



May Madness Volleyball Tournament Registration Form

Location: Austin Recreation Center. 1301 Shoal Creek Blvd, Austin, TX 78701

Time: 12:30 – 6:00 PM

Format: Each player will participate in 3 single set matches for pool play. Teams will be seeded to form a single elimination playoff bracket that all teams will be able to compete in.

Age: 18+ years

Cost: \$10/resident - \$15/non-resident

Skill Level: Low BB/High B players

Prize: Winning team will receive a May Madness medal.

Additional Info

This tournament is governed by [USAV rules](#) except for the following:

Tournament Format

- Six teams will be placed in a single pool. Teams will be drafted the morning of by six captains chosen. The captains will be chosen by position and will be contacted by the tournament commissioner. Setters will most likely be chosen as captains.
- Teams will participate in three random pool play matches each before advancing to playoffs, ensuring every team plays at least one playoff game.
- Pool play will be rally scoring single set matches to 25. Playoff games will be a best-of-3 series to 25 (3rd set will be to 15, if needed). Both pool play and playoff games will be capped at 27 (17 for the 3rd set). Designated score may change depending on the time available.
- Based on the results of pool play, all teams will be seeded in the playoffs using the following criteria
 - o Overall record of your sets plays
 - o Total point differential
 - o In case of a tie, we will go to a coin flip
- Each team is allowed one, 1 minute timeout per set.
- The serving team is decided by a coin flip from the up-ref. The winner taking choice of serve or playing side. The teams will change serve and sides at the end of each game of the same match.

Facility Rules and Information

- When the ball hits the basketball goal, it will be replayed in the referee's opinion based on:
 - o The ball would have landed in
 - o A player could have made a play on the ball had it not hit the goal.
- A serve hitting the backboard is a side out.
- The ceiling is live if the balls stays on the side of the court of which it hit the ceiling.
- When the ball hits the diver curtain, the ball will be declared dead. A player may hit the divider curtain, but not the ball. Players may not intentionally move the curtain before hitting the ball.

Misc.

- All games in the tournament will be self-officiated. Players that are in-between games are encouraged to volunteer as an up-ref, down-ref, or line judge.
- There is no "iron middle" or "iron libero" allowed.

- There will be no protest on judgment calls made by the officials.
- Snacks and drinks will be provided. Please feel free to bring your own but be mindful of the gym floor.
- All players will be required to sign a waiver upon entering the gym. You will not be allowed to participate if you do not sign.
- Please contact Arthur.Gagliano@austintexas.gov or call (512) 978-2674 if you are unable to make the tournament after registering.
- We recommend everyone arrive at 12:30 so we can go over the format, rules, and take a group photo before play starts.

REGISTRATION

Please fill out the below and send to Arthur.Gagliano@austintexas.gov to enter the tournament. This form can be sent as a Word document, PDF, or a screenshot from your phone to the above email address. You will be emailed a receipt as confirmation that you are successfully in the May Madness tournament. All boxes below are required to enter.

Participant:

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|---|--|
| First & Last Name: | |
| Phone: | |
| Email: | |
| City/State/Zip | |
| Primary Position: | |
| Secondary Position: | |
| VB Rating (C, B, BB, A): | |
| Interested in being a captain in the 6 team draft? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Call me for credit card information at

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Expiration Date: /

3-Digit Verification#: