

**THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL**



**GIRLS JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**CHAPTER I: QUICK FACTS**

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DETROIT, MI**

**LOCAL HOST COMMITTEE:**

**DETROIT SPORTS COMMISSION  
LAKESHORE REGION OF USA VOLLEYBALL**

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## WELCOME TO DETROIT, MICHIGAN – 2018



ON BEHALF OF USA VOLLEYBALL AND THE EVENT DEPARTMENT, IT IS OUR PLEASURE TO WELCOME YOU TO THE COBO CENTER, DETROIT, MICHIGAN FOR THE “2018 USA GIRLS JUNIOR NATIONAL VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS”. WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT AND OFFER OUR BEST WISHES TO EACH PARTICIPANT FOR A SUCCESSFUL AND ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE. WE ALSO EXTEND OUR MOST SINCERE APPRECIATION TO OUR SPONSORS WHOSE ASSISTANCE IS INVALUABLE FOR THE CONDUCT OF THESE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

FIRST TIME PARTICIPANTS CAN LOOK FORWARD TO A TIME OF FELLOWSHIP AND MAKING NEW FRIENDS; AND RETURNING PLAYERS TO THE RENEWAL OF FRIENDSHIPS AND THE MAKING OF NEW ONES.

WHEN YOU SEE A VOLUNTEER, IT WOULD BE NICE OF YOU TO THANK THEM FOR THEIR TIME AND CONTRIBUTIONS. EACH ONE IS WORKING HARD TO ENSURE THAT YOUR CHAMPIONSHIP EXPERIENCE IS A MEMORABLE ONE.

ON BEHALF OF USA VOLLEYBALL, WE EXTEND OUR THANKS TO THE COBO CENTER AND DETROIT SPORTS COMMISSION FOR HOSTING THIS EVENT. THEY ARE ALREADY WORKING HARD GEARING UP FOR THE BIG EVENT IN JUST A FEW MONTHS.

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## DATES OF COMPETITION, FEES & BALL USED

<u>OPEN CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>COMPETITION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>	<u>FIELD</u>
Girls 17 Open	Min 9 matches – best of 3	30 June, 2018	3 July, 2018	36
Girls 16 Open	Min 9 matches – best of 3	1 July, 2018	4 July, 2018	36
Girls 15 Open	Min 9 matches – best of 3	26 June, 2018	29 June, 2018	36
Girls 14 Open	Min 9 matches – best of 3	25 June, 2018	28 June, 2018	36
Girls 13 Open	Min 9 matches – best of 3	29 June, 2018	2 July, 2018	24

### NATIONAL DIVISION

<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>COMPETITION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>	<u>FIELD</u>
Girls 17 National	Min 9 matches – best of 3	30 June, 2018	3 July, 2018	48
Girls 16 National	Min 9 matches – best of 3	1 July, 2018	4 July, 2018	48
Girls 15 National	Min 9 matches – best of 3	26 June, 2018	29 June, 2018	48
Girls 14 National	Min 9 matches – best of 3	25 June, 2018	28 June, 2018	48
Girls 13 National	Min 9 matches – best of 3	29 June, 2018	2 July, 2018	48
Girls 12 National	Min 9 matches – best of 3	27 June, 2018	30 June, 2018	48
Girls 11 National	Min 9 matches – best of 3	29 June, 2018	1 July, 2018	48

### USA DIVISION

<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>COMPETITION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>	<u>FIELD</u>
Girls 17 USA	Min 9 matches – best of 3	30 June, 2018	3 July, 2018	36
Girls 16 USA	Min 9 matches – best of 3	1 July, 2018	4 July, 2018	36
Girls 15 USA	Min 9 matches – best of 3	26 June, 2018	29 June, 2018	36
Girls 14 USA	Min 9 matches – best of 3	25 June, 2018	28 June, 2018	36
Girls 13 USA	Min 9 matches – best of 3	29 June, 2018	2 July, 2018	24

### AMERICAN DIVISION

<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>COMPETITION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>	<u>FIELD</u>
Girls 17 American	Min 9 matches – best of 3	30 June, 2018	30 June, 2018	64
Girls 16 American	Min 9 matches – best of 3	1 July, 2018	1 July, 2018	64
Girls 15 American	Min 9 matches – best of 3	26 June, 2018	29 June, 2018	64
Girls 14 American	Min 9 matches – best of 3	25 June, 2018	28 June, 2018	64
Girls 13 American	Min 9 matches – best of 3	29 June, 2018	2 July, 2018	64
Girls 12 American	Min 9 matches – best of 3	27 June, 2018	30 June, 2018	48

### PATRIOT DIVISION

<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>COMPETITION</u>	<u>PLAY BEGINS</u>	<u>PLAY CONCLUDES</u>	<u>FIELD</u>
Girls 17 Patriot	Min 9 matches – best of 3	30 June, 2018	3 July, 2018	48
Girls 16 Patriot	Min 9 matches – best of 3	1 July, 2018	4 July, 2018	72
Girls 15 Patriot	Min 9 matches – best of 3	26 June, 2018	29 June, 2018	72
Girls 14 Patriot	Min 9 matches – best of 3	25 June, 2018	28 June, 2018	72



NOTE: USAV added 2 new divisions in 2017. 11 National & 13 USA. The 13 USA division is a Junior National Qualifier qualification division only. The 11 National division is a Region qualification division.

**ENTRY FEES**

Division	Fee
11 & Under National Championships (3 Day Tournament)	\$700.00 (U.S. Currency)
14 – 17 & Under Patriot Championships	\$800.00 (U.S. Currency)
12 & Under National & American, Championships	\$900.00 (U.S. Currency)
13 & Under National, USA & American Championships	\$900.00 (U.S. Currency)
14 – 17 & Under Open, National, USA, & American Championships	\$900.00 (U.S. Currency)
NOTE: An additional \$100 fee is required for US Territory teams to cover insurance requirements.	

\*Entry fee checks are cashed immediately upon receipt for all teams that have qualified in the Open division and for all teams that have accepted a bid in the National, USA or American divisions. USAV will not collect entries and payment for teams that have not qualified or have been accepted into the Patriot Division. Please do not send your entries until the team has Qualified.

**Tournament Ball**

13-18s Age Divisions	11s & 12s Age Divisions
Molten "Super Touch" IV58L-3	Molten "VBLite"
	

## DEADLINES

**All Entry Forms and Fees MUST be sent directly to USAV by the established deadline.** Please make copies of **ALL** materials sent and bring them with you to the event.

DEADLINES	
Deadline for ALL entry materials to be to USAV	May 14th
AES entry deadline (Open and Open At-Large)	April 25th
AES entry deadline (National, USA, American, & Patriot)	May 7th
Deadline to have entries to USAV	Upon instruction from USAV once awarded
Deadline to have entries to USAV (Nat, American, & Reallocation.)	May 14th
Deadline for Results – Open & Open At-Large Entries	April 30th
Deadline for Results – National, USA, American, & Patriot Entries	May 14th
Deadline for Pre-Tournament Ticket Online Orders	Ticket Sales end on June 15 <sup>th</sup> for mailed tickets & June 21 <sup>st</sup> for mobile & print at home tickets
Final Roster Changes on-line (to be included in the program)	May 27 <sup>th</sup>
Final Roster Changes on-line (without additional charges)	June 7 <sup>th</sup>

**DETAILS OF ENTRY REQUIREMENTS ARE IN CHAPTER THREE**

## TEAM CHECK-IN

All check-in procedures will take place at the Cobo Center.

Date	Division	Hours of Registration
June 24th	14 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot	10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
June 25th	15 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot	10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
June 26th	12 National & American	10:00 AM – 9:00 PM
June 28th	13 Open, National, USA, & American	10:00 AM – 9:00 PM
June 28th	11 National	10:00 AM – 9:00 PM
June 29th	17 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot	10:00 AM – 9:00 PM
June 30 <sup>th</sup>	16 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot	10:00 AM – 9:00 PM

In an effort to make the registration process more efficient, we have designated the day before each age competition begins for check-in. We do encourage teams to check-in early if you are on site prior to your check-in date. However, priority will be given first to the age divisions designated day of check-in. Teams must be completely checked in prior to closure of registration (**9PM**) on their designated registration day. Teams that fail to check-in during this time frame will be subject to forfeiture of their first match of the tournament. Please arrange travel accordingly to ensure a team representative will arrive on your check-in day.

Only the club director, team representative or coach should go to the check-in desk in the lobby of the Cobo Center to register the team(s). The Team Representative / Coach will receive an Event Information Packet, Printed Programs and Credentials for players and team staff.

**Each player is required to wear the same jersey number throughout the entire event** with limited exceptions as required by emergency or blood rule applications. This applies to ALL PLAYERS in the Libero position as well.

The Team Representative / Coach will verify the team roster, uniforms, and uniform numbers. Once verified, the roster will be in effect throughout the Championships. **No additions or uniform number changes to the roster are allowed once play begins.** The team roster is limited to 15 players and 5 adults. ONLY those persons whose names appear on the verified roster receive credentials and are permitted to sit on the bench.

## MEETINGS & CLINICS

Scorer (Scorekeeping) Clinic – Room TBD		
Date	Time	Division
June 24 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 PM	14 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot
June 25 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 PM	15 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot
June 26 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 PM	12 National & American
June 28 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 PM	13 Open, National, USA, & American & 11 National
June 29 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 PM	17 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot
June 30 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 PM	16 Open, National, USA, American, & Patriot