



2009/2010
Parent Information

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Impact Volleyball Operating Standards

HighLine Teams:

1. The goal is to win every tournament entered.
2. Practices are mandatory: An unexcused absence will result in loss of playing time.
3. Punctuality is essential and being late to practice is unacceptable. – Unexcused lateness will result in loss of playing time.
4. Each team will stay together on road trips with the only exception being the U13 team. The U13 team will room with their parents or approved guardian.
5. Coaches will determine the schedule for each tournament: Practices, Non Game Time during the tournament, Eating schedules and Curfew.
6. Airline reservations & tickets for the Big South Qualifier in Atlanta, GA will be made for the coaches and players.
7. Players will be at tournament site one-hour prior to game time.
8. Playing time is not guaranteed.

Classic Teams:

1. The goal is to win every tournament.
2. Practices are mandatory: An unexcused absence will result in loss of playing time.
3. Players will be at tournament site one-hour prior to game time.
4. Equal playing time is not guaranteed.

USA VOLLEYBALL JUNIOR OLYMPIC AGE DEFINITION For use during the 2009-2010 Season

18 and Under Division:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1991 or
Players who were born on or after September 1, 1990 and a high school student in the twelfth (12th) grade or below during some part of the current academic year

17 and Under Division:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1992

16 and Under Division:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1993

15 and Under Division:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1994

14 and Under Division:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1995

13 and Under Division:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1996

12 and Under Division:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1997

TRYOUT PROCEDURES

Tryouts

The cost of Impact Volleyball tryouts is \$50.

12-and-under tryouts will be held on **October 31 and November 1.**

13-and-under tryouts will be held on **October 31 and November 1.**

14-and-under tryouts will be held on **November 7 and 8.**

15-and-under tryouts will be held on **November 7 and 8.**

16-and-under tryouts will be held on **November 14 and 15.**

17-and-under tryouts will be held on **November 14 and 15.**

All players must be registered with the USAVB prior to tryouts for any club team in the North Texas Region. You can access online registration at our website www.impactvb.com

While it is not required to attend both days of tryouts, we strongly suggest being present on both days to give yourself the best opportunity to make a team by allowing our coaching staff the maximum amount of time to assess your ability.

Notification

You may be offered a position on one of our teams at the conclusion of either tryout date. We may also contact you after tryouts to offer you a position on one of our teams.

Acceptance of team invitation

According to the USVBA guidelines, you have until *noon on the Wednesday following tryouts* to accept an offer made by Impact Volleyball Club. To commit to Impact Volleyball Club you will need to sign the "North Texas Region Offer and Acceptance Agreement" and make your initial fee payment. This payment can be for the entire club dues or the initial installment. Once you sign this form and make this initial payment you are committed to the team for the 2009/2010 club volleyball season.

Impact Volleyball Code of Conduct

Player and Coach Guidelines:

1. Every player is encouraged to communicate openly with her respective coach.
2. A Coach will not discuss playing time decisions with an athlete's parent.
3. If a player has a complaint, i.e., mismanagement, behavioral issue, or mistreatment on the part of her coach, the player is to inform her parent who in return will contact the Director of the Parent Team Board for review and effective management of the situation.
4. If a player or parent is rude, invokes aggression, is disrespectful or becomes unruly, the Parent Team Board will handle the situation immediately and confidentially.

Role of Coaches:

1. Teach the fundamentals of the game to assist in personal growth of players and competitive growth of team.
2. Serve as a positive role model and mentor.
3. Treat players respectfully and fairly.
4. Coach to win as a team

Role of Players:

1. Make a commitment to be a great teammate at all times.
2. Respect yourself, your teammates, and your coach.
3. Make a commitment to work hard, play hard and maintain a positive attitude at all times.
4. Place the team goals before personal goals.
5. Strive to earn and maintain a starting position on your team.
6. Accept your current role with a positive attitude.
7. Communicate with your coach objectively if you don't understand your role or how you are being utilized on your team.
8. Communicate with your coach if you know there is a scheduling conflict in advance.
9. Contact your coach immediately if you are going to miss practice due to illness.
10. Attend all practices; even if you are injured.

Role of Parents:

1. Support your daughter and your daughter's team.
2. Avoid discussing your daughter's role or her coach's decisions during game time.
3. If you question your respective coach's decision(s), discuss the issue with your "Parent Team Board Member Representative" first, and if not satisfied, discuss the issue with the "Director of the Parent Team Board," second. If you are not satisfied with the outcome, a facilitation session will be set up with you and the coach with a member of the "Parent Team Board" facilitating the session.

Note: If a parent feels the coach is being verbally abusive or disrespectful to their respective student athlete, the concerned parent is to meet with the Director of the Parent Team Board immediately after the practice/game for the situation to be managed effectively and immediately.

4. Encourage your daughter to approach her coach if she is unhappy or dissatisfied.
5. Make all fee payments on time. Late payments will result in a \$50 penalty fee and temporary suspension of your daughters playing time until the team fee is paid.
6. Notify coach of any scheduling conflicts well in advance.
7. Support your respective team with enthusiasm and cheer like crazy.

Tentative Tournament Schedule

Highline Teams:	Dallas Home Opener	Dec 19, 20	DFW
	Tour of Texas Qualifier	Jan 3, 4	Austin
	MLK Power League	Jan 9, 10	DFW
	ASICS Invitational	Feb 6, 7	DFW
	Valentines Day	Feb 13, 14	DFW
	North Texas Invitational	Mar 6, 7	DFW
	Houston Crosscourt	Mar 13, 14	Houston
	Big South Qualifier	Apr 2-4	Atlanta, GA
	Lonestar Qualifier	Apr 9-11, Apr 16-18	DFW
NT Regional Qualifier	May 1, 2	DFW	
Classic Teams:	MLK Power League	Jan 9, 10	DFW
	NTI Early Bird	Jan 23, 24	DFW
	ASICS Invitational	Feb 6, 7	DFW
	Valentines Day	Feb 13, 14	DFW
	Texas Fest	Feb 20, 21	DFW
	North Texas Invitational	Mar 6, 7	DFW
	Hop It Up	Mar 27, 28	DFW
	Lonestar Qualifier	Apr 9-11, Apr 16-18	DFW
	NT Regional Qualifier	May 1, 2	DFW
11s:	MLK Power League	Jan 9, 10	DFW
	NTI Early Bird	Jan 23, 24	DFW
	ASICS Invitational	Feb 6, 7	DFW
	Texas Fest	Feb 20, 21	DFW
	North Texas Invitational	Mar 6, 7	DFW
	Spring Fling	Mar 20, 21	DFW
	Lonestar Qualifier	Apr 9-11, Apr 16-18	DFW

Payment Schedule

Club Fees may be paid in full at the time of team commitment or an initial payment may be made followed by monthly installments in January, February, and March. *

Club Fees include all expenses (travel expenses for HighLine players are included in fees). **

* The 11s installments are only in January and February.

** 13 HighLine hotel expenses are not included in the fees.

HighLine Teams (14s – 17s)	\$3,130	Fee Schedule: \$1000	Jan \$710	Feb \$710	Mar \$710
Uniform/Equipment \$350	Coaches \$775	Tournament Fees \$500	Travel Expenses \$800	Administration \$505	Court Fees \$200

HighLine Team 13s	\$2,850	Fee Schedule: \$900	Jan \$650	Feb \$650	Mar \$650
Uniform/Equipment \$350	Coaches \$775	Tournament Fees \$500	Travel Expenses \$520	Administration \$505	Court Fees \$200

Classic Teams	\$1,700	Fee Schedule: \$500	Jan \$400	Feb \$400	Mar \$400
Uniform/Equipment \$350	Coaches \$445	Tournament Fees \$375	Travel Expenses \$0	Administration \$380	Court Fees \$150

Classic 11s	\$1,300	Fee Schedule: \$500	Jan \$400	Feb \$400	Mar
Uniform/Equipment \$350	Coaches \$395	Tournament Fees \$270	Travel Expenses \$0	Administration \$185	Court Fees \$100