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FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Happy 4th of July...or better said, Happy 240th birthday to the USA! That's right, this year the US celebrates 240 years of independence since the Declaration of Independence was signed on July 4, 1776. Our leaders of that time were visionary and we owe them a debt of gratitude for setting the cornerstones of our great society. During this time of the year I am also reminded about the many selfless servants that operate in the military or as first responders. If you serve as a law enforcement officer, a fireman/woman, EMT, or in any branch of the US armed forces, we salute you and the work that you do every day for our country!

Many of you will be traveling at some point over the July 4th weekend. Some of you will be traveling back from Indianapolis (USAV Girls' Jr. National Championships) and some others will be heading to Dallas (USAV Boys' Jr. National Championships). Most of you will be traveling to visit family or enjoy some outdoor recreation. I hope that you will take a moment during your travels to say "Thank You" to a first responder or military member. A simple thank you goes a long way to show our appreciation for their commitment and daily sacrifices.

As the entire USA Volleyball family gears up for the 2016 Rio Olympics, which is only five weeks away, most of our teams have been finalized with only a few remaining to be named. It is a time to unite our support to cheer on our country during the greatest sporting event in the world. All previous differences can be set aside and we can be truly united with one goal in mind. I trust that the entire world shares this common thread as each country cheers for their heroes and their respective journeys to compete on the world stage.

Please enjoy your 4th of July and take a moment to read this month's Vol-eNews to learn about all of the upcoming volleyball events and activities in the Florida Region.

See you on the court,

Steve Bishop

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2016 ROX VB SERIES NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS...

Want to compete against the best of the best? Find a qualifier near you and join us for the ROX VB Series National Championships at Hickory Point Beach ...**Page ???**



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...and much more!

2016 ROX EAST COAST BEACH ALL-STAR CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS...



18U Open
 1st: Marielle Diaz/Kaila Dorish
 2nd: Melissa Elias/Sorrel Houghton
 3rd: Samantha Lemmon/Joanmarie Lewandowski



16U Open
 1st: Rieligh Powers/Lexy Denaburg
 2nd: Syd Morre/Christina Koenig
 3rd: Tessa Bohn/Jessica Maxson



14U Open
 1st: Cassidy Ellmyer/Nieya Pelski
 2nd: Alicia Kowalski/Laticia Nina
 3rd: Annie Cate Fitzpatrick/Marley Banton



12U Open
 1st: Ashlyn Banton/Amelia Fitzpatrick
 2nd: Amanda Chambers/Katie Miller
 3rd: Malia Osbourne/Nicole Baer



16U Club
 1st: Anna Erftenbeck/Emily Moore
 2nd: Bryn Hudson/Haylie Clark



14U Club
 1st: Trinity Miller/Anna Davis
 2nd: Madison Horton/Camryn Mather

QUEEN OF THE BEACH RESULTS



18U
 Katie Smith - Cincinnati, OH



16U
 Jordan Smith - Cincinnati, OH



14U
 Trinity Miller - Cincinnati, Ohio



12U
 Kendal Mather - Cincinnati, Ohio

2016 HICKORY POINT BEACH SCHEDULE...



2016 HICKORY POINT BEACH EVENT SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Divisions
3/5	Beach HP National Tryout	Juniors
3/6	Florida USAV Beach Series Preseason Classic	Juniors
3/19	Florida USAV Beach Series Opener (JBT & ROX VB Series National Championships Qualifier)	Juniors
4/2	Beach HP Prep Camp	Juniors
4/23	Florida High School Beach Championships	Juniors
5/13 - 5/15	Team Florida Beach HP All-Star Selection Camp	Juniors
5/21	Florida USAV Beach Series (JBT & ROX VB Series National Championships Qualifier)	Juniors
6/16 - 6/18	ROX East Coast Beach All-Star Championships	Juniors
7/28 - 7/30	ROX VB Series National Championships	Juniors

*Dates & events are subject to change. Please visit our website for the most current schedule of events



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WFVN CHANNEL 14 NEWS – 2016 FLORIDA REGION SALUTE...

The WFVN crew was honored to put together a special Florida Region Salute for the 2016 Dorothy C. Boyce Banquet, hosted by USA Volleyball. We recognized the leaders in our region who have made an impact on the sport of volleyball. Enjoy!



[Click here to watch!](#)

TEAMS ATTENDING 2016 GIRLS' JR. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS IN INDIANAPOLIS...

18 OPEN

Top Select 17 Elite Blake - Beast of the Southeast Qualifier
 Top Select 18 Elite - Florida National 18Q
 Tribe 18 Elite Dean - Boston Volleyball Festival Qualifier

18 NATIONAL

Gainesville Jrs. 18 Elite - Florida Regional 18Q
 Ocean Breeze 18 Quiksilver - Florida Regional 18Q

18 USA

FSVBC Suns 18 Black - Northern Lights
 LVA 18 Elite - Florida National 18Q
 Ocala Power United 18 Rox - Florida National 18Q
 OT 18 ASICS Blue - Northeast Qualifier
 OT 18 ASICS Red - Florida National 18Q
 OT 18 Tampa ASICS Red - Lil' Big South
 Tampa Elite 18 Spencer - Florida Regional 18Q

18 AMERICAN

352 Elite 18 Line - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 JJVA Team Rox 18N Kyle - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 PVC U18 Black - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Vision Under Armour CPT - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

17 OPEN

Ocean Breeze 17 Quiksilver - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 OT 17 ASICS Red - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 Top Select 17 Elite Blake - Disney Volleyball Showcase

17 NATIONAL

JJVA Team Rox 17N Adis - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Tribe 17 Elite Sebastian - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

17 USA

Ocala Power United 17 Rox - Big South Qualifier
 OT 17 ASICS Blue - Northeast Qualifier
 PSVA 17 Black Elite - Big South Qualifier

17 AMERICAN

Boomers 17 Black - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 TJVBC 17 Elite - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 WPVC 17 Elite Black - Northeast Qualifier
 Wildfire 17 National - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

16 OPEN

OT 16 ASICS Red - Disney Volleyball Showcase

16 NATIONAL

Boomers 16 Black - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Tribe 16 Elite Katie - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

16 USA

Miami Elite 16 Julie - Windy City Qualifier
 OT Tampa ASICS Red - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 Tampa Elite 16 Laura - Disney Volleyball Showcase

16 AMERICAN

Miami Hype 16's - Northeast Qualifier
 OT 16 ASICS Blue - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 PSVA 16 Black Elite - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 Top Select 16 Elite - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

15 OPEN

OT 15 ASICS Red - Colorado Crossroads Qualifier
 Top Select 15 Elite - At Large

15 NATIONAL

Palm Beach Jrs. 15 Elite - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Venetian Bay 15-1 Landslide - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge



THE RESULTS ARE STARTING TO COME IN!

Be sure to check back here and on our website, www.FloridaVolleyball.org, after the conclusion of the championships to see which Florida teams placed!

Girls' Junior National Championships

June 24th – July 3rd

15 USA

Cape Coast 15 Elite - Big South Qualifier
 Gainesville 15 Elite - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 Ocala Power United 15 Rox - Big South Qualifier
 Pinellas Heat 15 Elite - Big South Qualifier
 Tribe 15 Elite Dean - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

15 AMERICAN

Ocean Breeze 15 Quiksilver - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 OT Tampa ASICS Red - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 PSVA 15 Black Elite - Disney Volleyball Showcase

14 OPEN

OT 14 ASICS Longwood - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 OT 14 Asics Red - Colorado Crossroads Qualifier
 Tribe 14 Elite Sebastian - At Large

14 NATIONAL

OT 14 Longwood Elite - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 OT 14 Tampa ASICS Red - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

14 USA

Gainesville 14U - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Gulfside 14U Navy - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 LVA 14 Elite - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 Palm Beach Jrs. 14 Elite - Nike Mid East Qualifier
 OT 14 ASICS White - Big South Qualifier
 OT 14 Tampa ASICS Red - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 TJVBC 14 Elite - Big South Qualifier

14 AMERICAN

JJVA Team Rox 14N Miriam - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 OT 14 Longwood Elite - Big South Qualifier
 Sideout 14 - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

13 OPEN

OT 13 ASICS Longwood - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 Wildfire 13 National - Big South Qualifier

13 NATIONAL

OT 13 ASICS Blue - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Tribe 13 Elite Brett - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

13 AMERICAN

FE/DME 13U Rox - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 JJVA 13 Team Rox Julie - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Ocala Power United 13 Rox - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 OT 13 Longwood Elite - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

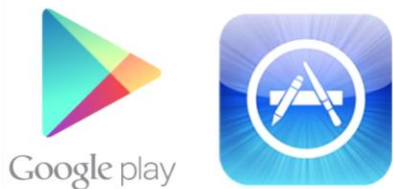
12 NATIONAL

OT 12 ASICS Longwood - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 Tribe 12 Altone - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

12 AMERICAN

Boomers 12 Black - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge
 Gainesville 12 Elite - Disney Volleyball Showcase
 JJVA Team Rox 12N Robin - Big South Qualifier
 OT 12 ASICS Red - ASICS Florida Volleyball Challenge

QUICK ANNOUNCEMENTS



FLORIDA REGION APP...

The Florida Region has an app available for download in both the iTunes and Google Play store. This app features indoor/outdoor event information, maps of clubs in your area, recent news and much more! Click here to read the press release.

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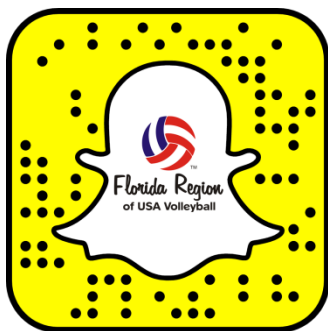


CHECK OUT OUR NEWEST PARTNER, THE SPIKENET!

The SpikeNet is a multimedia group who has provided footage & interviews for the Florida Region throughout the USAV Opens...keep an eye out for more of their great work!

[CLICK HERE TO VISIT THEIR FACEBOOK PAGE!](#)

OH SNAP...



The Florida Region is on Snapchat! Add us! @floridaregion

2016 BOYS' JUNIOR REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS...



[FOR MORE AWARDS PICS, CLICK HERE!](#)

14U Gold

- 1st: MVP Academy 14 Fire
- 2nd: Orlando Gold 14 Black

15U Gold

- 1st: Orlando Gold 15 Black
- 2nd: Ocean Bay 15 Quiksilver

16U Gold

- 1st: Orlando Gold 16 Black
- 2nd: Ocean Bay 16 Quiksilver

16U Silver

- 1st: JJVA Team ROX 16 Black
- 2nd: MVA 16 Boys Nike Black

17U Gold

- 1st: Ocean Bay 17 Quiksilver
- 2nd: MVP Academy 17 Fire

17U Silver

- 1st: Coastal 17N-1
- 2nd: JJVA Boys 16 ROX

18U Gold

- 1st: Ocean Bay 18 Quiksilver
- 2nd: JJVA Boys 18 ROX

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For more event pictures & info, find us on Facebook, Twitter & Instagram!



2016 BOYS' 18 JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS...

Congratulation to the following Florida teams who won bids to the 2016 Boys' 18 Junior National Championships in Dallas!

18 OPEN

Ocean Bay 18 Quiksilver – Florida Fest Boys' Bid

17 OPEN

Ocean Bay 17 Quiksilver – Florida Fest Boys' Bid
MVP Academy 17 Fire – Boys' East Coast Championships

16 OPEN

Ocean Bay 16 Quiksilver – Florida Fest Boys' Bid



SSOVA May Event Registration

July 2016

Clearwater Beach, FL

We're excited to partner with SSOVA again this year for some awesome juniors events! We hope you can make one of the tournaments below at beautiful Clearwater Beach!

July 16 | Juniors event @ Frenchy's at Clearwater Beach (ROX Qualifier)

June 31 | Juniors event @ Frenchy's at Clearwater Beach

For more info, [CLICK HERE!](#)



Florida USAV Beach Series Stop (JBT Qualifier)

July 9

Daytona Beach, FL

We hope you join us and our partner, Florida Elite Beach, for the Florida USAV Beach Series tour stop in Daytona Beach on July 9th! This event is a JBT qualifier, so be sure to register and secure your spot today!

For more info and to register, [CLICK HERE!](#)



ROX VB Series National Championships

July 28-30

Hickory Point Beach, Tavares, FL

For more information on how you can qualify for the 2016 ROX VB Series National Championships at Hickory Point Beach in Tavares, FL...visit the link below!

For more info, [CLICK HERE!](#)



CORA Rehabilitation & Sports Medicine and **the Florida Region of USAV and Hickory Point Beach** are proud to announce our renewed partnership for the 2016 Beach Volleyball season. CORA's highly trained and experienced team of Certified Athletic Trainers and Physical Therapists will be available to assist each player with chronic and acute injuries in order to perform at the best of their abilities. Our goal is to **Keep Athletes in the Game!**

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For more info, contact Stuart Weiss, SSAC President
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[CLICK HERE TO READ THE PRESS RELEASE!](#)

SHOUT-OUT CORNER!...

Shout-out to the Brevard County Starlings 16's team for taking 3rd place at the 2016 Starlings National Championships in San Diego, CA!



Shout-out to our two Florida athletes who made the U.S. Paralympic Women's Sitting Volleyball Team roster, Michelle Schiffler (Lake Wales) and Nicky Nieves (Kissimmee!)

We can't wait to cheer you on as you head to Rio this summer!



2015 - 2016 INDOOR EVENT SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 2015	
21	Annual Junior Forum Meeting Eustis
JANUARY 2016	
8	Team Florida HP Tryout (Boys & Girls) Daytona Beach
9-10	Florida Girls' Club Cup (Tour of Champions Event) Daytona Beach
	Florida Boys' Pre-Q Daytona Beach
29	Team Florida HP Tryout (Boys National & Regional) Ft. Lauderdale
30-31	Florida Fest Boys' Bid Tournament Ft. Lauderdale
FEBRUARY 2016	
13-15	Florida Girls' National 18Q Ft. Lauderdale
19	Team Florida HP Tryout (Girls) Jacksonville
20-21	JJVA Jax Jam (Tour of Champions Event) Jacksonville
26	Team Florida HP Tryout (Girls) Tampa
27-28	Molten Pre-Q (Tour of Champions Event) Tampa
MARCH 2016	
4	Team Florida HP Tryout (Boys & Girls) Miami
5-6	Cloverleaf (Tour of Champions Event) Miami
12-13	Florida Girls' Regional 18Q (National Bids Only) Jacksonville



APRIL 2016	
29	Florida Regional Awards Ceremony Orlando
29-5/1	ASICS Girls' Junior Regional Qualifier Orlando
30-5/1	Girls' Jr. Regional VB Championships Orlando

MAY 2016	
14	Team Florida HP Development Camp Daytona Beach
27-6/1	USA Volleyball Open National Championships Orlando
28-31	PVL Championships Orlando

JUNE 2016	
3-5	Team Florida HP Training Camp Daytona Beach
11-12	Boys' Jr. Regional VB Championships Ft. Lauderdale

JULY 2016	
19-23	USA Volleyball HP Championships Ft. Lauderdale

These are Florida Region hosted events. Full event schedule can be found at www.FloridaVolleyball.org.



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FLORIDA WAVE HIGHLIGHT VIDEO ...

We're still celebrating our 2016 PVL Champions, the Women's Florida WAVE! Our Media Partners at The SpikeNet put together a great highlight video from the championships. Click on the image to your right or on the link below to view.

[CLICK HERE FOR VIDEO](#)



Your chance to compete with the **BEST** of the **BEST!**

SAVE THE DATE!



2016 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

July 28th - 30th | Hickory Point Beach | Tavares, FL



Visit ROXVBseries.com for tour schedule & how **YOU** can qualify!



The 2016 Team Florida HP All-Star travel rosters are officially RELEASED! Follow the link below to see who will be representing our region at the 2016 USA HP Championships in Ft. Lauderdale, July 19th – 23rd. Congratulations to all of the athletes!

[ROSTERS HERE!](#)

QUICK SHOUT-OUT:

Nova Southeastern University has partnered with USA Volleyball to host the prestigious 2016 NORCECA Women's U20 Continental Championship on July 26-31 at the Don Taft University Center.

This is the first international volleyball tournament that NSU will host. Head volleyball coach Jennifer King, in conjunction with NSU Administration, has spent months working with USA Volleyball to bring this event to NSU.

Congrats to NSU! Read the press release [HERE!](#)





VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

WE NEED 20 VOLUNTEERS FOR EACH MATCH!

VOLUNTEERS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR:

- SHAGGING BALLS DURING MATCH WARM UPS
- BALL ROTATION DURING MATCHES
- FLOOR MOPPERS
- RUNNER FOR STATS/COPIES TO MEDIA

VOLUNTEERS WILL BE NEEDED:

- EACH DAY STARTING AT 12PM THROUGH THE END OF THE 7PM MATCH, APPROXIMATELY 9PM. FRIDAY, JULY 29TH WILL BE 4PM-9PM AS THERE ARE ONLY TWO MATCHES THAT DAY.
- MATCHES ARE PLAYED AT 1PM, 3PM, 5PM AND 7PM. VOLUNTEERS CAN SIGN UP FOR INDIVIDUAL MATCHES OR FULL DAYS.
- ALL VOLUNTEERS NEED TO ATTEND A PRACTICAL CLINIC ON MONDAY, JULY 25TH REGARDLESS OF WHICH DAY THEY SIGN UP FOR.

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AVCA Girls High School Beach All-American

The American Volleyball Coaches Association is looking for the top high school seniors on the beach in order to name the **2016 High School Beach All-Americans**

Nominations for the 2016 High School Beach All-American awards will open Monday, August 1st and close on Friday August 12th. If you would like to be considered, visit AVCA.org/Groups/Beach for more information.



The summer tournaments that will be weighed most heavily are:

- BVCA National Championships
- AAU Jr National Beach Volleyball Championship
- USA Volleyball High Performance Championships
- West Coast AAU Junior Olympic Games
- USA Volleyball Junior Beach Volleyball Tour Championships
- ROX VB Series National Championships

Questions? Contact Brad Wilson at bradley.wilson@avca.org.

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JUNIOR ADMIN BOARD (JAB) REPS:

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Landon Thomas, District 3, Clubs A-H
Vacant, District 2, Clubs P-S

**Designates voting Board member*

INTERNSHIPS AVAILABLE...

Internships are available for the following:

- Office/Administrative Intern
- Events Intern (Indoor)
- Events Intern (Outdoor)

Individuals interested in an internship should contact Michele Moriarty, Office Manager at Michele@FloridaVolleyball.org.

Quote of the Month

"It's not whether you get knocked down; it's whether you get up."

- Vince Lombardi