



**18U Men's Sask Cup #1**  
**Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017**  
**Swift Current, Saskatchewan**

Lloydminster Melfort North Battleford Prince Albert Regina Saskatoon Swift Current Tisdale Warman Weyburn Yorkton

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**Event:** 18U Men Sask Cup #1  
**Date(s):** Saturday, March 4th and Sunday, March 5th, 2017  
**Location(s):** Swift Current Comprehensive (1100 11 Ave NE, Swift Current, Sk).  
**Host:** Trent Regier 306-741-3073  
**Contact:** Tom Foster [foster@saskvolleyball.ca](mailto:foster@saskvolleyball.ca) 306-780-9250

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Thank you for registering for the 18U Men's Sask Cup #1 to be held on Saturday, March 4th and Sunday, March 5th, 2017 in Swift Current. The schedule and tournament draw are enclosed for your information. Please review the schedules and if you have any questions do not hesitate to call me at **306-780-9250** or email [foster@saskvolleyball.ca](mailto:foster@saskvolleyball.ca)

Good luck and thanks for participating!

**TOURNAMENT NOTES**

**A. Seeding**

A random draw was used to seed Sask Cup 1.

**B. Officiating**

Your team will provide Minor Officials for each game in which you are scheduled to play. Your team must provide **1 Scorekeeper** and **1 Linesman** per match. If players assume either of these roles, they are still eligible to play and may be substituted in to play. Your team may wish to have a few parent volunteers take care of this duty for your team.





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**C. Tie-Breaking Procedure**

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 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 tied teams**, will be ranked higher;
- e) The team having the best ratio of **points** 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.)

**D. 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. If the tournament gets behind schedule referees may limit on court warmup to three minutes, providing both teams have already played a match that day.
- Teams need to be ready to play on time, even if your court is behind schedule. We may move your game to another court.
- 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.

**E. Tournament Rules**

- All 2016-17 Volleyball Canada Rules will be in effect for this tournament.
- 18U will utilize the 6-limited substitution rule with 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).

**F. Tournament Format**

- All teams play in the tournament in the same **Division**.
- For more information please read the details found in the next pages.



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**Courts 1 – 2: Swift Current Comprehensive (1100 11 Ave NE, Swift Current).**

<b>POOL A</b>
<b>1) 18U JR. SUNDOGS</b>
<b>2) RVC TROPICS</b>
<b>3) RVC 18U</b>
<b>4) SASKATOON HVC</b>
<b>5) RUSTLERS 18U</b>
<b>6) RUSTLERS 17U</b>

*Please refer to master draw for times/locations of matches.*

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**FORMAT**

1. Initial **Pool** play, (see **matches #1 to #15** on master draw).

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2. After initial Pool play **all teams** will advance to a **6 team playoff**, (**matches #16 to #22**):
  - a) **Teams** finishing **1st** and **2nd** will get a bye and advance to the **semi-finals**.
  - b) **Teams** finishing **3rd** to **6th** will advance to **quarter-finals**.