

# THE BADGER BEACON

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## Region seeks award nominees

# Parents, coaches, club directors can nominate

It's time to recognize the Region's best: Best coaches and best club directors that is.

Nominations are being sought now through April 30 for the annual Badger Region/AVCA Club Director and Coach of the Year awards.

Beginning today, parents and club directors can nominate individuals for Coach of the Year awards.

However, all members are eligible to nominate their club leadership for a Club Director of the Year award.

To be nominated, all coaches and club directors must exhibit professional and positive coaching behavior toward athletes, parents, coaches, opponents, and officials. He/she must also make a dedicated effort to grow the game in a fun, safe environment that fosters positive character development in youth athletes. He or she must also be in good standing with the Badger Region.

To nominate a Coach of the Year, click here.

To nominate a Club Director of the Year, <u>click here</u>.

Have questions? Email Operations Manager Scott Spiess at scott@badgervolleyball.org.

# **Congrats 2022 Power League winners!**



18-Elite: Wisconsin Premier 18-Teal



18-Regional: Wisconsin Premier 17-Teal



16-Elite: FC Elite 16-White



16-Select: I AM VBC 16-Black



16-Regional: Motion Volleyball 16-Black



14-Elite: Wisconsin Juniors 14-1



14-Select: One Wisconsin Bay 13-Mizuno



14-Regional: Fox Valley Performance G14-Blue

# Carthage hosting men's national championship

#### Finals Saturday in Kenosha

Who will it be? Carthage, Springfield, Wentworth or Stevens?

Those are the Final Four teams invited to Carthage College for the NCAA Div. III Men's National Volleyball Championship set for this Friday and Saturday (April 22-23).

The first match of the weekend featuring Springfield and Stevens will kick off at 5 p.m. on Friday. The Carthage vs. Wentworth match will take place at 7:30 p.m. Friday night.

Saturday's national championship match will take place at 5 p.m. in the Tarble Arena located 2001 Alford Park Drive, Kenosha.

General admission is \$10 per day. Children under 12 years old and seniors 65 and older are \$5 per day.

Tickets are available online and will be sold at the door (cash only).

Parking will be available both days of competition in the South Lower Lot outside of Tarble Arena, off of Sheridan Road. For the Final Four and Championship game only, the price to park is \$5 per day (cash only). Cars can enter campus from the south and north end of Campus Drive; while the normal entrance to the South Lower lot to Sheridan will be used as an exit only.

To purchase tickets in advance, <u>click here</u>. The final regular season NVA/AVCA Men's Div. III poll has Springfield as the No. 1 team in the country, followed by Carthage at No. 2, Stevens at No. 4 and Wentworth at No. 7.

To get to the National Semifinals Car-



thage had to defeat No. 3-ranked Dominican University (River Forest, Ill.), a team the Firebirds lost to in the regular season.

This year, Carthage is 22-3 and won the regular season of the CCIW conference, the conference tournament and the NCAA Regional hosted at Carthage last week.

Zach Bulthuis, Kyle Cohan, David Markes (a Badger Region alum), Gene McNulty and Matt Slivinski were named First Team All-American last week by the AVCA. Carter Schmidt (a Badger Region alum) was named Second Team All-American. Markes was also named the AVCA Newcomer of the Year.

The Firebirds are coached by Badger Region's own JW Kieckhafer, a coach at Milwaukee Volleyball Club and a member of the Badger Region's High Performance program coaching staff.

# Free boys volleyball clinic planned prior to title game

The Badger Region will be hosting a free clinic for all boys 14-and-under prior to the NCAA Div. III National Championship on Saturday, April 23, at Carthage College in Kenosha, Wis.

The clinic will begin at 3 p.m. and go until 4:30 p.m. in the Tarble Athletic and Recreation Center (TARC). The NCAA Div. III National Championship will begin at 5 p.m. in the Tarble Arena.

The clinic is FREE and open to any Badger Region or USA Volleyball member.

To register for the clinic, click here.

No experience is needed.

Know somebody who needs a membership? Tell them to <u>click here</u> and sign up for a \$10 one-event membership.

This is the second time that Carthage hosted the NCAA Championship. It hosted the NCAA Div. III the title match in 2018.

The youth player clinic will be led by Badger Region staff and members of the Milwaukee Dive VLA team that competes at the highest level of adult volleyball, all of which are former collegiate men's volleyball athletes.

Attendees and their parents will have to purchase a ticket (\$10 for adults, \$5 for kids under 12) to the National Championship if they plan to stay for the event. Parking on campus is \$5 as well.

Have questions? Email brian@badgervolleyball. org.

# 2022: Off to Nationals we go

**GIRLS 188** 



#### **USA**Volleyball.

Girls Junior Nationals

April 22-24

Phoenix, Ariz.

ADUITS



#### **USA**Volleyball.

Open National Championships

May 27-June 1

Orlando, Fla.

GIRIS



#### **USA**Volleyball.

Girls Junior Nationals

June 23-July 4

Indianapolis, Ind.

BOYS



#### **USA**Volleyball.

Boys Junior Nationals

June 30-July 7

Las Vegas, Nev.



USA All-Star Championships

July 19-23

Tulsa, Okla.

2023: Girls 18s Junior Natoinals will be in Columbus, Ohio. Boys Junior Nationals will be June 29-July 6 in Salt Lake City, Utah

### Region to host first-ever Girls Future Select clinic

The Badger Region High Performance program is looking to the future.

In hopes of building a Girls Future Select team that will compete in the 2023 USA All-Star Championships, the Region is laying the groundwork now.

That starts with hosting a clinic for girls born in 2010 and 2011 from 1 to 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 30, at the New Berlin SportsPlex, 2900

S. 163rd St. in New Berlin. Cost is \$75.

The clinic will be led by current Badger Region High Performance coaches and who will demonstrate techniques and coaching styles that will be used when a team is formed in the 2023 season.

"This model of starting with a clinic the year before we build a team is identical to how we started offering our Boys Future Select team about four years ago," said High Performance program director Brian Sharkey. "As long as we see that we have strong interest and good talent at the Future Select level, we'll be able to make a lot of decisions on how we will operate our program next year."

Athletes born in 2010, who are technically in the Future Select age group, are still eligible to be a part of our National Select team that

tries out on Friday, March 25, at the Wisconsin Center in downtown Milwaukee. Athletes can try out for the National Select team and still participate in the Future Select clinic.

Have questions? Email brian@badgervolleyball.org or call 414-313-9055.

To register for the April 30 Future Select program, click here.

# Badger Region Adult Champs set for May 7

The Badger Region Adult Championships are set to take place Saturday, May 7, at the New Berlin SportsPlex, 2900 S. 163rd St. in New Berlin.

The tournament will have men's and women's divisions.

The event is the culmination of the adult volleyball season in the Badger Region and ideal for those teams looking to compete in the USA Open Adult Championships in Orlando over Memorial Day Weekend.

Cost for entry in the Badger Region Championships is \$175 per team. Payouts will be paid out to first place winners based on the number of teams entered in the tournament.

Payment will be accepted via check by mailing payment (payable to Badger Region Volleyball) to 2831 N. Grandview Blvd. Suite 105, Pewaukee, WI 53072.

The Region will accept one-event memberships (\$10), full Badger Region memberships or membership from any other Region for this event.

To register for the event, click here: https://





advancedeventsystems.com/events/28833.

Deadline for entry will be Tuesday, May 3. Have questions? Email program director Brian Sharkey at brian@badgervolleyball.org or call 414-313-9055.

#### Beach National Championship July 26-28

Registration for the 2022 USA Volleyball Beach Tour National Championship is now open and closes July 22.

The event takes place July 26-28 in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

There are three divisions of competition: the Open Division, the American Division and the Patriot Division. The Open and American Divisions require teams to have earned a bid for that division. The Patriot Division does not require a bid.

Teams who currently do not have a bid are welcome to register in the Patriot Division to secure a spot in the tournament and begin arranging their travel plans. Should that team earn a bid at a Regional or National Qualifier, they can send an email to Beach-Events@usav.org with the bid invitation code, and we will move that team up into the appropriate division.

For details on all things relating to the USA Volleyball Beach Tour, click here.

#### Girls 18s looking to finish on a high note in Phoenix this weekend

Multiple teams from the Badger Region will be competing in the 2022 Girls 18s Junior National Championships in Phoenix this week (April 22-24).

Many of the athletes in this tournament will be putting their final stamps on their illustrious careers as junior volleyball players and the Region wants to wish them all the best of luck.

Badger Region teams competing at USA Volleyball's championship

event include the following:

#### 18 Open Division:

\* FC Elite 18-Elite

#### 18 National Division:

- \* Madtown 181 National
- \* MKE Sting 18-Gold

#### 18 USA Division

- \* Capital 18 Adidas
- \* MKE Sting 18-Black

#### 18 Liberty Division:

\* MKE Sting 18-White

#### 18-American Division:

- \* 414 Milwaukee Elite 18-Elite
- \* FC Elite 18-Navy

#### 18 Freedom Division:

- \* Impact 18-National
- \* Wisconsin Premier 18-Teal

#### 18 Patriot Division (non bid):

\* 414 Milwaukee Elite 17/18-Na-

#### tional

- \* Epic 18-Black
- \* Midwest Penguins 18-Black
- \* MKE Sting 18-Silver
- \* MVP 18-Blue
- \* Northern Pride 18-1
- \*RVA G18-Navy
- \* RVA G18-Pink
- \* Wisconsin Elite 18-Elite

To follow along, click here.

### Officials receive special recognition at Champs

Congratulations to the class of 2022 for their successful advancement.

Badger Region has a long and successful tradition of providing high-quality training and resources for officials. Regional certification is a significant milestone and the highest level that USAV Regional Associations like the Badger Region can award. In 2022 there were 11 successful Regional officials.

The 2022 class can be described as positive attitudes and continuous learners. Their journey continues as they apply the experiences learned at Championships and continue to support USAV and Badger Region. 2022 Regional class includes:

- \* Anthony Chan
- \* Roger Duley
- \* Nancy Gille
- \* Kristen Kaczmarek
- \* Kyle Lehman
- \* Mickey Reynolds
- \* Jeff Scott
- \* Scott Schumann
- \* Brian Sharkey
- \* Josh Wagner
- \* Randy Watts

These officials did a series of virtual and in-person training with mentor officials from the Badger Region.

Mentors included Teague Prich-









From left, Josh Wagner, Kyle Lehman, Anthony Chan, Nancy Gille and Mickey Reynolds were five of the 11 officials who received Regional Advancement at the Badger Region Championships.

ard, Jim Momsen, Julie Voeck, Pati Dawson and others. Recent Regional Referee Francisco Torres-River (Class of 2021) also gave insight to the candidates before they were evaluated for advancement.

When asked why they wanted to become Regional officials, some said:

- "I want to help other officials advance in their journeys as referees."
- "I want to learn from other high level officials in the Region."
- "I look forward to using this as an opportunity to officiate at other national level events"

#### **Provisional Referees**

Some new and entry-level officials also received their provisional patches at the Badger Region Championships.

- \* David Galazara
- \* Noah Barschdorf
- \* Justin Flasch
- \* Izzy Gianniou
- \* Makenzie Landorf
- \* Tyler Roob
- \* Joe Selner

#### TAG UR IT

A handful of athletes received TAG UR IT bag tags as recognition as their understanding of what it takes to be an official in the Badger Region.

These youth athletes were given Badger Region swag and were talked to by Region staff about the potential for training them as certified officials. Winners included:

- Grace Wilcox 414 MKE
- Halie Markovic MKE Sting
- Riley Hamilton MKE Sting
- Lyndsie Truitt Wisconsin Ice
- Halie Kapelke Capital
- Nevaeh Hernandez (FVP)
- Karsyn Goetzke (MKE Sting)
- Cameron Dalquist (MKE Sting)
- Alyse Mews (RVA)
- Anton Seymour (MVC 16-Joe)

In addition, official Ron Kolash recognized Amaris Williams (Adversity 17-1) at Power League April 9 for an outstanding job catching multiple illegal replacements.

Congrats to all!

#### UW-Eau Claire teams win National Championships

The stars aligned for quite a night in Phoenix on April 16 for the University of Wisconsin-Eau

That is when the Blugolds won not only one but two national titles at the National Collegiate Volleyball Federation's championships in Phoenix, Ariz.

And they did it by defeating the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse in both the Men's Div. II and the Women's Div. II National Championship matches on Chase Field, the home of the Arizona Diamondbacks.

UWEC's Kyle Loose was named Tournament MVP. While Carson Bakkala (UWEC), Jacob Carpenter (UWL), Daniel Belknapp (UWL), Christian Bryaer (UWL) and Steven Bresser (UWL) were named first-team. UWEC's Charles Fenton and Sven Johnson were named to the second team. And



Connor Clowers (UWEC), Sam Vodenlich (UWEC), Ryan Peschl (UW-Whitewater) and Joey Mahan (UWL) were named honorable mention. Zachary Mevers from (UW-Stevens Point) earned Honorable Mention in Div. IIAA.

On the women's side, Grace Stimac (UWEC) was named MVP. Kenzie Krach (UWL), Kristin Thompson (UWEC), Courtney



Theiler (UWEC) and Skylar Rickstad (UWL) were named First Team). Hannah Powers (UWL) and Madelyn Oehlke (UWEC) were named Second Team. Alexis Iwanski (UW-Stevens Point), Anna Bach (UW-Whitewater) and Lexi Steffes (Winona State) were named Honorable Mention.

For full results from the NCVF National Championships, click



For results from the Wisconsin Volleyball Conference Championships, click here.

All members of the Wisconsin Volleyball Conference are also members of the Badger Region Volleyball Association and USA Volleyball. Congratulations to all our great collegiate club teams.

# Updated recruiting, coaching tips from the AVCA

In 2019, the Badger Region began a major partnership with the American Volleyball Coaches Association to bring us Recruiting Tips and Coaching Education Tips each work during the club season.

Those tips have returned again and will be shared weekly on Badger Region social media (Facebook) and on our website.

#### **Coaching Education Tips**

**April 14:** Sideout, Down Ball, Free Ball vs. 3 Stops from Matt Huskey at Saint Louis University (click here)

**April 7:** Duplicate the pressure of serving and passing in a match with this drill (click here)

**March 31:** Training your athletes' eye and tracking is a key to your success (click here)

March 24: How to decide what to focus on during a practice with Hugh McCutcheon (click here)

**March 17:** Five keys to prematch warm-ups (click here)

March 10: A great drill: Sideout. Down Ball. Free Ball. Vs. 3



Stops. (click here)

**March 3:** Blocking concepts and drills (click here)

**Feb. 24:** Grade every pass with the 21-Down Drill (click here)

**Feb. 17:** Coaching the person is more important than the player (click here)

**Feb. 10:** Use a "chaos" drill for a fast-paced, timed wash drill (click here)

**Feb. 3 Tip:** Putting in an attack from different depths of the court (click here)

**Jan. 27 Tip:** Teach kids the right way to throw a ball and set them up for future success with Indiana University women's

coach Krista Vansant. (Click here)

Jan. 20 Tip: Weighing the importance of serving tough vs. the chance of making a service error with Stanford University women's coach Kevin Hambly. (Click here)

>>> For the AVCA/Badger Region Coaching Education Tip of the Week page on the Badger Region website, click here.

#### **Recruiting Tips**

**April 14:** Camps allow recruiters to evaluate athletes in person (click here)

**April 7:** The D1 relief waiver for Memorial Day (click here)

**March 31:** Speed and jump metrics that make a difference with college coaches (click here)

March 24, 2022: Options to play beach volleyball in college (click here)

March 17, 2022: Combining athletic and academic scholarships (click here)

March 10, 2022: Academic

requirements to play collegiate volleyball (<u>click here</u>)

March 3: Rules of coaching contact at club volleyball tournaments (click here)

**Feb. 24:** What you need to know about each women's division (click here)

**Feb. 17:** What you need to know about official and unofficial visits (click here)

**Feb. 10:** I committed to a team and the coach left. Now what (click here)

**Feb. 3:** What you need to know about need-based financial aid (click here)

Jan. 27 Tip: This week's tip looks at College women's volley-ball numbers and various sectors that make up the sport (NCAA, NAIA, NJCAA and more). Click here.

>>> For the AVCA/Badger Region Recruiting Tip of the Week page on the Badger Region website, click here.

Have questions? Email membership@badgervolleyball.org.



# Scholarship application open to seniors

The Badger Region will again be offering graduating seniors the opportunity to apply for scholarships available to both boys and girls.

This year, the Region will select five boys and 10 girls who meet the criteria for \$500 scholarships that will be paid directly to the student's college of choice once they are enrolled.

In addition, two athletes, one boy and one girl will also be considered for the Frisco Mo "Do Good" scholarship, if they meet the additional criteria required for these \$500 scholarships.

#### **Rewarding service**

Lisa Deppe, the founder and owner of Frisco Mo, said her company is all "about rewarding athletes who do good in their community over the past school year."

To apply for any of the scholarships, athletes should go to <u>click here</u>. There they can be taken to the application which is broken in two parts.

The first is required by all applicants. The last section is for athletes who want to be considered for the "Frisco Mo Do Good" scholarship, which requires some sort of community service activity



be described in the application. The other Badger Region scholarships do not require community service as part of the criteria.

#### Criteria

Athletes must meet the following criteria for both scholarships:

- \* Graduating high school senior in the year of application (students who graduate in winter will be eligible alongside students who graduate in the spring or summer)
  - \* No code of conduct violations
- \* Student athlete (or coach or official) is member of the Badger Region and is in good standing with the Badger Region Volleyball Association and his or her club
  - \* Submit a completed application form
- \* Submit an acceptance letter from a college, university or other post-secondary academic institution. (To receive payment, proof of registration and enrollment in a post-secondary school will be required)
- \* Submit a letter of recommendation from club director or 18s club coach

The deadline to apply is April 29, 2022. Winners will be announced in May.

Questions? Email brian@badgervolleyball.org.

# Recognize those who go above and beyond

Starting in the May 5 edition of the Badger Beacon newsletter, the Badger Region will begin highlighting some of the many athletes, coaches and officials recognized as part of our "Caught Doing Good" program, that got lots of traction at the last three weeks at the Badger Region Championships.

If you are interested in still nominating someone for an award, there is still time!

See an athlete who went above and beyond for his or her team? Heard about an official who did extra for a fellow ref or work team? See a parent demonstrate great sportsmanship? Who did you catch in the act of doing good?

Share their info (and yours) and both individuals will be entered in our prize giveaways.

This program is an off-shoot of our Enthusiastic. Supportive. Positive. (ESP) program that the Region has had in operation for many years -- just now in a digital format.

To nominated someone for a "Caught Doing Good" honor, fill out this form on the Badger Region website.

Have questions? Email membership@badgervolley-ball.org.



## Art of Coaching comes to Milwaukee

After a short hiatus, the Badger Region is welcoming back the Art of Coaching Volleyball who will be running a clinic at Marquette University April 23-24. The event is run in partnership with

the Badger Region. No membership is required to attend this event.

This year's clinicians have a wide range of coaching styles and personalities, so attendees have the opportunity to learn from an assortment of exceptional coaches with different points of view.

This clinic will feature Russ Rose (Penn State University 1978-2021), Mark Rosen (University of Michigan), Terry Liskevych (USA Women's National Team), Debbie Brown (Notre Dame 1990-2014) Ryan Theis (Marquette), and Marie Zidek (DePaul University) and Deborah Newkirk (Coach Em Un Kids), with classroom and on-court session

Up Kids), with classroom and on-court sessions.

The Badger Region will be hosting a Saturday night social for all Badger Region coaches.

Virtual learning opportunities for the event are also available.

The Region and AoC partnered for a coaching clinic at Marquette in 2019 that was attended by over 200 coaches.

Have questions? Email Scott Spiess at scott@badgervolleyball.org.

Register for the AoC Clinic by clicking here.



# **2022 Marquette Volleyball Camps**

ALL SKILLS July 6-8 - boys/girls \*7th-9th

COLLEGE PREP July 9-10 - girls 10th-12th

ATTACKERS/BLOCKERS July 11 - girls 6th-12th

**DEFENDERS/PASSERS** July 12 - girls 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>

YOUTH DAY July 13-15 - girls 3rd-6th

**TEAM** July 16-17 - girls 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>

SATELLITE AT 1<sup>ST</sup> ALLIANCE July 18 - boys/girls 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>

SATELLITE AT 1<sup>ST</sup> ALLIANCE July 18-19 - boys/girls 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>

SATELLITE AT FC ELITE July 21-22 - girls 6th-9th

\*Grade entering for 2022-2023 school year

Open to any and all entrants (limited only by total number, age, grade level and/or gender)





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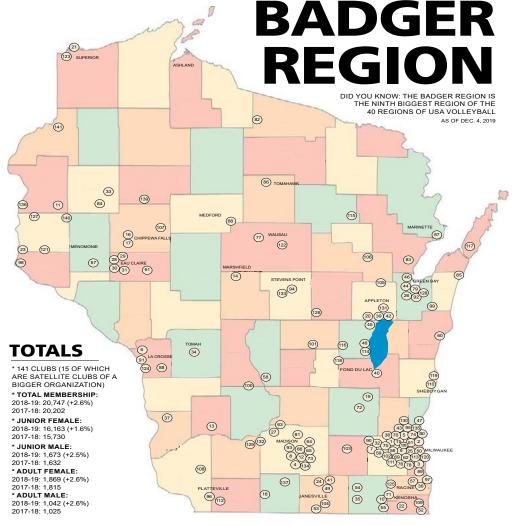
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# Get your jersey questions answered

The Badger Region Volleyball Association wants to make sure your team's jerseys are compliant with all rule sets and changes that have gone into effect starting in the 2020-21 season regarding uniforms.

To do so, the Region's Ref Chair is encouraging club directors or coaches to upload images to this link (below) if there is any concern that numbers are not contrasting enough with the dominant color of the jersey or if a jersey is not contrasting for libero purposes.

<u>UPLOAD HERE: http://badger-volleyball.org/jerseys/</u>

Reminder: All numbers must clearly contrast with the color of the jersey, regardless of the color of the outline of the number.

Have questions? Email badgerref-chair@yahoo.com.

#### Buy through Amazon Smile and support Badger Region

Do you shop on Amazon? Do you want to support the growth of volleyball in the state of Wisconsin?

Then you need to make your purchases on the popular online shopping website via the Badger Region Charity Link: <a href="https://smile.amazon.com/ch/39-1802573">https://smile.amazon.com/ch/39-1802573</a>

When you purchase through the link listed above, a percent of your purchase comes back to the Badger Region Volleyball Association each month.









Badger Region, Frisco Mo partner for unique Wisconsin-themed volleyball shop

How do I get fun, Badger Region apparel all year round? Now you can thanks to a recent partnership between the Badger Region and Frisco Mo.

The online-only shop offers everything from pillows and posters to stickers and mugs to the more traditional hoodies and t-shirts.

A permanent link to the store now sits on www.badgervolleyball.org.

A portion of the proceeds benefits future Badger Region programming in the state of Wisconsin. For a link to the shop, click here.

#### How is the Badger Region Board structured?

The Badger Region Volleyball Association is governed by a Board of Directors that must be elected by members on a regular basis. Area reps serve three-year terms, while members of the executive board serve four-year terms.

Members, whether they are players, coaches, parents, directors, athletic trainers or officials, are encouraged to communicate with their respective representative if they

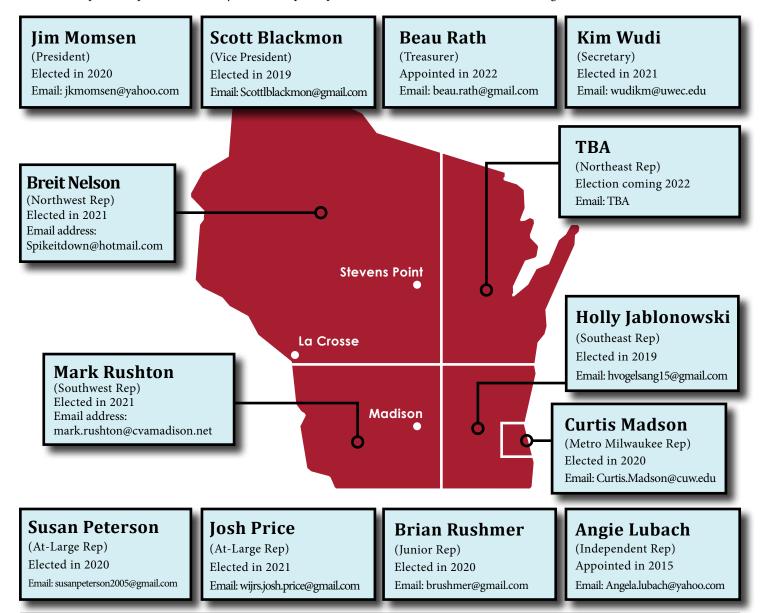
think policies or financial decision in the Region need to be changed.

Some policies enforced by Badger Region come from USA Volleyball, our sport's national governing body, so those can't be changed. But many others can.

The Board is advised by a 11 chairpersons (or experts) in various parts of the game, and five staff members (some of which have multiple responsibilities).

The state is divided into five parts geographically for representation. Plus, there are two at-large board members who you can approach if you don't feel comfortable with your current rep. And there is a rep dedicated just to issues that surround our Junior volleyball clubs and athletes.

You'll be hearing from each Board member twice a year in the form of a column in the Badger Beacon. Now, let's meet them:



Individual chairs and advisors who offer input to the Board of Directors but don't have authority to vote at meetings: Grassroots Chair: Lexi Middleton
Officials Rating/Training: Teague Prichard
Junior Girls Chair: Heather Curley
Junior Boys Chair: Damien Evans
Adult Chair: TJ Abshire
Past President: Julie Voeck

#### **REGION STAFF**

Executive Director/Commissioner: Jennifer Armson-Dyer Program Director: Brian Sharkey Operations Manager: Scott Spiess Tournament Director: Kelly Lehman Program Specialist: Sara Voigt Elections for the Badger Region Board of Directors occur. Nominations take place in April and the election is for adult members May 1-10.

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The Badger Region Volleyball Association promotes initiatives for safe, structured and fun life-long volleyball experiences!

If you (or you or your organization) would like to advertise in a future Badger Beacon, contact Brian Sharkey at the phone number or email address above.

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#### **Badger Region Volleyball Association**

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS





WI Juniors 15-Select is excited for the weekend!

Wisconsin Elite 14-Elite just hanging out.

**April 22-23:** NCAA Men's Div. 3 National Volleyball Championship at Carthage College in Kenosha, Wis.

April 22-24: USA Volleyball Girls 18s Junior National Championships in Phoenix.

April 23: Badger Region Boys Youth Clinic at Carthage College at 3 p.m.

April 23-24: Art of Coaching Volleyball clinic at Marquette University

April 30: Badger Region High Performance tryouts for all boys teams at the New Berlin SportsPlex.

April 30: Badger Region Girls Future Select Clinic in New Berlin

**April 7**: Badger Region Adult Championships at the New Berlin SportsPlex

**May 14-15:** Badger Region Strategic Planning retreat followed by a Board of Director meeting on May 15.

**May 21:** Boys High Performance training at the New Berlin SportsPlex

**May 27-June 1:** USA Volleyball Adult Open Nationals in Orlando, Fla.

June 4: Boys High Performance training at Nicolet High School

June 23-July 4: USA Volleyball Girls Junior National Championships in Indianapolis

June 30-July 7: USA Volleyball Boys Junior National Championships in Las Vegas

**July 6-8**: Badger Region Girls High Performance training camp at the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

July 11-12: Badger Region Boys High Performance training camp at Lakeland University.

July 19-23: USA All-Star Championships in Tulsa, Oklahoma

Aug. 6-7: Badger Region Beach Championships at Bradford Beach (Milwaukee)

Aug. 15: Start of the WIAA high school season







# Summer Series Volleyball 2022!

#### Coached By:

Megan Serdan and Various Coaches

Current 16-2 head coach & 15-1 Assistant

#### Sessions:

Session 06 (Grades 9-12) Tuesdays & Thursdays 10am-12pm Session 07 (Grades 9-12) Tuesdays & Thursdays 1pm-3pm Session 10 (Grades 9-12) Tuesdays & Thursdays 7pm-9pm Session 11 (Grades 8-11) Fridays 7:30am-9:30am Session 12 (Grades 8-11) Fridays 10am-12pm

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# UW-Whitewater Volleyball Camps Open for Registration!



All Skills Camps open for grades 5-12 | 4 weeks in July, 2022 Position Camps open for grades 7-12 | July 17-19 2022

Don't wait: registration is limited. Visit camps.uww.edu to learn more.



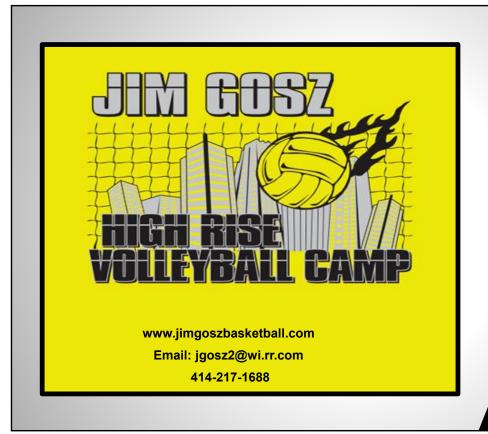




University of Wisconsin Whitewater

Camps and Conferences

Roseman Building Room 2005 800 West Main Street Whitewater, WI 53190 (262) 472-3165 • cesevents@uww.edu





#### **July 11-14**

St. Paul's Lutheran School Muskego 12:00pm-2:30pm

#### July 25-28

St. Joseph's School Wauwatosa 12:00pm-2:30 pm

Grades 3-8



2022

SUSIE JOHNSON

# SUMMER CAMPS

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL TEAM CAMP

JULY 18 - 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM JULY 19 - 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Cost: \$120 per camper if your coach attends, \$160 per camper if you need a coach provided

#### **SERVING CAMP**

JULY 19 - 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Cost: \$55 (All Ages)

#### SETTERS CAMP

JULY 21 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Cost: \$125 (Grades 6-12) \*Maximum 100 campers

#### HIGH SCHOOL TEAM CAMP

JULY 25 - 1:00 - 5:00 PM
JULY 26 - 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Cost: \$130 per camper if your coach
attends, \$160 per camper if you need
a coach provided

#### COLLEGE I.D. CAMP

JULY 27 - 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Cost: \$125 (Grades 9-12) \*Maximum 100 campers



Register at: www.susiejohnsonvolleyball.com

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# REFERES WARNES

#### **REWARDS:**

TRAINING OFFERED GOOD COMPENSATION FLEXIBLE SCHEDULES



GIVE BACK TO THE GAME

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Up to 7 weeks of skills training and fun competition starting the week of June 13th and finishing August 4th. Attend as many days as you want during that time period, according to your schedule! Our camp is a unique combination of skills/drills and league/tournament play held at the 5 sand courts at Galioto's in Cedarburg

Sessions structured and led by Coaches Brian Rushmer, Damien Evans, Autumn Daute, and special guests!!

More information and online registration at:

https://www.ozaukeevolleyballclub.com/summersandcamp

**High School** co-ed sessions cost \$250 and run Mon/Tues/Wed/Thurs from June 14 through the week of Aug 3rd. Sign up for either the 1:15-3pm or 3:15-5pm sessions

**Middle School** co-ed session costs \$185 and runs Tues & Thurs from June 15 through the week of Aug 3rd from 12:00-1:30pm

Have fun the whole summer, enhance skills, and improve conditioning by playing in the sand for one great price!

Brian Rushmer

Head Coach

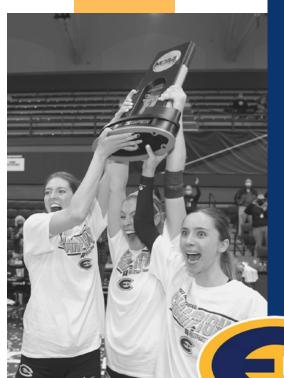
Germantown HS Boys and

Lakeland University Men's Volleyball

Damien Evans Head Coach Cedarburg HS Boys Volleyball

Autumn Daute Cedarburg HS Girls Volleyball





#### 2022 BLUGOLD VOLLEYBALL CAMPS

July 7-8 | Youth Skills Clinic Gr. K-3, 4-6
July 10-12 | Middle School Skills Camp Gr. 6-8
July 13 | Position Clinic I (S/H/DS) Gr. 8-9
July 14-15 | JV/Varsity Team Camp Gr. 9-12
July 17-19 | High School Skills Camp Gr. 9-12
July 20 | Position Clinic II (S/Pin/MB/DS) Gr. 10-12
July 21-22 | College Prospect Camp Gr. 10-12

Info & registration: <u>blugolds.com/camps/vball</u>







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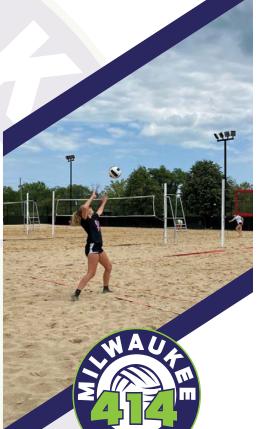
**2021 NCAA DIVISION III CHAMPIONS** 

# 2022 SUMMER CAMPS

RESERVE YOUR PLAYER'S SPOT TODAY!
VISIT: https://www.414me.com/summer-camps

July 6-7, 2022 (2 DAYS)					
	Sessions	Time	Grade	Cost Before 6/1	Cost After 6/1
Α	Attacking/Blocking	1:00 - 3:00 pm	8-12	\$55	\$65
В	<b>Volleyball Conditioning 101</b>	3:00 - 4:00 pm	8-12	\$15	\$25
C	Serve/Receive	4:00 - 6:00 pm	8-12	\$55	\$65
July 8, 2022 (1 DAY)					
	Sessions	Time	Grade	Cost Before 6/1	Cost After 6/1
D	Youth Serving Clinic COED	1:00 - 2:30 pm	3-7	\$20	\$25
Ε	Competition Camp	2:30 - 6:00 pm	8-12	\$30	\$35
July 11-15, 2022 (5 DAYS)					
	Sessions	Time	Grade	Cost Before 6/1	Cost After 6/1
F	Youth - All Skills COED	12:00 - 1:30 pm	3-6	\$95	\$105
G	All Skills	1:45 - 3:45 pm	6-8	\$125	\$135
Н	All Skills	4:00 - 6:00 pm	9-12	\$125	\$135
1	Liberos	4:00 - 6:00 pm	8-12	\$135	\$145
J	Pin Hitters	4:00 - 6:00 pm	8-12	\$135	\$145
K	Setters	4:00 - 6:00 pm	8-12	\$135	\$145
L	Middles	4:00 - 6:00 pm	8-12	\$135	\$145





#### 414 ELITE SAND VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE!

VISIT: https://www.414me.com/sand-league

#### **WHEN & WHERE**

#### **STRUCTURE**

WAVE 1 (TRIPLES) - Incoming 8 & 9 Grade WAVE 2 (DOUBLES) - Incoming 10, 11 & 12 Grade

#### **DATES & TIMES:**

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

July 18 - August 10

**WAVE 1**: 1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. (max 24 / 6 per court) **WAVE 2**: 3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. (max 16 / 4 per court)

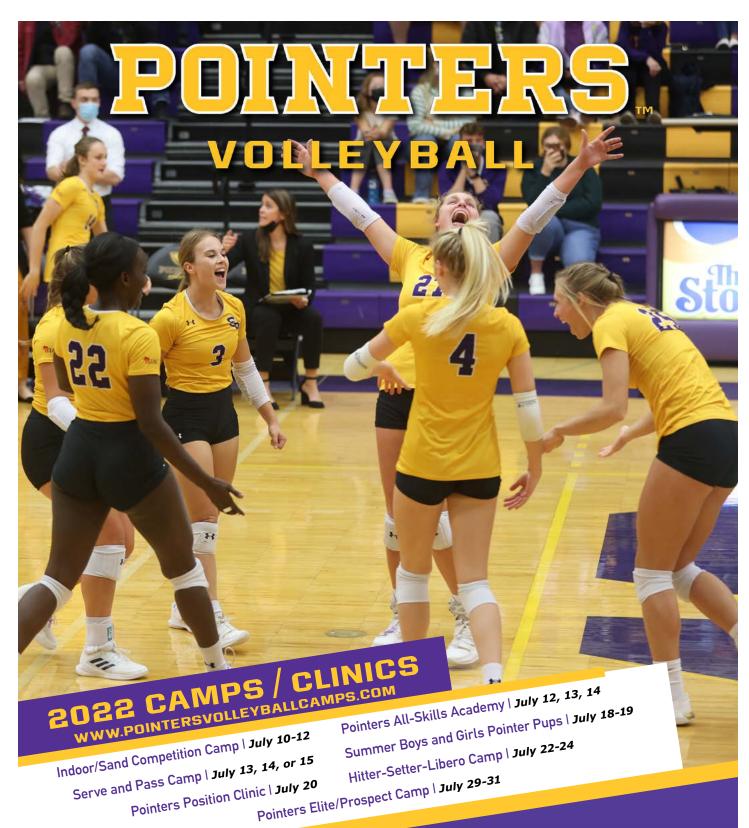
#### **PRACTICE LOCATION:**

KONKEL PARK SAND VOLLEYBALL COURTS

5151 West Layton Avenue Greenfield, WI 53220







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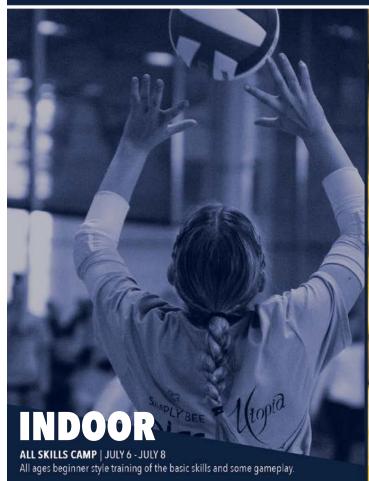


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# JUNIERS 20 SUMMER CAMPS



#### SETTER ACADEMY | JULY 11- JULY 14

Coach Dan Dresen, Coach Leigh Barea and Coach JW Kieckhefer will lead on court and classroom training for boys and girls of all ages. 3 Hour training sessions to allow for the proper amount of on court education for setters.

#### 1ST CONTACT CAMP | JULY 18 - JULY 20

Designed to focus on 1st contact (receive or defense) led by coach Kyleigh Block. Libero/DS/ Any one looking to increase their ball control skills.

#### **ATTACKING AND BLOCKING | JULY 18 - JULY 20**

Attacking camp for all positions led by Coach Dan Dresen and Coach Lisa Johnson.

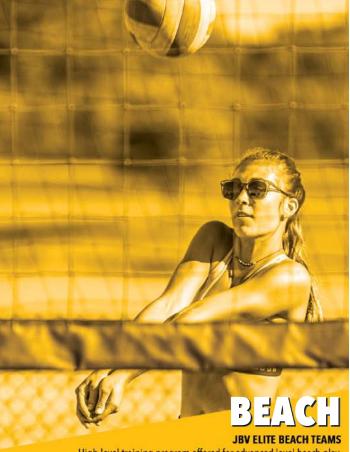
#### CASEY PRICE CAMP | AUGUST 1 - AUGUST 3 All Skills camp led by Coach Casey Price.

**HIGH SCHOOL PREP CAMP** | AUGUST 1 - AUGUST 4 Designed to prep athletes for HS tryouts.

MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMP | AUGUST 8 - AUGUST 10 All skill level camp for 5th - 8th grade athletes.

Questions? Contact Dan Dresen wijrs.dan.dresen@gmail.com www.wisconsinjuniors.com/camps





High-level training program offered for advanced level beach play.

Utilizing a fast-paced training environment, athletes will receive focus training to include understanding and applying offensive and defensive strategies, tactics, and how to communicate effectively through signs and signals.

#### **BEACH TRAINING PROGRAM**

Training at every level from beginer to advanced with coaching on footwork,
offensive and defensive positioning, strategies,
and tactics at the most basic level to college level strategies!

#### **QUADS AND DOUBLES LEAGUES**

Great opportunity for Youth and High School age to compete at every level, watch and learn from other teams, and maximize your skills for the sport that we love!

#### **AVP EVENTS**

Excited about beach volleyball and looking to play in college? The Rec Plex is now hosting AVP events! More details online.

#### JBV TOURNAMENTS

May Madness | May 27 • 18+ Tournament | July 1 • Beach Royalty | July 6

Queens of the Beach | July 15 • Beach Ballers | July 17

Lose the Shoes | July 23 • August Finale | August 5 • Championships | August 6/7



Questions? Contact Kyleigh Block wijrs.kyleigh.block@gmail.com www.wisconsinjuniors.com/beach



#### PREMIER BEACH TEAM: AGES 14-18

- High level beach doubles training designed for the national level indoor player/players with previous beach experience
- Training will be specific to the strategic needs of each team to find success in the game of beach doubles

**Cost**: \$475, includes every practice plus an entry into one of Epic's hosted beach events plus entry into JVA Beach Championships

\*\*Space is limited: goal is 10-12 teams, better coach/player ratio for feedback

#### **PERFORMANCE BEACH TRAINING:** AGES 12-18

- Beach doubles training for both beginner & advanced players
- Partner NOT required to join

**Cost**: \$100, includes every practice plus a free entry into one Epic's hosted beach tournaments

TRAINING DAYS
THURSDAYS 11-12 PM
JUNE 30, JULY 7,
JULY 14, JULY 21,
JULY 28

TRAINING DAYS
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 9-10:30 AM

JUNE: 16, 21, 23, 28, 30

JULY: 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21,

26, 28

#### **EPIC BEACH TOURNAMENTS**

NORTH BEACH OPEN

**WI NORTH BEACH CHAMPIONSHIPS** 

SATURDAY, JUNE 25 SAT

SATURDAY, JULY 23

#### **JVA MIDWEST BEACH CHAMPS**

SUNDAY, JULY 31

Epic Partnering w/JVA



#### BERG'S - ALL SKILLS SESSION 1

MONDAY, JULY 11 - THURSDAY, JULY 14 LOCATION: REAL SCHOOL

9 - 10:30 AM 11 - 12:30 AM 5TH - 8TH : COED 9TH - 12TH : GIRLS

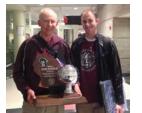
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HIGH SCHOOL TUNE-UP SESSION 1
MON AUGUST 1, WED AUGUST 3, FRI AUGUST 5
LOCATION: REAL SCHOOL

9 - 11 AM

9TH - 12TH : GIRLS

\$109



THE BERGS ALLSKILLS CAMPS
WILL BE LEAD BY
THE COACHING DUO
OF 5 TIME STATE
CHAMPION CHARLIE
BERG AND EPIC
DIRECTOR EVAN
BERG, ALONG WITH
OTHER MEMBERS OF
THE EPIC COACHING
STAFF

BERG'S - ALL SKILLS SESSION 2

MONDAY, JULY 25 - THURSDAY, JULY 28 LOCATION: REAL SCHOOL

9 - 10:30 AM 11 - 12:30 AM 5TH - 8TH : COED 9TH - 12TH : GIRLS

\$119

HIGH SCHOOL TUNE-UP SESSION 2
MON AUGUST 8, WED AUGUST 10, FRI AUGUST 12
LOCATION: REAL SCHOOL

10 - 12 PM

9TH - 12TH : GIRLS

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<sup>\*\*</sup> we will take boys for the HS Tune-Ups on a case by case basis

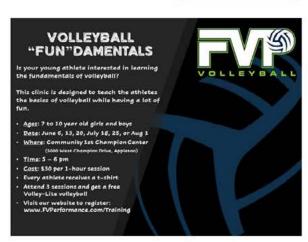




What is Reverse Co-Ed Quads Volleyball?
Reverse co-ed quads is four on four volleyball with
two men and two women on each team Play is on
a women's height net and men must hit from
behind the attack line and cannot block.









#### June 6-8

8-10 am Middle School All Skills

10-12 noon High School All Skills

#### June 13-15

8-10 am Middle School Attacking/Hitting & Serving

10-12 noon High School Attacking/Hitting & Serving

#### June 20-22

8-10 am Middle School Passing & Serving

10-12 noon High School Passing & Serving

#### July 18-20

- 8-10 am Middle School All Skills

#### July 25-27

- 8-10 am Experienced DS/Libero Intense
- ₀ 10-12 noon Experienced Setting Intense

#### August 1-3

- 8-10 am Middle School All Skills
- 10-12 noon High School All Skills

Private lessons are available upon request. Contact Lynette@FVPerformance.com for information or to schedule a lesson.

# 2022 Summer Volleyball Camps

#### Skills and Fundamentals

Location: Champion Center

5000 W. Champion Drive

Appleton

Price: \$125 per 6-hour session

Register: www.FVPerformance.com

Each athlete receives a t-shirt and a

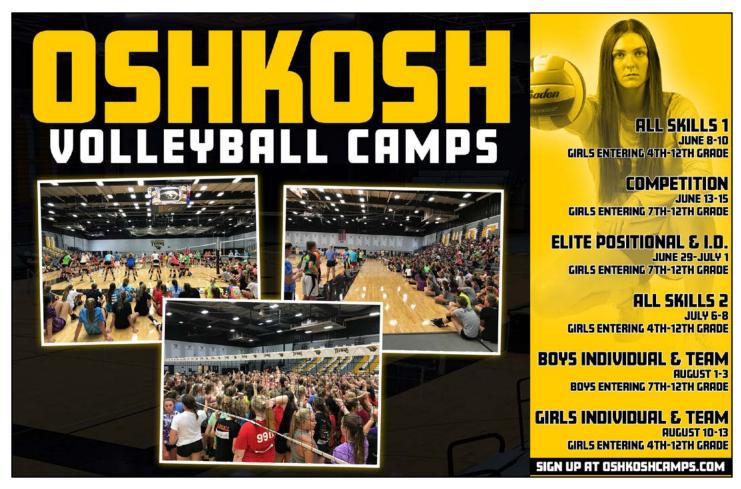
supplemental booklet

Visit our website to see all that FVP has to offer this summer!

Space is limited so register early!

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GRADES 8-11 JUNE 27-AUGUST 11 TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS | TIMES VARY

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