## JVA MKE JAMBOREE

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FEBRUARY 10-11TH, 2024 - MILWAUKEE, WI BAIRD CENTER

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TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

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### WELCOME!



The board of directors, staff, and members of the JVA welcome you to the 2024 JVA MKE Jamboree, presented by Nike. This year, we will be having girls and boys teams playing over the same weekend. AAU, USAV and JVA teams are all welcome and will be insured!

We want to thank our title sponsor **Nike**; official ball sponsor **Molten**; our housing service **Team Travel Source**; as well as our host the **Baird Center**. We hope our partnership with these groups makes your experience worthwhile.

This event is a fundraiser for the Junior Volleyball Association. By supporting this event, you are supporting our mission as an organization. We have strived to make this the best event possible for everyone involved, but would love to hear your feedback! Good luck to all competing teams and thank you for supporting the JVA!





# ADMISSION INFO:

#### **Admissions Information:**

- Spectator Ticket Options:
  - \$30 Weekend Pass (Allows you access into the event for both days).
  - \$18 One Day Pass (Ticket is valid for ONE day only: Saturday or Sunday).
- All spectators 11 and older must have a ticket. Spectators 10 & under receive free admission.
- Admissions must be purchased online. NO cash sales at the door.
- Wristbands will be provided and must be worn on your wrist for reentry into the event.
- Refund Policy:
  - Once a ticket is scanned, it is NOT assignable to any other individual or eligible for a refund.
  - Refunds must be requested within 30 days of the date the ticket was purchased.

### Click here to purchase tickets for JVA Jamboree.

Any questions about admissions or for a refund, please email: tournaments@jvavolleyball.org

### HOUSING INFO:

We have partnered with Team Travel Source (TTS) to handle all of our housing needs. When searching for a housing service, our #1 priority is customer service.

#### Book Housing HERE.

The JVA does NOT have a "Stay to Play" policy. However, we have secured the best prices available and hope that you will choose to use the rooms in our block. In addition, our housing service Team Travel Source, has arranged for incentives for teams to book rooms within our block. JVA receives a subsidy per room booked which helps support the many initiatives and programs of the JVA. This event is a major fundraiser, and the JVA receives substantial credit to our cost of the convention center based on the number of rooms booked for this event.

If you experience any problems with booking your teams' housing please contact TTS Customer Service at volleyball@teamtravelsource.com.

## TEAM CHECK-IN INFO:

Teams need to submit and finalize their roster within AES by Friday, January 26th, 2024.

Any teams that need to make changes to their roster(s) after the deadline(s) must email the JVA event staff at <a href="mailto:tournaments@jvavolleyball.org">tournaments@jvavolleyball.org</a>.

### **Team Check-In/Credential Pick-Up:**

Group Check-In is the PREFERRED method of pick up for your ENTIRE CLUB.

If you are checking in all your clubs teams only <u>Coaches Sign-In form</u> is needed, each team must be written on the form. \*\*This form is required for each team at check-in. By signing this form, you attest to the fact that the required player forms below have been filled out.

### **Credential pick-up times for all teams are:**

- Friday, February 9th from 4:30-8:00pm 2nd level of the Baird Center
- Saturday, February 10th from 7:00am-noon

# TEAM ELIGIBILITY INFO:

#### **Age Definitions:**

Team members must meet the age definitions for their age group. Age waivers will be accepted for this event if the player is in the same grade as her teammates and not more than one year older than the age definition listed below.

18 and Under - Players who were born on or after July 1, 2005 OR Players who were born on or after July 1, 2004 and a high school student in the twelfth (12th) grade or below during some part of the current academic year are eligible to compete on 18 and under teams.

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17 and Under – Players who were born on or after July 1, 2006
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16 and Under – Players who were born on or after July 1, 2007

15 and Under – Players who were born on or after July 1, 2008

14 and Under – Players who were born on or after July 1, 2009

13 and Under – Players who were born on or after July 1, 2010

12 and Under – Players who were born on or after July 1, 2011

11 and Under - Players who were born on or after July 1, 2012

10 and Under - Players who were born on or after July 1, 2013

#### **Age Waivers:**

Age waivers are allowed for players who are in the same grade level as their peers and who are not more than a year older than the current age definition (above). Team reps that are requesting age waivers need to send to following to JVA Events Director, Adam Beck at adam.beck@jvavolleyball.org:

- Proof of Grade (copy of school schedule, school id, etc.)
- Jersey Number
- Copy of Birth Certificate

Waivered player information must be received NO LATER than when rosters are due into AES.

## TEAM ELIGIBILITY CONT:

#### **JVA Insurance Forms**

Every participant listed on the Team Roster must complete the JVA Insurance Waiver. This form must be collected electronically.

Coaches do NOT need a hard copy. These forms do NOT need to be turned in at team check-in, they are accessible online. The Coach or Team Rep will turn in a <u>Coaches Sign-In Form</u> that assures the JVA event staff that you have access to all the necessary forms.

### **Background Screening/APS Training Policy:**

ALL adults listed on rosters at JVA insured events, must complete the Background Screen and APS Training. The cost is \$38 and the background screen is good for two years. \*\*JVA does accept AAU background screens and no further action is needed.

Submit your background screen form here: <a href="https://jvavolleyball.org/background-screen-form/">https://jvavolleyball.org/background-screen-form/</a>

# TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION, SCHEDULES & RESULTS:

### **Tournament Registration:**

The entry fee for the tournament is \$550 per team. JVA members receive a reduced registration fee of \$500 per team. Refunds will be given, less 20% up until Friday, December 10th. No refund will be given thereafter for teams that withdraw. In the event that MKE Jamboree is canceled by JVA for any reason, each team will receive a refund of up to 100% at JVA's discretion.

#### **Divisions of Competition:**

Competition will be offered for girls' teams in the following divisions:

- OPEN (Highest level of competition)
- PREMIER (Mid-level of competition)
- CLUB (Lowest level of competition)

#### **PLAYING WAVES**

AM- B18/17's, B14O, B13's, G18's, G16's, G13O, & G12's PM- B16/15, B14P, B12, G17's, G15's, G14's, & 13C

#### Seeding, Schedule, and Results:

Using the best available information teams will be seeded by a JVA member seeding committee, members TBD and vary by event.

Exact schedules for the event will not be posted until about a week before the event. Keep checking the JVA website for playing waves and schedule information.

Teams will participate in pool play Saturday and bracket play on Sunday. It is our goal to have everyone finished by 6:30pm on Sunday. It is recommended that teams traveling into Milwaukee do not schedule flights home on Sunday before 6:00pm.

The JVA has contracted AES Results Management System to provide up to the minute results. There will be no paper posting of pool results or schedules. Schedules/Results can also be found on the AES Xpress APP and www.advancedeventsystems.com.

# RULES OF PLAY:

### JVA follows the 2023-2025 USAV Indoor Domestic Competition Regulations.

#### **Match Format/Warm-Up Procedures**

- All divisions will play best of three set formats. Divisions that have 3-team pool(s) with no cross over match in combination with 4 team pools in the same division will play all 3 sets to 25. Pool finish will be based on set percentage as all 3 sets will count for finish placement. 3-team pools are not our recommended format and we will do everything we can do to avoid them. However, there are times where it is completely unavoidable.
- All crossover and challenge matches will be "match play" best of 3 sets.
- Matches will move ahead of schedule if time allows with the following exception: Warm-ups for matches in the 15-18 divisions will not begin more than 25 minutes ahead of schedule.
- All warm-ups will be 2-4-4 (2 min shared ball handling, first 4 min court time for serving team, and last 4 min court time for receiving team). Teams must serve within their court time. The team off the court should assist in ball shagging during the on-court teams' warm-up.

#### Officials and Team Officiating Responsibilities

The Head Official will schedule a First Referee for each match. Work teams will need to provide a Second Referee, Official Scorer, Libero Tracker and 2 Line Judges. An adult on the official roster needs to be court side at all times. The work team needs to report to the Head Official no later than the beginning of the serving team's warm-up. For each minute the work team is late or incomplete, one point will be given to their next opponent (up to 25-0 for forfeit). Each work team must have an adult present and identified to the R1 during a team's work assignment.

#### **Pre-Match Protocol (All Non-Gold Finals)**

Prior to the start of the 1st set, both full teams will line up behind the service line. At the signal of the head official, both teams will wave to each other and spectators. The starting line up will remain on the court for the lineup check, and the libero shall be waived in by the head official.

\*\*There will be no tie-breaking playoff sets played at any level or age group.

#### TWO WAY TIE

- The result of their head-to-head pool match will determine the winner in ALL CASES.
- There will be NO PLAYOFF regardless of whether it affects the GOLD.

#### THREE-WAY TIES

- Head-to-head results are used to determine pool finishes for teams that are tied in Match record.
  - A team that beats all other teams with which it is tied in Match Record will finish ahead of the other teams in the pool.
  - If there are only two teams tied in matches, the head-to-head winner of those 2 teams earns the higher pool finish.
- Set percentage is the 2nd level of breaking ties and is used to rank a pool in which all three teams remain tied after applying the rules in step 1.
  - Teams with a higher set percentage finish ahead of teams with a lower set percentage.
  - If only two teams are tied in both match and set percentage, the team that won head-to-head receive the higher finish in the pool.
- If steps one and two do not break the tie, the following tie-breaking procedure will be utilized to break ties: Match %, Head to Head, Set % and Point %.
- If point percentage is also tied, there will be a coin flip(s) to determine finish in pool.
- See flow chart on page 12 for further guidance.

#### PROCEDURES FOR BREAKING TIES TO DETERMINE POOL FINISH

No tiebreaking sets will be played to break any ties

#### START HERE Head to head results are used to determine finishes How many teams 1. A team that beats all other teams with which it is 3 or more tied in match tied will finish ahead of the other teams. teams record? 2. A team that lost to all other teams with which it is tied will finish behind the other teams. 2 teams Broken by head-to-How many teams 2 teams head results still tied in matches? Head-to-head winner 3 or more of those 2 teams finishes higher teams Set percentage is the next level of breaking ties How many teams still tied in matches Teams with a higher set percentage finish 2 teams & sets? ahead of teams with a lower set percentage Head-to-head winner 3 teams of those 2 teams finishes higher Point percentage is the next level of breaking ties Teams with a higher point percentage finish ahead of teams with a lower point percentage How many teams still tied in matches, 2 teams sets & pts? Head-to-head winner There will be a coin flip to of those 2 teams 3 teams determine finish order finishes higher

### BOYS DIVISIONS ONLY: TIE BREAK RULES

#### TWO WAY TIE:

- The result of their head-to-head pool match will determine the winner in ALL CASES.
- There will be NO PLAYOFF regardless of whether it affects the GOLD.

#### **THREE-WAY TIES (Teams advancing to GOLD):**

- Head-to-head results are used to determine pool finishes for teams that are tied in Match record.
  - A team that beats all other teams with which it is tied in Match Record will finish ahead of the other teams in the pool.
  - If there are only two teams tied in matches, the head-to-head winner of those 2 teams earns the higher pool finish.
- Set percentage is the 2nd level of breaking ties and is used to rank a pool in which all three teams remain tied after applying the rules in step 1.
  - Teams with a higher set percentage finish ahead of teams with a lower set percentage.
  - If only two teams are tied in both match and set percentage, the team that won head-to-head receives the higher finish in the pool.
  - Three-way tie for first place: If after steps 1 and 2, all three teams are still tied in match AND set percentage, the three teams will be seeded by points. The highest seed as determined by points, advances automatically. The highest seed will ref one set to 15 between the two lower seeds. The winner of this set takes the second spot in gold.
  - Three-way tie for second place: If after steps 1 and 2, all three teams are still tied in match and set percentage, the three teams will be seeded by points. The highest seed will ref one set to 15 between the two lower seeds. The loser of the first set will ref one set to 15 between the winner of set 1 and the top seed. The winner of this set takes the second spot in gold.

### THREE-WAY TIES (NO teams advancing to GOLD):

 If a tie occurs and no teams are able to advance to GOLD. Steps one and two from the above criteria will be used. In the case teams are still tied in matches and sets.
 Point differential will now be used to decide the pool. NO PLAY-OFF match will be played.

### **GUIDELINES FOR Boys' Playing on Girls' teams at JVA Hosted Events:**

- An all boys' team may not compete in a girls' division, no matter the age group.
- Coed teams are allowed to play, but may not have more than three boys on the floor at one time.
- Boys are able to play in specific girls' divisions based on the age chart below.
- No 14U+ boy may participate in a girls' event.
- Club Directors must receive written permission from the JVA Tournament Director BEFORE the roster due date. Each request will be determined on a case by case basis.

OKAY TO PLAY?	10U Girls' Team	11U Girls' Team	12U Girls' Team	13U Girls' Team	14U Girls' Team	15U Girls' Team	16U Girls' Team	17U Girls' Team	18U Girls' Team
10U Boy Athlete	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
11U Boy Athlete	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
12U Boy Athlete	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
13U Boy Athlete	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
14U-18U Boy Athlete	NO								
Full Boys' Team	NO								
Coed-Team	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO

14U Girls' Team: Girls born on or after July 1, 2009 OR Boys born on or after July 1, 2010.

13U Girls' Team: Girls born on or after July 1, 2010 OR Boys born on or after July 1, 2011.

12U Girls' Team: Girls & Boys born on or after July 1, 2011.

11U Girls' Team: Girls & Boys born on or after July 1, 2012.

10U Girls' Team: Girls & Boys born on or after July 1, 2013.

### **Code of Conduct/Disciplinary Action:**

Any participant listed on the official roster who is causing unfavorable situations either prior to, during, or after the event is subject to disciplinary action by the Tournament Director(s). Anyone discovered in possession of or consuming illegal drugs, alcohol, tobacco products, or e-cigarettes (vaporizers) will be immediately expelled from the event. There are no warnings for possession or consumption of materials listed above for players or any other underage person whose name appears on the tournament roster. Expulsion will be immediate. Pets (other than service animals) and weapons of any kind will NOT be allowed in the event.

# ODDS AND ENDS:

#### **Volleyball Rental:**

JVA does not have volleyball rental available. All teams are responsible for bringing their own volleyballs for warmups. JVA game balls will be provided.

#### **Live Streaming:**

Live streaming available through **BallerTV**.

#### **Athletic Trainers:**

Athletic Trainers will be available inside of the Baird Center.

#### **Facility Rules:**

No coolers will be allowed. There will be seating provided along each court for spectators. Camping chairs will NOT be allowed in the Convention Center due to a potential fire hazard.

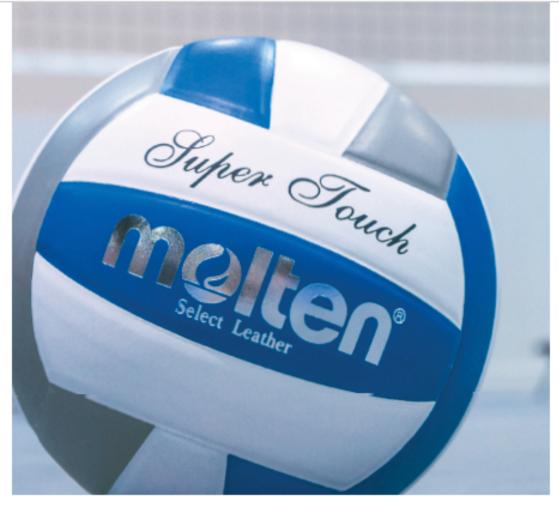
#### **Tournament Souvenirs:**

Our Pro-Shop will have tournament t-shirts and a wide variety of JVA apparel.

















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