



CC'21
Horsham
Volleyball Victoria Country Championships



NEWSLETTER 3. May



June 11th, 12th, 13th 2022

CC '21 hosted by Volleyball Horsham will be held on June 11-13th 2022 is rapidly approaching with the closing date for entries being **Wednesday May 18**. Thanks to those Associations who have registered their teams before the deadline. If the level of interest continues, there could be enough team registrations for all three divisions to be held for both men and women. Full credit to you all for your efforts in getting your Associations back into the swing of things after missing out over the last two years.

PLAYER REGISTRATIONS

As a reminder all players should be registered with Volleyball Victoria in order to be eligible to play in these championships. Please note the following regulation regarding players who are listed and not registered:-

****Individual player registrations should be submitted to Volleyball Victoria Inc no later than the date set for the provision of the final Team List documentation. Non-compliance shall incur a penalty of 2 penalty units per listed unregistered player to be deducted from the team bond. The deadline this year is June 3.***

MARQUEE PLAYERS

Please note that Marquee players can only be used for division 1 teams. ***A marquee player should have commenced their playing career in that team's association at any level, and represented that association in a previous country championship at any level, before leaving the association for study or career development'***.

Invited players can be used in other divisions as long as they have played their 8 qualification games in the other Association and they would require a clearance from that association before playing.

ACCOMMODATION

The Horsham Visitor Information Service has hopefully been helpful to each of the teams in booking your accommodation and their contact details are 1800 633 218.

VENUES

We are utilising 2 main playing centres, the Horsham Basketball Stadium, located on McPherson Street and St Brigid's College Stadium located in Robinson Street. Both venues are literally 5 minutes walk from each other. If required we will play some matches at the Lutheran College Senior Site gymnasium in Trinity Drive, which is a centre court only set up in a stadium that is less than 12 months old. Once again only five minutes from the basketball stadium and St Brigid's College.

UNIFORMS

There is no doubt the Country Champs has seen the standard of uniforms improve remarkably over the years. Even to the point where teams are utilising team tracksuits, hoodies and warm up tops. Let's continue to show not just the volleyball community but everyone just how good we are at showing ourselves off!

For Div. 1, playing tops and shorts must be identical. Socks must be the same basic colour and the same style. Shorts with different stripes/logos/etc. are NOT acceptable. A mixture of short and long socks is NOT acceptable, nor is a mixture of bike shorts and sport shorts. For Div. 2/3, minor variations will be tolerated, provided the team looks uniformly attired on court.

REFEREES

Referee nominations for Div. 1 are required by the closing date for team entries which is May 18.

□ Associations with teams entered in Div. 1 are required to nominate a fully independent referee (no playing or coaching commitments in any division), of **level 2*** for every two Div. 1 teams entered.

(*please note this level was incorrect on newsletter #2)

□ Div. 2 referees must be nominated by the closing date for player registrations. Div. 2/3 teams must nominate **all** persons who are likely to referee during the event, so as their qualifications can be checked in advance.

Associations entering Div. 2/3 are required to nominate a referee of **level 1** grading for every team entered - these referees may be players or team officials. Please make sure the grading of the referees you nominate is still current. Contact Scott Davidson Scott.Davidson@volleyballvictoria.org.au at Volleyball Victoria to check referee accreditation status. Scott would be more than happy to help you out.

CHILD SAFE STANDARDS

All coaches, managers and first referees require current WWCC. Furthermore, any non-registered participant (eg: parents, friends) who participate in team duty as a 2nd referee, scorer or line judge, must also hold a current WWCC.

REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

Your team needs to ensure that:

- 1) All players are listed.
- 2) All players must be registered with VVI with in-eligible players resulting in your team forfeiting matches and players not registered after the June 3 deadline will see Associations penalized.
- 3) Signed clearances for invited players have been forwarded to Volleyball Horsham - info@volleyballhorsham.com.au.
- 4) All players meet eligibility criteria - refer to the current VVCCC regulations,
- 5) Uniform numbers must be finalised with penalties applying for changes during the CC '21.
- 6) Ensure your referees are listed
- 7) Ensure Team coach, Manager and accommodation details are listed.
- 8) Uniforms - Division 1 (Men & Women) have matching playing tops & shorts and that socks are the same basic color. For Division 2/3 (Men & Women) Uniforms should only have minor variations in tops and short but socks should be the same basic color.
- 9) Referees
 - Associations with teams entered in Div. 1 should have already nominated a fully independent referee (no playing or coaching commitments in any division), of **level 2** grading for every two Div. 1 teams entered. The deadline being May 18.
 - Associations entering Div. 2/3 are required to nominate a referee of **level 1** grading for every team entered by 31/5/21 - these referees may be players or team officials. The deadline is June 3. Please make sure the grading of the referees you nominate is still current.

ENTRIES

Please credit:-

Volleyball Horsham
Commonwealth Bank
063-514
10078243

or by post
Volleyball Horsham
P O Box 334
Horsham 3402

Ref: your Association

And email info@volleyballhorsham.com.au with your entry confirmation and your bank details for bond refunds.

Key dates

May 18, 2022 - entries close and entry fees to be paid.

May 25, 2022 - Finalization of divisions and pools if necessary.

May 28, 2022 - draft draw to Technical delegate.

June 3, 2022 – final day for player registrations.

June 3, 2022 – final day for team information.

June 6, 2022 – draw released.



Horsham Visitor Information Centre can be contacted free on 1800 633 218.

Tournament Enquiries: David Berry (2022 OC Chair), Ph: 53824599 (bh) 0487824599

Email: eo@wrsa.org.au

Technical Delegate 2022: Murray Mansfield – spike_mm@hotmail.com

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