MAX PERFORMANCE VOLLEYBALL CLUB

2021-2022 PARENT INFORMATION

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We are Coach Erika Vassal and Coach Tara Dasilveira, Co-Directors of Max Performance Volleyball Club and we are excited you chose MPVC. You can reach us via e-mail at <u>directors@vbmaxperformance.com</u>

CONTACT INFORMATION

- Each coach has an e-mail address that was sent out in the initial team e-mail. You can use that e-mail to contact your coach at any time.
- The most direct form of communication is a text or call.
 If an athlete is going to be out and it's unexpected etc.
 Each coach will establish a team group chat. If you as the parent would like to be included in that please let your coach know and they can take care of adding you in.
- Website and social media are updated routinely. Please use those tools for updates. Emails when sent in bulk can be sent to spam folders etc so using social media platforms is usually the most effective way.







PRACTICE LOCATIONS

Practice sites are between NB Voc and Forekicks Taunton. We will do our best to keep the sites and times consistent but we also have to be flexible in order to utilize both facilities. The schedule was sent to each team until Jan and currently we are working on getting individual team calendars up on the website so you can look ahead until end of season in April.

TOURNAMENTS

- AAU HOLIDAY CLASSIC DECEMBER 11TH AND 12TH (2 DAY EVENT)
 - Location is Fitchburg Mass- 200 Game on Way
 - https://www.neaauvolleyball.org/holiday-tournament
 - Only online tickets will be sold for this event. Spectators will
 purchase a pass online and receive an online ticket (QR
 Code) that can be scanned for entrance to the event. Ticket
 sales will become available approximately two weeks before
 the start of the event.
 - \$12 day pass
 - \$20 weekend pass





AAU Champions League:

January 29 OR 30

12 March 12 OR 13

13 April 9 OR 10

ADDITIONAL PREMIER TOURNAMENTS

- AAU Holiday Classic Dec 11TH AND 12TH (2 DAY EVENT)
- NERVA Wicked Good- Dec 18TH AND 19TH
 (PROVIDENCE CONVENTION CENTER)
- AAU Grand Prix- Feb 5-6 @Mohegan Sun arena
- Boston Nike Festival Boston convention center. Feb 25-27 are ages 12-16 and March 4-6 are ages 17-18



EVENTWEBSITES

AAU Event Information:

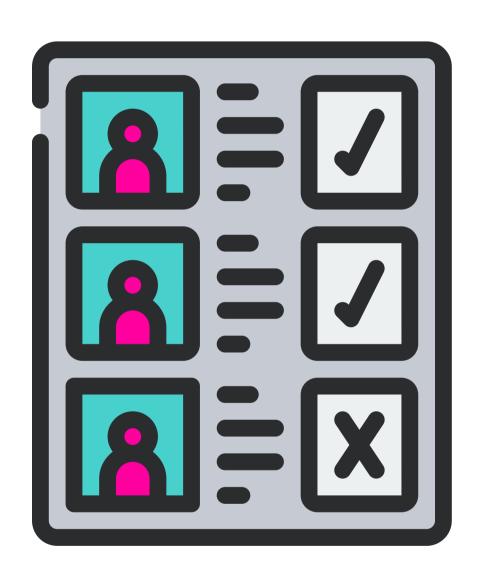
• https://www.neaauvolleyball.org links for information like admission etc are located on the event day page.

Nerva Event Information:

- Nerva events <u>REQUIRE</u> a nerva membership. We will be starting that process this week one team at a time. They have to be completed in order for your athlete to get on the roster for a nerva event.
- https://jvctournaments.com/NewEnglandEvents <a href="https://jvctournaments.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.com/NewEnglandEvents.co

ATTENDANCE

- If you know of a scheduling conflict please let your coach know so they can plan accordingly.
- 14C Coach Abby and 18C Coach Tiff are both club groups
 with a large enough number can be split in two groups for
 tournament play. We anticipate there will be some tournaments
 that require the group to stay together when several athletes
 are missing the same event. We need to know ahead of time so
 we we can let the tournament directors know how many teams
 of each level.
- Practice attendance is important to know as well. The coach makes a plan based off of how many athletes they anticipate having so please notify them ahead of time.





Final edits are being completed and a full copy of the handbook will be uploaded to the website but we want to just review a few things in case there are questions.

PLAYING TIME

We believe that the growth of players comes from practice. Our coaches will set up an environment in practice to challenge each player and make that as equal opportunity as possible. Playing time doesn't always work out that way. At the club level coaches do there best to make adequate playing time for each player. However, if at a tournament a team is stuck in a rotation for 7–8 points and an athlete is waiting for their turn to sub in that might not happen. The amount of potential circumstances are unlimited but the point is coaches do there best to get everyone playing time but also make the decisions that are best for the team as a whole. At the premier level those decisions are based more in competitive nature. Yes, coaches still attempt to make sure athletes all get playing time but the emphasis isn't on equal minutes it's on the coaches determination about what is going to put that team in the most competitive spot.





that is the ultimate goal.

24 HOUR RULE

This brings us to the 24 hour rule. Before and after practice or games we ask our coaches to be focused on your athletes. Having an organized plan, making sure the athletes are prepared and ready to go. THIS IS NOT THE TIME to approach a coach who is responsible for 10-12 athletes and ask them to engage in conversation surrounding your athlete. We know if your having a concern addressing it is important to you. It's important to us as well but in the right context. We ask that if any situation arises parents adhere to a 24 hour rule. Wait 24 hours from the end of that practice or tournament and then reach out to the coach and ask to set up a time to discuss your concerns. Giving this period of time

almost always allows for a productive conversation and

- Forekicks spectator policy
- Mask mandate is a facility policy. Please be prepared
- Covid-19 protocol: If you are having symptoms please stay home. If you've had a positive test please let us know. We follow CDC guidelines and will notify any team that has had a direct exposure. A direct exposure is defined as someone within 6 feet, without a mask, for longer than 15 minutes. We will notify any team that has a positive case and each parent can make that determination on testing there athlete.
- Medical release paperwork will be required before the first tournament. We will send the specific paperwork via e-mail. It will be different for club and premier.





- Fundraising please e-mail coach Tiff at coachtiff@vbmaxperformance.com
- Payment plans
 coachtara@vbmaxperformance.com
- First payment is due on or before Dec 4. Invoices will be sent via PayPal you can pay it online which is preferred but check or cash is accepted. Payments should be maid directly to Coach Erika or Coach Tara. We try to avoid adding that responsibility to individual coaches when possible. One of us will usually be outside of the practice courts on weekend practices.

If you have any questions regarding any of the information gone over please email the directors at directors@vbmaxperformance.com

