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We hope this note finds all going well ! (If you are not the person responsible for your off season girls volleyball program we would appreciate your passing this on to your local club - - thank you)!

Congratulations to all teams that completed another memorable and competitive season of high school volleyball and those fortunate enough to be playing in the MSHSL State Tournament this year.

With the completion of another successful season of high school volleyball, now is the time to begin thinking about continuing to help hone your players skills during the "off-season".

As you may know, the Minnesota Girls Volleyball Association / Minnesota Sports Federation along with our tournament host partners offers a slate of statewide off season state tournament opportunities beginning in March of each year.

Our program is a lower-cost , less-hassle , more compact , family friendly alternative for playing second season volleyball for a number of reasons:

- ★ We charge no individual player or club/coach fees. No voluminous paperwork.
- 🖈 We provide paid HS officials for all contests; players, coaches or parents do not officiate, line judge or score.
- ★ Our entry fee is just \$200 per tournament for eight games guaranteed with most teams getting 10 or more. Discounted entry fee for teams that enter three or more tournaments.
- Concessions are provided.
- ★ Tournaments are all one day.
- ★ We use the high school rules players are familiar with.
- ★ Low-cost player, coach and team insurance is available upon request.
- ★ Awards presented are quality, generous and distinctive.
- ★ All events are fundraisers for local programs.

For your convenience attached is our 2025 flyer/tournament entry form. It is also posted at www.msf1.org on our Girls Volleyball page in the right hand column. Although we try to accommodate all teams that want to play at a specific site it is becoming more common for sites to fill, generally due to not having an infinite number of courts available.

There are tournament hosting opportunities available from time to time. Hosting an MGVA/MSF Girls Volleyball State Tournament is an excellent way to raise substantial funds for your program with about 50% of the work of a normal tournament. (Your work is concentrated during the week/weekend of the tournament). Hosts receive all gate and concessions revenue along with a portion of memorabilia sales. Please contact perry@msf1.org if interested, there may be an opportunity in early May this year.

In closing, we thank you for the role you play in providing volleyball playing opportunities. It's a Great Game!

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Sincerely , Perry Coonce

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FORWARD TO:

YOUTH VOLLEYBALL **CLUB DIRECTOR/COACH OR CURRENT RESIDENT**



The Lower Cost, Less Hassle, Quality Alternative! Serving Minnesota's Youth Through Sportssm

2025 MINNESOTA GIRLS VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENTS ALL USAV AND MN JR'S VB TEAMS ARE WELCOME AND ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN MSF SANCTIONED EVENTS AND MAY NOT BE PENALIZED FOR DOING SO.

DIVISIONS OFFERED:

11's-18's-Under (11's-14's typically play on Saturday and 15's-18's play on Sunday). If insufficient numbers exist to conduct a specific age division we reserve the right to combine two age divisions for pool play and then re-separate for bracket play (Note: This is rarely necessary).

STRUCTURE:

MGVA+MSF Sanctioned eight game minimum guarantee. Teams advance to upper or lower levels after pool play. Pools of three, four, five, six, or seven teams.

ENTRY DEADLINE:

Entry Deadline is Wednesday 10 days prior to the tournament - 5:00pm FIRST ENTERED FIRST IN If shortage of court space occurs (which is becoming more freequent)

ENTRY FEE:

\$200.00 per tournament, discount available if more than two tournaments are entered by the same team (see reverse for details).

THERE ARE NO COSTLY INDIVIDUAL PLAYERS, COACH OR CLUB FEES. Game referees are provided. Coaches and Players DO NOT keep score or line judge or officiate. You spend all your time having fun coaching/playing volleyball or just plain relaxing! High School rules used.

REFUND POLICY:

If a team drops out after a schedule has been completed, there is no refund.

If a random act cancels a tournament before it is scheduled, a \$15.00 admin fee will be deducted from each team's refund.

If a random act cancels a tournament after it has been scheduled, a \$30.00 admin fee will be deducted from each team's refund.

TOURNEY SCHEDULES:

Pre-Tournament info will be emailed and mailed upon request once entry is received. Schedules will be posted at www.msf1.org on the youth volleyball page by Wednesday noon preceding the tournament.

AWARDS:

Awards presented are based on the number of pools and are more generous and more distinctive than the average weekend tournament. A championship banner will also be awarded to the first place team in each age division.

GAME OFFICIALS:

USAV or MSHSL referees will be provided. Players/coaches do not officiate, line judge, or keep score.





<u>EVENT</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SITE</u>	<u>ENTRY DEADL</u>	<u>_INE</u>
MGVA+MSF Mora 11, 12, 13 & 14U	March 15	Mora	March 5	
MGVA+MSF Mora 15, 16, 17 & 18U	March 16	Mora	March 5	
				"We've always enjoyed
MGVA+MSF South St. Paul 11, 12, 13U	March 22	South St. Paul	March 12	coming back to play in the
MGVA+MSF South St. Paul 14*, 15, 16, 17 & 18U	March 23	South St. Paul	March 12	
MGVA+MSF Buffalo 11, 12, 13 & 14U	March 29	Buffalo	March 19	MGVA-MSF State
MGVA+MSF Buffalo 15, 16, 17 & 18U	March 30	Buffalo	March 19	Tournaments year after
		Bullaio	March 15	waar. The tournament staff
MGVA+MSF Avon-Albany 11, 12, 13 & 14U	April 5	Avon-Albany	March 26	year. The tournament staff
MGVA+MSF Avon-Albany 15, 16, 17 & 18U	April 6	Avon-Albany	March 26	and officials are super
	April V	Avon-Albany	March 20	friendly and do a great job
MGVA+MSF Fairmont 11, 12, 13 & 14U	April 5	Fairmont	March 26	, , ,
MGVA+MSF Fairmont 15, 16, 17 & 18U	April 6	Fairmont	March 26	hosting. Our girls love
				playing so many games,
MGVA+MSF Austin/Adams 11, 12, 13 & 14U	April 12	Austin/Adams	April 2	
MGVA+MSF Austin/Adams 15, 16, 17 & 18U	April 13	Austin/Adams	April 2	and with no extra team or
				player fees, it's a great
MGVA+MSF Becker 11, 12, 13 & 14U	April 26	Becker	April 16	
MGVA+MSF Becker 15, 16, 17 & 18U	April 27	Becker	April 16	value as well."
				- Parent of an ACGC Heat Player

*NOTE: 14U in South St. Paul will be held on Sunday.

2025 Minnesota Girls Volleyball Association State Tournament Entry Form (ONE FORM PER TEAM)

Team Name			_ Community/Club							
Team Coach			_ Address of Coach							
City			_ State _		_ Zip Code					
Day of Tournament Contact Phone				Alternate Phone (H/W)						
Email Address (IMPORTANT)										
Circle the age group you are entering: 11U 15U				12U 16U		14U* 18U	,			
Please CAREFULLY CIRCLE which tournament site(s) you are entering:										
Mora	South St. Paul	Buffalo	Avon-Albany		Fairmont	Austin/Adam	ns Becker			
*NOTE: 14U in South St. Paul will be held on Sunday.										
State Championship Series Entry Fees: 8 GAMES GUARANTEED \$200 per team per tournament (MSHSL or USAV referees are provided) If the same team enters 3 tournaments the total fee is \$570 (A SAVINGS OF \$30) If the same team enters 4 tournaments the total fee is \$760 (A SAVINGS OF \$40) If the same team enters 5 tournaments the total fee is \$950 (A SAVINGS of \$50) ENTRY FEE TOTAL: (\$5 service fee for all credit card transactions)										
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Please fill out the above and return to MSF at: MSF, 118 12th Ave. N., South St. Paul, MN 55075										