format will depend upon the number of teams and age division and will be determined by the Tournament Director. Variations could include one game rally score to 30, one game rally score to 21, one game rally score to 15 or two out of three games rally score to 15 or 21, third game to 15. All games must be won by two points. Our goal is the most amount of play for our athletes in the time parameters we have per tournament.

PARTNERS

Players do not register for the program as teams. Boys or girls sign up for individual tournaments with a partner. Individuals will be assigned points based on their team's finish.

COACHES

We understand coaches want to be involved in the training of their beach athletes but please understand we have a defined amount of time to get through as many matches as we can to make sure your athletes get lots of touches. If we find you are slowing play down with excessive time outs, we will ask you to remove yourself from the tournament. This is for all the players including yours.

RULES DIFFERENCES AND OFFICIATING

Tournaments will be officiated using USA Volleyball Beach Rule & Regulations. Officiating clinics will be conducted before the start of each tournament. Parents and coaches are encouraged to attend these clinics to learn the rules differences. The athletes officiate each other. There will not be AZ Region officials used in this program. Please take time to understand the rules differences. Players are asked to be diligent in both officiating and scorekeeping duties.



IMPORTANT TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

- ◆ Registration will begin at 5 pm (1 hour before the scheduled start time). If you arrive later than 6:00 pm you will only be able to participate if teams are needed to fill pools. Pre tournament meeting for rules and pools begins right after registration ends. If you are going to be late please call the tournament director to be put in the tournament draw.
- ◆ Parents and Coaches are NOT permitted on the playing surface at any time. One warning will be given and if not heeded, the player(s) associated with the parent or coach will be forfeited from the tournament and could face expulsion from the program.
- ◆ All players, parents and coaches will be held to the USA Volleyball Code of Conduct. Violations of those rules will result in the appropriate sanctions. Alcohol consumption will not be permitted around Jr. Players per USA Volleyball Code of Ethics. This includes drinking alcohol around the Jr. Players.

COSTS

The Arizona Region Beach program fee is \$20 per person which covers tournament insurance, site and admin fees. Participation in the program requires a current USAV membership. For those not registered for club or outdoor play this season a \$15 Summer membership must be purchased. *Tournament entry fees are \$10 per player for each tournament they chose to enter.*

SPECIAL TOURNAMENTS

Each summer, the AZ Region Jr. Beach program hosts several special tournaments. Check out the complete calendar online for dates of the Coed tournaments, Mother/Daughter and Father/Daughter tournaments.