

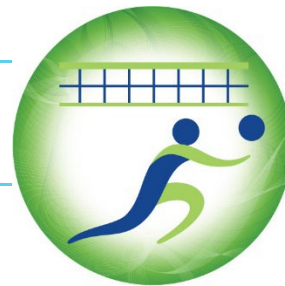
AGE GROUP

15U - Athletes born September 1, 2010 to December 31, 2011

ZONE TEAM COMPOSITION

The maximum team size shall be:

4 Athletes per Zone	(# of females 2 # of males 2)
2 coaches or chaperones	(# of females 1 # of males 1)



FILL POLICY

- The first opportunity to fill is provided to the Host Zone.
- The second opportunity to fill is provided to the Zone with the greatest participation at their respective selection camp.

*Fills must be submitted for approval to the Multisport Games Unit by **June 16, 2026**.*

ELIGIBILITY

For Alberta Games Eligibility information please visit <https://albertasummergames.ca/sport-information/>.

Athletes

- Current provincial team members are NOT eligible.
- Athletes must be registered as competitive members with Volleyball Alberta.
- Athletes must represent the Alberta Games Zone in which they reside. The Alberta Games Zone List by Community will be used to confirm Zone of residence

Coaches/Chaperones

All coaches and chaperones must be at least eighteen (18) years old by the start of the Alberta Games.

- **NCCP Certification** - A minimum of one (1) member per team of the staff registered as coaches must be fully Certified to a minimum Volleyball Development Coach in the National Coaching Certification (NCCP) Program. All additional team coaches must be minimally Trained at the Volleyball Development level.
- **Safe Sport** - SafeSport Requirements for all coaches and chaperones must be submitted to the Provincial Sport Coordinator by the time a team is named:
 - Must have a clear criminal records and vulnerable sector check from within the last three (3) years, or less if required by your organization's policies.
 - As per the Volleyball Person in Authority Requirements must have a clear screening disclosure form.
 - Must have completed the CAC Safe Sport Training.

Note: Where a coach or chaperone has been substituted after the registration deadline leading into the Games, they must have the above completed and verified with Mission Staff no later than 48 hours prior to the start of the Alberta Games.

AFFILIATION

All athletes, coaches and chaperones must be registered as full members (VA competitive membership) in order to participate in the Alberta Games. For membership information, visit: *How to Register* page on our website.

ENTRY AND ZONE PLAYOFF PROCEDURES

- Athlete tryouts will occur in late May/early June after the indoor volleyball season is completed.
- Coaches will be selected six (6) months prior to the Alberta Summer Games
- Athletes are only eligible to try out for one (1) Zone (Alberta Games Zone of primary residence).

To determine the date and location of Zone playoffs/selection please visit: www.volleyballalberta.ca or www.albertasummertimegames.ca

ALBERTA GAMES REGISTRATION FEE AND DEADLINE

All Zone team athletes, who qualify to compete at the 2026 Alberta Winter, are required to pay an individual registration fee of \$80.00. This fee will offset the costs related to transportation, accommodation, meals, Zone identification, medals, athlete entertainment and sport competitions. *Information on the collection of this fee(s) will be updated by early 2026.*

Upon qualifying for the Zone team, players will be charged an additional Volleyball Alberta fee to cover the costs associated with the team. This fee will be determined by Volleyball Alberta and will be announced with the tryout information. The additional VA fee will cover the zone selection camps court rental, zone training court rental, Coach EPIC and certifications, AWG uniforms, coach honorariums, tournament support and athlete travel, officials for competition and official development.

Please note the ASG registration deadline for Volleyball, including fills, is **June 2nd, 2026**.

EVENT FORMAT

- Eight (8) Team Female Tournament
- Eight (8) Team Male Tournament
- Tournament will be a full round robin followed by playoffs

Tournament governed by the 2025-2026 Volleyball Canada Rules and the 2026 Volleyball Alberta Beach Player Handbook.

PROTEST PROCEDURES

As per the 2026 Volleyball Alberta Beach Player Handbook.

EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS

Mikasa VLS300 will be the official ball for the Alberta Summer Games.

PROVINCIAL SPORT COORDINATOR

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ZONE SPORT REPRESENTATIVE

The Provincial Sport Coordinator, indicated above, has been appointed by Volleyball Alberta to serve as the primary contact and leader of the association's participation in the Alberta Games. For any questions about Beach Volleyball in the Alberta Games, contact the Provincial Sport Coordinator, or visit www.volleyballalberta.ca