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REFEREES NEEDED

Want to get into officiating? The sport of volleyball is growing at a fast pace and we need more officials to help our events run. If you are interested in officiating you can contact our Officials Chair, Al Cleary at the link below.

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CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

Thank you to all the teams that competed in our Region Championships.

There were 560 teams participating and 26 champions crowned over three weekends of competition.

Click on the link below to find the results and future dates.

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RULE CORNER

USAV 19.1.1:
Each team has the right to designate from the list of players on the score sheet (roster) up to two specialized defensive players called Liberos. A team may designate zero, one, or two Liberos for each set.

HIGH PERFORMANCE TRYOUT RESULTS

Thank you to all the athletes that tried out for the region High Performance programming.

The list of athletes that have been accepted to camp can be found on our website. Please click the button below.

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2026-27 Tryout Information

No offers or tryouts will be sanctioned until July 5th. The first commitment date will be July 22nd. After that date, all offers will expire. Clubs can issue new commitments on July 23rd and those offers will expire on August 9th.

Clubs cannot offer you a position for the 26-27 season before JULY 5th, 2026 and they must use the Online Commitment System (OCS). Any commitment offered or accepted outside of the OCS will not be recognized by the region. *Example: Club offers a verbal commitment before sending the OCS offer and the parent agrees. The club sends the commitment in OCS but the parent does not sign. There is no commitment even though the parent agreed verbally. Only the signed OCS offer is recognized.*

All 25-26 full memberships are valid through August 31st. If you are a current member with a full membership you do not need a tryout membership for the Summer Tryouts.

Since USA Volleyball is transitioning to a new membership system for the 26-27 season, more information will be coming on how to purchase tryout memberships for the new season.

Summer Commitment Dates:

July 22nd and August 9th

Fall Commitment Dates:

14U and Younger - November 3rd, 11:59PM

15U and Older - November 10th, 11:59PM

Iowa Region Scholarships for Graduating Seniors

1. Graduating students apply for the scholarship May 2026
2. Athlete must be a current member and participated all season. (player, coach or official)
3. Athlete must provide proof of acceptance to a college, university or tech school
4. Athlete must provide a letter of recommendation from a coach or club director.

Four scholarships will be awarded and are for \$500 each and are not renewable.

The winners are picked randomly to keep it impartial and not trying to decide if one person deserves it more than another.

All forms are due by May 21, 2026. Click on the button below to apply.

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IOWA REGION BEACH VOLLEYBALL



MAY 29
USAV IA OPEN
BRQ
BLACKHAWK TENNIS COURTS
WATERLOO



JUNE 13
USAV MIDWEST
OPEN BNQ
THE SANDS VB CLUB
DES MOINES



JULY 5
USAV HAWKEYE
OPEN BRQ
THE SANDS VB CLUB
DES MOINES

COME JOIN THE FUN!



More Info:

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ACE (Acts of Community Excellence)

In our region, we believe in bettering the ball—and bettering each other. Share a moment when someone went above and beyond to make the volleyball environment more positive, supportive, or inclusive. If you witnessed a coach, athlete, official, parent, or volunteer making a positive impact, we'd love to hear about it! Your shout-out helps us celebrate the moments that make our community stronger.

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