

# **Our Core Values**

What we're all about...

# Growth

# Simplicity

# Commitment

# Competition





To grow volleyball in the Northeast by training and developing athletes in a positive, professional, & growth-oriented environment.

# **Our Goals**

- Cultivate a lifelong love of volleyball and competition
- Create a positive volleyball culture
- Develop the best teams in the region at all ages



# **Our Leadership Team**



Garrett Minyard Co-Founder & Director





Shawn Hoyt Youth & Regional Program Director

NORTHEAST



Director of

S&C; Travel

Coordinator

Frog Ogilvie Director of Operations & Staffing



Jon Mercado Co-Founder & Boys Club Director

# **Our Coaches**





#### Frog Ogilvie



## Jacob Butkus



## 16-1

#### Jon Mercado



#### **Austin Brown**



### 17-1

#### **Kevin Marino**



### Moe Renzulli



## 15-1

#### Joe Liousfi



### **Brian Broesler**



## **18-2**

### Henryk Teraszkiewicz



#### 16-2 Carol Ortiz



#### **Lucas Grevers**



17-2

#### Ardi Kodzodziku



15-2

Sandy Doski



14-1

Betty Zhang





### 14-2

**Nick Johnson** 



### Jon Mercado



16-3

#### Eleni Tsaparakis



# **Our Home - The NAC**

6 new professional-caliber courts

Taraflex flooring for superior injury prevention

Spectator area with protective netting

Athlete & parent lounge

Air conditioning and humidity control

Strength & Conditioning weight room

Indoor turf field area



# Our Leadership in the Community

Making a difference off the court

USAV, JVA, & AVCA Member Club

Received 2020 AVCA Innovation Award for our work during COVID-19 pandemic

Two AVCA Convention presentations in December 2022 and December 2023

30+ athletes received financial aid from Nectar Fund & NEVBC in '22-23 season

Provided training to coaches and volleyball community on inclusive language

Launched Adaptive Volleyball in 2023



# RICARDO PITTER Tryouts



# **Tryouts Overview**

- Open to all skill levels
- Closed tryout parents may not stay and watch tryouts
- Must attend at least 1 session, recommended to attend both sessions\*\*
- If only attending 1 session, email jon@northeastvbc.com and admin@northeastvbc.com.

\*\*If you cannot attend tryouts, we accept video submissions! **You must register for tryouts and email your highlights and/or game film to** <u>jon@northeastvbc.com</u> **by Friday October 6 (U14-16) or Friday October 13 (U17-18) to be considered.** 



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	Session	Age Group/Times	
	Friday, October 6th	U14 & U15: 4:30 - 6:30pm	
		U16: 7:00pm - 9:00 pm	
	Saturday, October 7th	U14 & U15: 9:00am - 12:00pm	
		U16: 2:00 - 5:00pm	
	Sunday, October 8th	U14 & U15: 2:00 - 3:30pm	
		U16: 3:30 - 5:00pm	NE VBC

Tryout Schedule - U	17 & U18
Session	Age Group/Times
Friday, October 13th	U17: 4:30 - 6:30pm
	U18: 7:00 - 9:00 pm
Saturday, October 14th	U18: 9:00am - 12:00pm
	U17: 2:00 - 5:00pm
Sunday, October 15th	U17 & U18: 4:00 - 5:30pm



# **Tryouts Registration Process**

 First, you must register for tryouts on our <u>League Apps Website</u>.
 Please check which age group you should register for using the 2023-2024 USAV Age Definition chart.

\*\*Registration is mandatory to attend tryouts!\*\*

Registration CLOSES Thursday, October 5th for U14, U15, & U16!

Registration CLOSES Thursday, October 12th for U17 & U18!



# **Evaluation & Selection Process**

We take pride in our evaluation process having integrity and being fair. Athletes will be evaluated using qualitative metrics, by a number of different coaches, over the course of their time in the gym.

We ensure a fair evaluation by briefing our staff about bias and excluding the evaluations of any athlete's current high school coach who may be part of our staff.



# **Evaluation & Selection Process**

**Four** key criteria are weighed when evaluating athletes:

1) Current Skill Level - "General Skills" and "Position Specific"

2) Physicality (i.e. height, speed, vertical jump) - Especially on Open teams

3) Coachability & Mindfulness - Ability to get feedback & make changes

4) Leadership & Communication - Essential to volleyball!

Other factors: Volleyball IQ, Commitment Level, Work Ethic, & Attitude



# Save the Date Pre-Tryout Clinic

# Wednesday, October 4th, 6-8PM \$20 per athlete

ALL proceeds benefit the Nectar Volley Fund, NEVBC's 501c3 scholarship fund.

All ages and levels welcome!

## **REGISTER FOR PRE-TRYOUT CLINIC!**



# **Financial Aid**





### NECTAR VOLLEY

EVERYONE

VBC

LET'S CHAT!

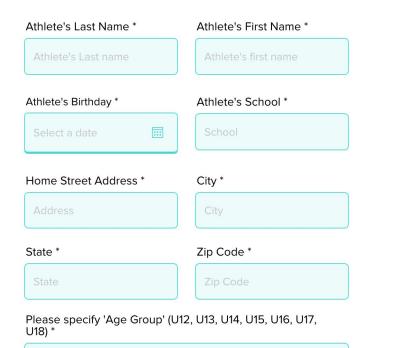
## APPLY NOW

www.nectarvolley.org

CAN

PLAY

# **Application Process**



Add answer here

# www.nectarvolley.org

Parent/Guardian First Nam	e *	Parent/Guardian Last I	Name
First Name	Ð	Last Name	Ð
Parent/Guardian Email *			
Parent/Guardian Email *		Parent/Guardian Cell F	hone *

ALL Parent(s)/Guardian(s) are required to upload your 2022 IRS Form 1040 or 1040A in order to be considered for financial aid. If you are having trouble uploading the file please take a picture or scan and email to info@nectarvolley.org.

Upload File 🕂

- All aid matched 100% by NEVBC
- Reviewed by independent board (no NEVBC coaches or directors)
- Independent of team selection process
- Applications due <u>before</u> tryouts
- Tax forms required

# **Nectar Volley Fund & Financial Aid**

# Ways to Donate:

- Visit <u>www.nectarvolley.org/donate</u>
- Venmo: <u>@nectarvolley</u>
- Check to Nectar Volley Fund drop off with NAC front desk

How to Apply: <u>www.nectarvolley.org</u>

Questions? Reach out to the Nectar Volley board at info@nectarvolley.org

# Our Boys Teams



# 3's Teams

## **Program Emphasis:**

- Building effective training habits & skill development
- Having FUN through training and competition
- Equitable playing time opportunities

## Team # and Roster Size:

- 1-2 teams
- Roster size: 10+ athletes

## Schedule

- 20 week season (Oct 16 Mar 9)
- 4 multi-day tournaments

## Cost: \$2,900

\*No additional travel or uniform fee. Athlete transportation / hotels are not included.





# **U14-U18 2's Teams**

## **Program Emphasis:**

- Learning systematic play & training fundamentals
- Competitive tournament schedule with equitable playing time opportunities

## **Roster Size:**

• 10-11 Rostered & 2-3 Practice Players

## Schedule

- 20 week club season (Oct. 16/19th Mar. 9th)
- 3x weekly practices / 1x weekly S&C workout
- 5 multi-day tournaments



## Cost:

- **\$3,800**, U15 Club, U16 Club, & U17 Club
- \$3,600 U14 Club

\*No additional travel or uniform fee. Athlete transportation / hotels are not included.



# **U15-U18 1's Teams**

## **Program Emphasis:**

- Train to compete at the next level
- Exposure to tough competition with playing time based on merit

## **Roster Size:**

• 10-11 Rostered & 2-3 Practice Players

## Schedule

- 20 week club season (Oct 19th Mar. 9th)
- 3x weekly practices / 2x weekly S&C workouts
- 6/7 multi-day tournaments



## Cost:

- **\$5,100** for U17 Open & U18 Open
- **\$4,700** for U16 Open
- \$4,300 for U15 Open
- + \$400 for AAU Nationals (billed in May for training and AAUs in June/July)

\*No additional travel or uniform fee. Athlete transportation/hotels not included.



# Practice & Tournament Schedule



# **NEVBC Tournament Schedule**

#### Home for the Holidays

Dec. 2 & 3 Fitchburg, M.A Teams: All

#### **Boys Winter VB Championship**

Jan. 13, 14, 15 Chicago, IL Teams: 15-1, 16-1, 17-1, 18-1

#### Steel City Boys Championship

Feb. 10 & 11 Pittsburg, PA Teams: 15-1, 16-1, 17-1, 18-1

#### Rust Bucket Challenge

Dec. 9 & 10 Harrisburg, P.A Teams: All Teams except 14-2 & 16-3

#### <u>Florida Fest</u>

Jan. 26, 27, 28 Ft. Lauderdale, FL Teams: 16-1, 17-1, 18-1\_

#### **NEVBC Invitational**

Feb. 18 (vs. Smash) Norwalk, CT (@ NAC) Teams: All

#### AAU Atlantic City

Jan. 6 & 7 Atlantic City, N.J Teams: All Teams

#### **AAU Grand Prix**

<u>Feb. 3-4</u>

Mohegan Sun, CT Teams: All Teams except 15-1, 16-1, 17-1, 18-1

#### **Boston Mizuno Festival**

Feb. 23, 24, 25 OR Mar. 1, 2, 3 Boston, MA Teams: All Teams

#### NEVBC Travel Coordinator: kate@northeastvbc.com

# **NEVBC Boys Practice Schedule**

#### NEVBC Boys U14-1

Mondays - 4:30-6:30 pm Thursdays - 4:30-6:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### NEVBC Boys U14-2

Mondays - 4:30-6:30 pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### **NEVBC Boys U15-1**

Mondays - 7:00-9:30 pm Thursdays - 5:30-7:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### NEVBC Boys U15-2

Mondays - 7:00-9:30 pm Thursdays - 5:30-7:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### NEVBC Boys U16-1

Mondays - 4:30-7:00 pm Thursdays - 4:30-7:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### NEVBC Boys U16-2

Mondays - 7:00-9:30 pm Thursdays - 5:30-7:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### **NEVBC Boys U16-3**

Mondays - 7:30-9:30 pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### NEVBC Boys U17-1

Mondays - 6:30-9:30 pm Thursdays - 4:30-7:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### NEVBC Boys U17-2

Mondays - 4:30-7:00 pm Thursdays - 7:30-9:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### **NEVBC Boys U18-1**

Mondays - 6:30-9:30 pm Thursdays - 5:30-8:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

#### NEVBC Boys U18-2

Mondays - 4:30-7:00 pm Thursdays - 7:30-9:30pm Saturdays - 8-11am OR 12-3pm

# Strength & Conditioning

# NORTHEAST

## 1's (Open) Teams:

- Weekly Team Lifts in NAC Weight Room
- Essential Circuits (weekday practices)

## 2's & 3's (Club) Teams:

• Essential Circuits (weekday practices)

## All Teams:

• Can register for <u>Northeast S&C classes</u>: Speed & Agility, Strength Training, Vert Training, & Position-Specific Training

S&C Director: kate@northeastvbc.com



# What To Expect

## Weight Room Workouts:

- Building Strength & Elasticity
- Injury prevention especially shoulder stability and the posterior chain strength and stability

## **Essential Circuits**

- Sessions will be on court and will include training specific to each volleyball position and/or skill
- Integrating strength and conditioning into volleyball movement patterns, footwork, and skills training



# Partnerships





New Partnership this year

All Club & Open teams

## **Benefits of Balltime**

- Create highlight videos faster
- Easily make Reels and vertical format videos
- Easily export to Youtube
- Comprehensive stat breakdowns & reports





# **College Recruiting**

Our College Recruiting team helps guide athletes through the process.

- Meetings: Athletes can book
  <u>virtual meetings</u> via Calendly
- **Feedback**: Quick feedback on videos and draft emails
- **Exposure:** Networks of coaches
- **SportsRecruits** Optional add on (digital recruiting platform)

### www.northeastvbc.com/recruiting















SPRINGFIELD COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL











Club Teams: UConn, Marist, Michigan State, Santa Clara, & Virginia Tech







# **Ren Athletics**

### Boy's Open Team - Mandatory Package Starting at \$0.00





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FLEX CUSTOM SLEEVELESS JERSEY -LIGHT BLUE

FLEX CUSTOM SLEEVELESS JERSEY -ORANGE



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FLEX CUSTOM SLEEVELESS JERSEY -NAVY



FLEX CUSTOM TRAINING SHORTS -BLACK



TWO-WIND JACKET -BLACK/CHARCOAL





# Uniform orders are due the same day as team placements!

























# Thank you!

See you at tryouts!

