



To: *14U Men Provincials* - Coaches
From: Tom Ash, Program Coordinator, Sask Volleyball
Location: Warman, SK - Legends Centre - 701 Centennial Blvd
Host: Sask Volleyball – Tom Ash, Program Coordinator

Thank you for registering for the 14U Men's Provincial Championships to be held on from Saturday, April 28th to Sunday, April 29th in Warman. For your information, the tournament rules/format is enclosed. Copies of the crossover matches and playoff trees will be posted on-line. They can be accessed from the Sask Volleyball web site. On the web site, follow the links: [DRAWS/RESULTS – PROVINCIALS – LIVE RESULTS](#) (button) OR click on [14UM PROVINCIALS - Tournament documents](#)

Please review the tournament documents and if you have any questions do not hesitate to call me at **306-780-9419** or email tom@saskvolleyball.ca

Good luck and thanks for participating!

TOURNAMENT NOTES

A. SEEDING

- Seeding for Provincials is based on the **SINGLE** highest point value from either Sask Cup 1 OR Sask Cup 2. Most points in most recent Sask Cup breaks a tie.
- All teams will begin the tournament in **either Division 1 or Division 2**.
 - No movement between Divisions at Provincials.

B. TOURNAMENT RULES

- All 2017-18 Volleyball Canada Rules will be in effect for this tournament.
- The **Mikasa MIP300** will be the official competition ball for this age category.
- Serve/Receive Rule
 - Receiving a serve overhand with the fingers (like a set or a volley), is **ILLEGAL** for categories 15U and younger.
 - Any such attempt will be called by the official, regardless of the quality of the contact.
- **ALL** athletes will start in either the 1st **OR** 2nd set.
- Substitutions are **not** permitted in the 1st or 2nd set. (Refer to p. 46 VC Rules)
 - **NOTE:** If a player becomes injured/ill, an Exceptional Substitution may be made. The injured/ill player may **not** return to the same set, but may return to play in subsequent sets in the match.
 - Any lineup can be used at the start of the 3rd set.



- **12 limited substitution Rule**
- **NO Libero.**
- All games will be played Rally Point to 25 (no cap) - you must win by 2 points.
- The third game of the Best of Three Matches will be played to 15 points with a minimum lead of 2 points (no cap)

C. PROOF OF AGE & CHECK-IN

NOTE: CHECK-IN IS ONLY AVAILABLE AT THE HENK RUYS SOCCER CENTRE, ON FRIDAY, APRIL 27.

- For Check-in, the Technical office, at the Soccer Centre will be open **Friday, April 27 - 4:30 – 8:30 p.m.**
- Coaches must show one **government issued document** for each athlete (original or photocopied health card, birth certificate or passport accepted).
 - **Suggestion:** Copying the documents of many athletes (4, 5, 6 or more) onto a single sheet of paper helps to speed up the check-in process.
 - **NOTE:** If documentation is not produced, athletes will not be allowed to play.
- At check-in, coaches will also pick up their Coach's package. The coach's package includes: the team's Official roster and Authorization wristbands. All Head and Assistant Coaches **MUST** wear their wristband before they will be permitted (Authorized) to be on the bench.
- **All Head and Assistant Coaches** must have completed the requirements for **Respect in Sport** before they will be permitted on the bench.
- If you require a **late check-in**, contact Cara Orr, at the Sask Volleyball office prior to **Wednesday, April 25th**. (phone: 306-780-9806 or cara@saskvolleyball.ca)
- **There will be no check-in provided on Saturday.**

D. CERTIFICATION

- All **Head Coaches** who **DO NOT** meet the certification **requirements** must pay the appropriate fine at the Technical Office by cash, or cheque, before their team will be allowed to begin competing. Payments can be made by credit card, in advance, by contacting Marcus Richards, at the Sask Volleyball office at 306-527-3834.
- **Head Coaches** must present their **verified official roster** prior to **each match**

E. OFFICIATING

- Your team will provide Minor Officials for each game in which you are scheduled to play. You must provide 1 Scorekeeper and 1 Linesperson per match. These players are still eligible to play and may be substituted in to play. You may wish to have parent volunteers take care of this duty for your team.



F. TOURNAMENT FORMAT

- Based on Volleyball Canada Rules, if two or more teams are tied at the end of round robin play, the following criteria will be applied in order:
 - a) The team having the best ratio of **won/lost MATCHES**, considering matches **between the TIED TEAMS**, will be ranked higher;
 - b) The team having the best ratio of **won/lost GAMES**, considering matches played **between the TIED TEAMS**, will be ranked higher;
 - c) The team having the best ratio of **won/lost GAMES**, considering **ALL matches of the round**, will be ranked higher;
 - d) The team having the best ratio of **points for/against**, considering **GAMES played between the TIED TEAMS**, will be ranked higher;
 - e) The team having the best ratio of **point for/against**, considering **ALL games played** during the round, will be ranked higher;
 - f) As determined by the Organizing Committee (e.g. extra game, toss of coin, etc.)

G. MATCH PREPARATION

- Please have your team ready to play on time. Once all teams have played one match, you will have only a five-minute ball warm up on court before the start of your next match. This time allotment may be reduced at the discretion of the on-court officials and tournament organizers if the tournament is running behind schedule.
- Your co-operation would be appreciated in moving our tournament ahead of schedule if the opportunity presents itself.
- All games shall start on time as scheduled. Failure of a team to be ready to play at the scheduled time will be penalized by the loss of the first set by forfeit. A further 15 minutes will be allowed before the forfeiture of the second set.
- Teams must supply their own warm up balls.
- Coaches please fill in your rosters and sign the score sheet prior to each match.

H. MEDICAL ROOM

- There will be a medical room on-site for athletes requiring first-aid. If athletes anticipate requiring attention, they are encouraged to bring their own supplies (i. e., tape).
- There will be a **\$5 charge per roll** of tape if an athlete does not have her/his own tape.

I. PHOTOS

- TeamWorks Photo will be taking a Team Photo of every team at the event for the Sask Volleyball archives. You will receive an email early in the week prior to the tournament, indicating a timeslot that has been reserved for your team. The assigned time will be either immediately before or after one of your matches early in the tournament. If that scheduled time doesn't work for you, you can drop in to the TeamWorks Photo booth and they will fit you in.



J. RESULTS

- Sask Volleyball will be live-streaming many of the games through our Facebook page. As well, you can see results live. Go online to our Sask Volleyball website OR use this link: [RESULTS](#)

K. JUST VOLLEYBALL

- Just Volleyball will be setting up a merchandise booth where select volleyball equipment and clothing will be available for purchase.

L. FOOD

- Please DO NOT bring Crock pots, family size coolers or any other large food containers to the venues. Athletes, coaches and other team members are welcome to bring personal coolers/lunch bags with food items and drinks to meet their individual nutritional requirements.

If you have any questions or concerns about the 14U Men's Provincials, contact me at (306) 780-9419 or email tom@saskvolleyball.ca





14U Men – Division 1

Saturday, April 28 to Sunday, April 29, 2018

Courts 13 - 18

Warman, SK

Legends Centre - 701 Centennial Blvd

Round Robin: Pools

(Best 2 of 3)

Pool A
1) Yorkton Bongos
2) Saskatoon JCVC 14U Red
3) Moose Jaw TCVC Big Volleyballers
4) Battleford VC Power Black

Pool B
1) Prince Albert Smashing Bananas Gold
2) Rouleau Rebels
3) Regina VC 14U Green
4) Battleford VC Power Purple





14U Men – Division 2

Saturday, April 28 to Sunday, April 29, 2018

Courts 13 - 18

Warman, SK

Legends Centre - 701 Centennial Blvd

Round Robin: Pools

(Best 2 of 3)

Pool C
1) Lloydminster BCVC Tinhats
2) Prince Albert Smashing Bananas Black
3) Meadow Lake Heat
4) Saskatoon JCVC 13U Red
5) BVC Power 14U

Pool D
1) Saskatoon JCVC 14U Black
2) Saskatoon JCVC 13U Black
3) Regina VC 13U Green
4) BVC Power 13U

