

Volleyball Registration

- 2022 -

(One Form Per Team)

Team Name _____ Returning Team (Y/N) _____

(Circle One)

Any 4's/Mon/\$595

To This Summer League?

Men's B/6's/Wed/\$750

Co-Ed B/6's/Mon/\$750

Co-Ed B/6's/Wed/\$750

Co-Ed A/6's/Tues/\$750

Co-Ed B/6's/Thurs/\$750

Any 4's/Tues/\$595

Co-Ed B/6's/Sun/\$750

Captain's Name _____

Phone/Cel/ _____

Email Address _____

If you will have a team in **both** leagues on same nite, do you want us to try to schedule non-conflicting game times? (Y/N). If Yes - please list team names/league nite _____
(We will **try** to schedule separate game times but it **cannot** be guaranteed. This may mean that games times might not be scheduled consecutively – i.e. you may have split game times.)

Registration Form & Payment must be **RECEIVED IN FULL**, by **Friday, March 25, 2022**, (all will be accepted anytime up **until** the due date!!)

Returning teams from previous year will be given first priority for their same spot in the league – only if payment is received by the due date. Fees not received in full by March 25th means your team will not be put on the schedule. If there is a team on the waiting list they will be given your spot.

League play begins Sunday, April 24, 2022

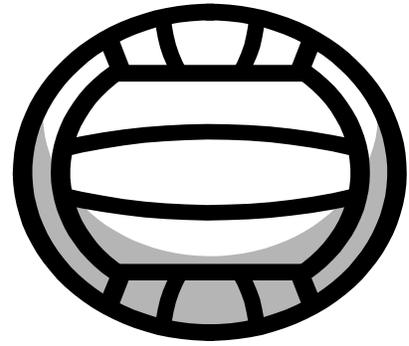
Team Captains will be contacted as early as possible before April 24th for first game time. Rosters must be handed in at first game otherwise your team will not be allowed to play. Schedules will be emailed to captains prior to first game, available on-line and posted in the hallway of Gators.

League Fees Payable by **Cash or Check**, made payable to **Gator's Pub** and mail or drop off with Registration Form to:

Deb McGee
354 Benedict Road
Harrisville, R.I. 02830

Please, **DO NOT DROP PAYMENTS OFF AT GATOR'S PUB.** If they are left at the Pub and not accounted for, your team may not make the league.

Any questions or if you are looking to put a NEW team in the league, please contact Deb at djmcee@cox.net or CALL 401.769.2594 for availability.



TEAM NAME: _____ (2022)

(**Must be turned in first nite of play**)

THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS AGREE TO RELEASE TDM ENTERPRISES INC. D/B/A GATOR'S PUB AND IT'S STOCKHOLDERS FROM ANY LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY RESULTING FROM ANY FORSEEABLE AND REASONABLE NEGLIGENCE IN THE PARTICIPATION OF VOLLEYBALL OR ANY OTHER PHYSICAL ACTIVITY TAKING PLACE AT GATOR'S PUB AT ANY TIME.

PRINT NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE

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ROSTER SHEET

Captains

As always, we ask that you review the following league information and rules and pass along to your players. We ask that you pay special attention to the clarifications and/or changes to the following league rules for the upcoming season:

COVID PROTOCOL - Captains will be notified if any policies are deemed necessary as the season progresses

PARKING - Players/Refs are to park across the street from the upper Gator's Pub lot in the area provided and use the sidewalk to the traffic light for safety when crossing the road.

MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND – Sunday/Monday

Games will be scheduled on Memorial Day Weekend – Sunday, May 29th and Monday, May 30th

FOURTH OF JULY WEEKEND – Sunday / Monday

There will be **NO** games on Sunday, July 3rd or Monday, July 4th

BEER TICKETS ARE BACK FOR 2022 - Winners of beer tickets each week (for winning 2 out of 3 games) must be used that evening (by either your team or you may choose to give it to another team)

Tickets **cannot** be accumulated for future use. Free pitcher tickets will apply to domestic beer only.

During Playoffs, Beer Tickets go to losing team

NO GLASS IS TO LEAVE THE DECK – PLEASE HELP US with this. Broken glass anywhere on the courts can lead to a very serious injury!!!

NO ALCOHOL IS TO LEAVE THE DECK - Not even in paper cups

Any under aged player found attempting to order alcoholic beverages or drinking on Pub property while under aged will IMMEDIATELY be suspended from the league. Gator's Pub takes this infraction extremely seriously so please, do not ruin the integrity of the volleyball league and the restaurant's reputation by attempting this

No Water Bottles or Coolers are allowed on the Deck – outside alcohol is not allowed on the deck or Gator's Pub property

ROSTER / SCORE SHEETS - Captains must list all players, **please print first and last names**, in that evening's match before games start. If a player arrives late, be sure to add them to your list. **Please complete this form all season long**, even if you feel players have enough games for the playoffs, so there becomes no question for eligibility. Referees are not responsible for signing players in

At the end of your match each nite, **Captains**, (or rep for team) please review the ref's scores sheets and initial your confirmation.

Please note: there will be **no changes** made to scoresheets once they are turned in, initialed or not, **including no or incomplete scores** written in for a match. In this case, there will be a 0 (zero) entered for both teams. So please, take the time to review that BOTH teams have the correct scores written in. (The only exception will be if a score was incorrectly keyed in when the stats were posted).

Errors do happen and/or scores do not get recorded as an unintentional oversight. It is your responsibility as the Captain (or rep for team) to be sure all gets turned in correctly. Thank you for your attention to this!!!

GAME TIMES - Games are scheduled to start on the hour **OR** 5 minutes after the previous match ends, whichever is later

Captains are responsible for getting their team on the court, ready to play, when the Ref starts the game. **Refs are not responsible for waiting for players to arrive**

Two (2) players are needed to start, one must be a female for CoEd

Teams not on the court at start time will lose **one (1) point for each minute they are not ready**

After 10 minutes/points, a **Forfeit** will be declared for Game 1

After 5 minutes into Game 2, a **Forfeit** will be declared for the nite

No Dogs/Pets Are Allowed on the Deck or anywhere within the Volleyball Courts/Fencing, with the exception of Service Animals

Gator's Volleyball League Information and Rules - 2022

Captains, please make sure your players are aware of the following, thanks:

League play begins Sunday, April 24, 2022 and runs for 15 weeks. If there are no postponements to the schedule, the 3 weeks following are reserved for playoffs. If cancellations happen, a determination will be made as to whether the games will be played or not and Captains will be informed. Games will be scheduled as soon as the schedule allows or at the end of the season. Please note this may extend the season.

Registration Fees are due by **Friday, March 25, 2022**. Mailing/Drop Off information for registration is provided on registration form - **DO NOT LEAVE REGISTRATION FORMS AND FEES AT GATOR'S PUB!!!!**

6's team - \$750

4's team - \$595

Any payments and registrations not received on time results in your team not being put on the schedule and we will move to the next team on the waiting list.

Team Names: League standings are published in The Woonsocket Call, The Valley Breeze, and on our website, www.gatorspubvolleyball.com. Gator's Pub is a family establishment so we ask that you give consideration to the team name you choose. The Pub reserves the right to modify team names. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Roster: All players must be listed and have signed the roster sheet. Roster sheets must be turned in the first nite of play. Someone will be at the court to collect them. If the roster is not turned in, your team will not be allowed to play. Extra forms will be with the referees

Substitutes: Subs **must be listed and have signed** a roster form before they play. Roster sheets will be online and with the refs if you add subs during the season. Substitutes can not be another player within the same league

Age: Players must be at least 16 years of age to play at the Pub. Upon their 16th birthday, they can start to play on a team during the season once a waiver sheet is turned in. [They must still make the minimum number of games to make the playoffs.] Any player under the age of 18, must have **written, parental consent** which must be turned in on their first nite of play, otherwise the player will be ineligible to play

Game Times: Games are scheduled for 6/7/8/9 p.m. (Sundays are 4/5/6/7/8/9 p.m.) To keep games on schedule, games will start promptly at 6:00, (4:00 on Sundays). Please come early if you wish to warm up

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CoEd Leagues:

The Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday CoEd B, 6's leagues are all INDEPENDENT of each other, meaning players can play on each nite.

Sunday/Thursday CoEd B, D1/D2

Once a player has played on **ONE** team in either D1 or D2, whether full-time or as a substitute player (even once), that player is now considered a D1 or D2 player and they can **ONLY** play on that team for the rest of the season (in other words, players may only play on ONE team in D1 and ONE team in D2, per CoEd B, league).

D1/D2 designation will not cross between the two nites, but count on the same nite.

D2 Teams

You can have **NO MORE** than a combination of **THREE** players from the D1 league (on that nite), **AND/OR** A's or 4's players from the current Gator's Pub Summer Volleyball League (Mon/Tues Nite Teams) on the court **AT ONE TIME**. If there is an excess of 3 players, the game will be forfeited.

D1 Teams

You can have **NO MORE** than a combination of **THREE** A's or 4's players from the current Gator's Pub Summer Volleyball League (Mon/Tues Nite Teams) on the court **AT ONE TIME**. If there is an excess of 3 players, the game will be forfeited.

Please make sure your players let you know if they play on another team within the Gator's Pub Leagues to be sure you aren't violating the player rule. Doing so will constitute a forfeit of your game.

We will do our best to slot teams in the appropriate divisions on Sunday & Thursdays. All will be dependent upon new teams within the leagues as well as where returning teams finished last season. There may be some teams who change divisions from last season

Divisions I and II will run as two independent leagues with their own schedules and playoff rounds. For this reason, we suggest if you are mixing players from both divisions, that you do so as substitute players. While we do our best to honor all captain requests for non-conflicting games, due to players within both divisions and the number of teams, it can get a bit overwhelming, especially at playoff time. If your team moves up or down a division, you may lose a player if they are already committed to another team.

CoEd Rule: If the ball is NOT returned over the net on the first hit, a female **must have** touched the ball at some point before it is sent over the net. (i.e. if the first hit is by a male and not returned over net on first hit a female must touch the ball on either the second or third hit)

For **Co-Ed** teams, you can have a maximum of three (3) male players, unlimited females

Ghost Rule: For **Co-Ed** teams, there must be at least 1 female on the court at all times, and a 'ghost' must be used for any missing female players when the males outnumber the females on your team. Ex. 1 female, 3 males = 2 'ghosts'. The 'ghost' **has to stay in rotation only for the serving position. When ghost reaches the serving position, you will lose both the serve and one (1) point.**

Tuesday Nites: Schedules will rotate weekly between 4's & 6's playing on both courts, i.e. 6:00/7:00 - all 4's teams will play, 8:00/9:00 - all 6's teams will play. Following week will be opposite.

Dropped Serve: There is one (1) dropped serve allowed per server, per rotation.

Playoffs: Players must have played in at least 3 (three) games during the season to qualify for the playoffs, (this is why it is important the captains complete the sign-in sheet.)

Clarification: A player must play in at least **one full game**, out of three (3), per evening **on three (3) separate nights during the season** to qualify for the playoffs.

The player **must play in a consistent rotation**, from first to last point for the entire game to qualify.

All teams in an 8-team league make the playoffs. The top 8 teams in leagues with 10 or 12 teams make the playoffs. If a league is not to full capacity (8 or 16 teams, depending on league) captains will be notified as to how many teams will make the playoffs.

Playoff Brackets: will be posted in the hallway and online with scheduled playing times. You will be contacted with your first game time. Please follow the brackets from there.

Injury Rule/PlayOffs: In the case of an injury and a substitute player has played less than 3 games, (one full match out of three, on 3 separate nites) to qualify for the playoffs, that particular league of captains will be polled on the team's choice of replacement. Majority vote will decide outcome. Votes are kept anonymous.

If the injury rule is needed and a vote is to be taken, please inform me if the vote for the injured player is for coverage for remainder of playoffs or on a week-to-week basis.

Gator's Pub takes injuries very seriously. If a player risks further injury by continuing to play, **please** use common sense and **do not let them play!!!!**

This is supposed to be a fun, recreational league. The Pub does not want to see anyone with an injury playing beyond their capabilities and risking further damage.

If teams use players during the playoffs that have not made enough games, the team will be disqualified from playoffs

If any player is in question for eligibility, please contact me so I can review the sheets - all requests are kept anonymous.

Inclement Weather: A decision will be made on the cancellation or postponement of games by 5:30 p.m. (3:30 on Sundays) on game nite. Captains only – please call Gators after 5:30/3:30, at 769-2220 to inquire about game play. Captains are responsible for notifying their players so please be sure to have contact phone numbers. Please, only captains (or one designee) call the Pub to question play. It becomes too overwhelming if every player on every team makes a call to Gator's

If you do not wish to play your scheduled match or need to forfeit for some reason, please contact Deb at djmcgee@cox.net or call 401.769.2594, as early as possible so I can try to contact the opposing team and inform them of their automatic win and not to show up to play. If the league is scheduled to play that evening and you do not show, it is an automatic forfeit. Individual matches may not be rescheduled because teams do not want to play, for whatever reason. Teams are NOT allowed to reschedule their own matches.

Cancellation decisions are made as late as possible to allow for games to be played on scheduled evenings. Unfortunately, weather patterns differ dramatically throughout the state so while it may be raining where you are, it may be clear at Gator's or vice-versa.

We may also choose to delay game times. If it seems as though showers may pass through the area (as is often the case), we may start games, pause play until a storm passes, then resume play. Games may then run a bit behind schedule, but again, we are trying to get them played. If, unfortunately, games are scheduled to be played, and then cancelled upon your arrival, we apologize in advance for any inconvenience. Please keep in mind that we can't control Mother Nature!!

Please bear with us as these situations arise. We are playing an outdoor sport in New England – weather becomes a factor we must contend with during the season

In the case of one team forfeiting, the opposing team's full roster will be considered as participating in the match and count towards the three (3) game playoff rule. This will also apply for both teams for non-rescheduled rainouts.

Rescheduled Games: In case of cancellations, games may be rescheduled as soon as the schedule allows (which may mean a game at the end of a regularly scheduled nite, i.e. 9:00 or 10:00 p.m.) OR at the end of the season, if a determination is made they will be played. Captains will be notified of rescheduled date, if needed. Make-up times will be posted in the hallway of the Pub.

In the case of a rescheduled game, league rules apply for signed in players participating in that night's matches.

Wait List: We have a running wait list for future teams and/or 'singles' players. If anyone wishes to be added or needs the name of a player, please contact me.

Referees: Please remember - we wouldn't be playing if we didn't have refs!!!!!! If there are any problems or questions on the court during play, the captain (or designated captain if captain is out) is to be the **only player** to approach the ref to discuss an issue.

Refs have final decision on a call.

Reprimand: If a player is reprimanded by a referee, the player will receive a warning.

If the ref must reprimand a player a second time, the player must leave the court for the remainder of the evening. (If the player is in a second league that nite, he/she will not be allowed into the second match).

If a player is reprimanded a third time **during the season**, he/she will immediately be suspended from the league and will not be allowed to return to Gator's volleyball league.

BBQ: The end of the year barbecue date is set for Sunday, September 18, 2022 from noon until 3:00, on the deck – so mark it on your calendar. All are welcome!! Please come and enjoy free food & drinks as a final good-bye to the summer!! First place prizes are awarded to the first place team of the play-offs and second place prizes are awarded to the team placing first in the season. If this should be the same team, the runner up in the play-offs receives the second place prize. If your team is expecting to win a prize and can't make the barbecue, please send someone to pick them up for you. Otherwise, they will be held at the Pub for two (2) weeks afterward for pick up. Please be sure to get them by then otherwise Gator's will no longer hold them.

The number of prizes awarded to a winning team is based on each particular league, i.e. An Any-4's team will get 4 prizes; a Co-Ed 6's team will get 6 prizes.

Each year at the BBQ, we have a limited number of extra prizes for sale. Please contact me either before the BBQ or see me during if you wish to make a purchase.

CAPTAINS – IF YOU WOULD PLEASE RELAY THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO ALL PLAYERS AS A REMINDER REGARDING SAFETY FOR PLAYERS AND CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE:

Safety: For the safety of players, fans and especially children in attendance – **CHILDREN ARE NOT TO BE LEFT UNATTENDED.** In order to prevent any accidents, children **WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PLAY** in the sand area at the entrance of the volleyball courts. They must stay either on the wall facing courts or on the deck with supervision. We appreciate your efforts to keep everyone out of harms way.

Unfortunately, in the past, we have had to revert to stopping games being played and have the player related to the child come off the court and supervise the child.

If the game has to be stopped for the player to get their child, the player **will not** be allowed back into that game to play. They will have to wait until the next game starts to come back into the game.

We have implemented this rule to enforce the safety of our players and visiting children. We have had many players comment that it becomes a distraction when games are

stopped due to unsupervised children. Please do not put the refs or the staff in this awkward position. Thank you for your help!!

For any further league clarification, concerns or questions, feel free to contact or catch up to us on the Courts!

THIS IS A FUN LEAGUE - PLEASE MAKE IT ENJOYABLE FOR YOURSELF AND OTHERS PLAYING!!

THANKS FOR JOINING US!

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