

BERGEN COUNTY WOMEN COACHES ASSOCIATION

Forty-Fourth Annual Volleyball Tournament

2018

To Qualify:

All teams with a .500 winning percentage or better will qualify for the tournament, based on matches played up to and including Monday, October 1st .

Teams with below .500 records may apply for entrance into the tournament and will be considered if there are fewer than 32 qualifying teams. Only 32 teams will be selected and seeded. Below .500 applicants will be seeded appropriately (not necessarily 30, 31, 32)

Entries:

Signed entries must be **postmarked no later than Tuesday, October 2nd**. Regardless of the reason, matches not completed by Monday, October 1st will not count.

Please follow the link below (or copy and paste the link into your browser) and submit your electronic forms on Google Docs. Be sure to click on your school's tab at the bottom of the page. Once completed, forms may be printed from Google for signature.

<https://tinyurl.com/yb8myeor>

Please submit forms via Google Docs no later than Monday, October 1st .

Submission of a form indicates intention to enter the tournament. Please make certain your form is blank if you do not intend to enter.

Please mail a signed hard copy of entry forms and rosters, with payment, to the tournament co-directors:

Melissa Landeck / Beth Powell
Northern Valley Regional High School -Old Tappan
Central Avenue
Old Tappan, NJ 07675

Entry Fee: (to be included with your signed, mailed application)

BCWCA member schools: \$100

Non-member schools: \$125

Please remit check with entry form. Checks should be made out to: **Bergen County Women Coaches Association.** Failure to have the entry fee paid will result in disqualification.

Seeding:

The seeding committee will meet on Tuesday, October 2nd. Brackets will be posted on www.bcwca.us that evening.

Tournament Schedule:

<u>Round</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Preliminary	AT HIGHER SEED	<u>play by</u> Saturday, October 6	TBA
			(Note: Oct. 6th is an SAT test date)
Round of 16	Old Tappan	October 13	1:00, 2:30, 4:00, 5:30 1:30, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00
Quarter Finals	Old Tappan	October 20	11:00, 12:30, 2:00, 3:30
Semi Finals	Old Tappan	October 26	5:00, 6:30
Finals	Old Tappan	October 28	2:00

Officials:

Preliminary Round Officials for the preliminary round will be hired and paid for by the higher seed (home team). The lower seed (visiting team) will provide their own transportation. BOTH teams will provide a (JV / student) line judge.

Round of 16 & Onward Officials for all other rounds of the tournament will be assigned and paid for by the BCWCA. The BCWCA will assign referees as line judges from the Round of 16 onward.

Rules:

The 2018 National Federation Volleyball Rules will govern all tournament matches. Game balls will be provided from the Round of 16 on.

General Information:

Results of all Preliminary Round games must be e-mailed to: LANDECK@NVNET.ORG

The winning team is responsible for providing the results/statistics of the game to the newspapers.

Brackets will be posted on www.bcwca.us on October 2nd.

Admission to all games will be: (beginning with the Round of 16) – **Please inform your fans.**

Adults: \$5.00

Students: \$3.00

Senior Citizens: \$3.00

All County Seeding / Selection Committees:

The All County Seeding / Selection Committee shall consist of seven representatives with:

- a minimum of two head coaches from the Big North, a minimum of two head coaches from the NJIC
- the head coach of the previous year's County Championship team (seeding); this year's County Championship (selection)

All County Selection:

Only players who have been selected 1st Team All League are eligible for All County recognition.

Twelve players will be chosen for each All County team.

We will ask all head coaches who have a player to be considered for 1st, 2nd, or 3rd team All County recognition to submit their player's statistics and a 100 word summary of their accomplishments using the "All County Volleyball Nomination Form" that will be emailed to all head volleyball coaches. Coaches are asked to email this form to LANDECK@NVNET.ORG no later than November 7th.

The selection committee will meet on November 12th .

Coaches may attend the pre-selection meeting on November 12th at 4:00 pm if they wish to speak before the selection committee about their athlete(s). Attendance is not mandatory for an athlete to be considered.

If you have any questions, please contact the tournament directors:

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