

2018 Volleyball Victoria State Beach Volleyball Team Trials U15, U17, and U19

Volleyball Victoria invites any interested junior athletes to attend selection trials for the 2018 State Beach Team Program.

The Victorian State Beach Team will travel to Bunbury, WA to compete in the **Australian Junior Beach Volleyball Championships** 25th April – 29th April 2018.

TRIAL REGISTRATION:

All athletes trialling must register online www.volleyballvictoria.com.au and complete the Athlete Agreement. The **trial fee of \$35.00** must be paid when registering online.

Trials are open to individual athletes seeking partners and pairs wishing to trial for the State Beach Team.

- Coaches and Selection Coaches will select age groups of a maximum 10 athletes after the trials.
- Teams may be finalised during this process as well – information TBC
- It is highly recommended that all athletes selected in the squads play as much as they can over the summer break, and with fellow athletes selected in the squad
- Official training for teams will commence at the end of January 2018 - TBC

ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY:

To be eligible for 2018 Victorian State Team selection, players must be active in clubs and associations throughout Victoria and **must have an individual player registration with Volleyball Victoria.**

AGE GROUP ELIGIBILITY	
Under 15	Younger than 15 years of age, and does not turn 15 years of age during 2018
Under 17	Younger than 17 years of age, and does not turn 17 years of age during 2018
Under 19	Younger than 19 years of age, and does not turn 19 years of age during 2018

**Please note that the U15's division will consist of three (3) athletes. – Details TBC*

For further information please contact:

Program Coordinator – Scott Davidson

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Trial 1: **Saturday 11 November**, South Melbourne Beach
Opposite the corner of Beaconsfield Parade and Victoria Ave, Albert Park

U15 Girls & U15 Boys – 9:00am to 11:00am, arrive by 8:30am
U17 Boys & U19 Men – 11:30am to 1:30pm, arrive by 11:00am
U17 Girls & U19 Women – 2:00pm to 4:00pm, arrive by 1:30pm

Trial 2: **Saturday 25 November**, South Melbourne Beach
Opposite the corner of Beaconsfield Parade and Victoria Ave, Albert Park

U15 Boys – 9:00am to 11:00am, arrive by 8:45am
U17 Boys, and U19 Men – 9:00am to 11:30am, arrive by 8:45am

U15 Girls – 12:30pm to 2:30pm, arrive by 12:15pm
U17 Girls, and U19 Women – 12:30pm to 3:00pm, arrive by 12:15pm

Trial 3: **Sunday 3 December**, South Melbourne Beach (*Previously Sun - 26th November*)
Opposite the corner of Beaconsfield Parade and Victoria Ave, Albert Park

Teams finish when they are eliminated from the draw which can be any time between 1-5pm. The 3rd trial will utilise Round 3 of the Victorian Beach Volleyball Series, where State team athletes will be partnered up with another eligible athlete and enter the competition. This trial will be utilised through final rankings and paired with selection coaches notes from the first two trials.

VicBeach Round 3
Sign-in: 8am-8:30am sharp – games start at 9am.



Athletes are **not** to wear National or State uniforms at these selection trials. It is expected that all athletes attend the above trials unless been advised otherwise by the coaching staff. If you cannot attend one of the above trials, it is expected that you advise the Program Coordinator via email beforehand.

The total 2018 Athlete Levy will be finalised by the end of the selection trials. All selected athletes/families must pay by the due date as these funds are required for specific pre-AJBVC expenses and deposits.