## **Frequently Asked Questions:**

# What is the first step in creating a team / club.

The first step is to create a club.

Use the link below and complete the required information and submit the form. You will later receive an acknowledgement that your club was created in Sports Engine. You now will have a Sports Engine – Club HQ (Headquarters) from where you will be able to manage your club.

https://usav-aloha-region.sportngin.com/register/form/681928908

### What are the steps to register as a member of USA Volleyball?

The next step is for you to register as a member of USAV. You will need to go to Sports Engine and create a "Household" account.

Here is where you would "Buy a Membership for yourself and go through the process of entering your personal data and pay for your membership online.

Be sure to select the Adult One Event Membership – League Play. (Total cost should be \$7.00)

This is a special membership approved by USA Volleyball. This will entitle you to participate in tournament hosted at the Hawaii Convention Center from September 1, 2021 to August 31, 2022.

Please use the link below to get you started on your membership.

https://memberships.sportsengine.com/org/usav-aloha-region/affiliation/aloha-region-adults

In lieu of creating a roster in Sports Engine (membership management system), we will accept the attached excel spreadsheet format for your team members.

What about registering my players and other coaching staff members?

Each player or staff member will need to go through the same process of setting up a "Household Account – If the player is under the age of 18, a parent must set up the Household Account. Once this is done, they will be able to + Add a Child, for which they will complete all the required information BUT USE A DIFFERENT EMAIL for the child. They should also select the Adult One Event Membership – League Play and pay for the membership.

# When is the tournament entry deadline?

There are two tournaments schedule for the remainder of 2022.

Fall Festival – November 26, 27

Holiday Classic – December 17 and 18.

Tournament registration is complete via Tm2sign.com. The deadline is November 6, 2022 and November 30, 2022, respectively.

The cost of each tournament is \$550.00 the due date for payment is the same as the registration deadline.

## **Tournaments – 2023**

Spring Break Madness – March 18, 19, 2023

Aloha Region Regionals – April 14, 15, 16

Aloha Summer Classic – May 27, 28, 29

Another possible date for 2023 is:

February 18, 19, 2023 – President's day

#### How do I enter a team into an event?

First go to tm2sign.com

Then create an account.

Create a club

Add a team to the club (be sure to check the box at the bottom of the page indicating that your "participate in USA Volleyball Events.

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Once you create a team there should be an "Enter Event" tab.

Enter "Hawaii" into the State Search box

Select – Aloha Regional – Aloha Summer Classic

# How do I pay for the tournament fee?

The tournament fee may be paid via Tm2sign.com but there is a convenience fee that will be added if paying via credit or debit card. If you prefer to avoid this fee, you may mail a check payable to Aloha Region - Aloha Summer Classic and mail to: (In the memo section – include the name of the tournament entering)

Kent Ma 1150 Makaaoa St. Honolulu, HI 96825

#### What is the tournament format?

The tournament format will be round robin will be held on the first day with some overlap on the second day of the tournament. Play divisions must have at least 6 teams or the teams will be moved to the next higher age division.

Each age division they will have its own playoffs, team trophies and individual medals and their own "All-star" team voted by coaches in that age division.

Matches during the round robin and championship rounds will be the best of three. The first two sets will be played to 25 pts with a cap of 27 pts. The third (if necessary) set will be played to 15 with no cap.

Bracket Play – will be two out of three to 25 points with no caps. The third set (if necessary) will be played to 15 points with no cap.

# Will there be Team Trophies for all divisions and Individual Awards (which will be limited to only the junior divisions)?

Yes, each age division (Minimum 6 teams). Top three teams will receive team trophies as well as individual medals. There will also be an "All Star" team that will receive additional prizes.

The 10 and Under division the top three teams will be awarded team trophies and individual medals. There will not be an "All Star" team.

# How do I register as a guest to watch the tournament?

There is an admission charge for spectators. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

1 Day - \$20.00

2 Day - \$35.00

3 Day - \$45.00

# Are there any COVID protocols that we need to follow?

Effective March 25, 2022 all COVID Protocols have been rescinded. Face masks are optional.

# What divisions will be participating?

We will have:

Girls' divisions – all age divisions from 12 - 18

Boys – 14, 16, and 18

Both Men and Women Open Divisions

10 and Under Coed Division

Net height 6'6"

Step in allowed on service

No libero

Unlimited substitutions

Term of service is 3 points, then side out, rotate (no point)

Court Dimensions 52'6" x 29'6"

# Will uniforms be required?

We totally understand the difficulties in obtaining jerseys at this juncture. Uniforms will not be required but numbered jerseys will be required (and should match) the roster.

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# **Are Food and Drinks allowed in the Convention Center?**

Outside food and drinks are NOT allowed in the Convention Center.

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