



Volleyball Spring 2024 Coaches Meeting

1. Introduction:

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2. Paperwork:

- **Team Conflict, Division & Practice Forms due no later than **Thursday, February 15th**.**
 - Team Conflict Form:
 - Form needed when whole/majority of team cannot make a specific dates/day.
 - Form is **NOT** intended for when 1 or 2 players cannot attend specific dates/day.
 - Cannot guarantee full weekends off.
 - Cannot guarantee no Sunday games all season.
 - Need to know times that you cannot make on specific days (Example: Saturdays 8:00am to 10:30am)
 - Division Request:
 - Select division where you believe your team best fits
 - We use past playing history/records along with coach request to place teams in divisions
 - FieldhouseUSA has final say in divisions
 - Practice Request Form:
 - Please provide 3 options that work for your team.
 - Practices begin at the top of each hour
 - 4pm, 5pm, 6pm, 7pm, 8pm, & 9pm
 - Practices are 50 minutes
 - Each team receives a full court for practice.
 - Game Move Request Form:
 - Game move request form is needed once game schedule is released and a specific game on the schedule presents a conflict for your team causing the team to forfeit.
 - Games must be moved 1 week prior to their original scheduled game date.
 - Both teams must agree upon time proposed by director.
 - Turn in completed form ASAP if you have a game on your schedule that presents a conflict.



3. Rosters:

- All information boxes need to be filled out if players are new/never played at FieldhouseUSA
- Please contact all players on roster within 48 hours of receiving team roster.
 - Call/email them
- You may add players to teams until 3rd week of season. Final day to add players is **Sunday, March 31st, 2024.**
- **Rosters are the coach's responsibility to make sure correct.**
- Players can only play on one team per grade level – NO exceptions

4. Practice Schedule/Practices:

- **Practice Schedule will be released no later than Friday, February 23rd**
- Scheduled practices will begin the week February 26th
- Each team will receive a weekly 50-minute.
- No practices are scheduled the following weeks
 - Week of 3/25/24 – 3/29/24.
 - Week of 4/22/24 – 4/26/24.
- Practice preference – priority goes from youngest to oldest (grade-wise) when creating league practice schedule.
- Practices start at the top of every hour
 - 4pm, 5pm, 6pm, 7pm, 8pm, & 9pm
- No Practice Teams - Still submit a practice request form indicating you do not need a practice.
- Teams will not be placed practice schedule if you do not turn in a practice request form.
- **6th Grade & Above** will likely only have 5:00pm and 9:00pm practice times based off the number of younger teams registered.

5. Game Schedule/Games:

- **Game Schedule will be released no later than Tuesday, February 27th.**
- Games will begin the weekend of March 1st.
- Games will end the weekend of May 10th.
- We will **NOT** play games on the following dates this Spring 2024 Season:
 - 3/8/24 – 3/10/24
 - 3/30/24 – 3/31/24
 - 4/19/24 – 4/21/24
 - 4/27/24 – 4/28/24
 - 5/11/24 – 5/12/24
- Teams will be scheduled 8 regular season games.
- Post Season Tournament:
 - All teams 3rd grade and above will qualify for playoffs
 - Playoffs will take place from May 13th – May 16th.



- Majority of games will be played on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday. Exception 2 weeks of weekday games (week of 3/25/24 & week of 4/22/24)
 - Monday - Friday – earliest start 5:40pm
 - Saturday – earliest start 8:00am
 - Sunday – earliest start 11:00am

6. FieldhouseUSA Facility Rules:

- No Outside Food or Drink in the facility
- Parking
 - Do not block front driveway/entrance
 - Do not park in circle drive

7. Jerseys:

- Jerseys provided for this season
- Final jersey count & sizes will be due on **Sunday, February 18th**
- Below is a link to submit your teams jersey sizes for all players.
 - <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/f9deaddb9da84322975c18e58cc73c2f>

8. Coaches

- Coaches **MUST** always wear their coaches' badge on the sidelines
 - Limit to 2 coaches per sideline
 - Referee will not let game start without badges
 - Can start getting those on Monday November 16th

9. Net Heights and Ball Sizes:

- Net Heights
 - 1st/2nd Grade - 6'
 - 3/4th Grade - 6'6"
 - 5/6th Grade – 7'
 - 7/8th Grade – 7'4"
- Ball Sizes
 - 3rd thru 6th Grade – Volley-Lite
 - 5th/6th Competitive & 7th/8th Grade – Leather ball
- Serving Lines
 - 1st & 2nd Grade – 10 feet from net. End line is 20 feet from net.
 - 3rd & 4th Grade – 15 feet from net
 - 5th & 6th Grade Recreational – 20 feet from net
 - 5th/6th Competitive – End Line
 - 7/8th Grade – End Line

10. Playing Time Rules

- Playing Rules
 - Rules can be found online.
 - Teams can start games with 5 players.
 - If a team only has 5 players then any time a team's 6th spot comes up to serve it will be an automatic side out and point for the opposing team.



- Each team must provide 1 line judge for every game.
- Players need to play 50% of the game.

Posted Scores

- Scores will be posted online at the end of every night
 - It is the responsibility of each coach to check the scores and notify your correct director if a score is not correct- we will get to it ASAP when informed.