



Co-Rec Sand Volleyball League - Registration Packet - Summer 2016

Dates:

- **Registration must be received no later than Friday, June 2, 2017 at noon.**
- League will run Saturday, June 10, 2017 through Saturday, August 12, 2017.
- Games will be played between 6:00pm and 8:00pm at the Butterfield Park District unless otherwise noted on schedule.

To Register:

- Team Captain must complete the attached Team Roster Form and return the completed packet to the Butterfield Park District at the following address:

Butterfield Park District
21W730 Butterfield Road
Lombard, IL 60148
(630) 858-2229

- All members of the team must sign the Butterfield Park District Waiver and Release of All Claims and the Butterfield Park District Co-Rec Sand Volleyball Rules and turn it in before the first game.

Payment Information:

- Team fee is \$125.
- Payment information is included on the Butterfield Park District Registration Form.
- Payment can be made by method of Cash, Check, Mastercard, Visa or Discover.
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Scheduling Information:

- Game schedules will be sent to the Team Captain via email.
- Game schedules will be subject to change and we encourage all Team Captains to check their emails for updates on their game schedules.

Number of Teams:

- The league has a minimum of four teams and a maximum of eight teams.

Contact Information for league information, questions and concerns

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Butterfield Park District
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BUTTERFIELD PARK DISTRICT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE RULES

THIS TOURNAMENT IS A RECREATIONAL EXPERIENCE. THERE WILL **NOT** BE CERTIFIED OFFICIALS AND OUR PARK DISTRICT STAFF WILL ACT AS OUR REFEREES. PLEASE NOTE THAT THEY ARE NOT CERTIFIED PROFESSIONALS, BUT THEIR DECISIONS ARE TO BE RESPECTED AND ADHERED TO. ANY ARGUING OR INAPPROPRIATE BEHAVIOR DIRECTED TOWARDS THEM CAN AND WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION FROM THE TOURNAMENT. THEY ARE GRANTED THE ABILITY TO MAKE ANY RULING WHICH IS DEEMED IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE PARK DISTRICT.

Governing Body:

1. The Butterfield Park District Recreation Department – Derek Hoffman, (630) 858-2229 ext. 11, derek@butterfieldpd.com
2. The League Supervisor will make the league schedule and collect all rosters and entry fees and shall rule on all matters affecting the league not covered in these rules.
3. All league and non-resident fees are due with a completed packet on the dates specified by the League Supervisor.
4. Team rosters: each team will be allowed to have 12 players on its roster. All players are required to sign the roster sheet before the first game and have a copy handed into the League Supervisor. Once the roster is turned in no changes can be made. Players can only play on one team.

The Schedule:

1. Regular Season Play
 - a. Regular season play consists of a round robin format.
 - i. Points: Win = 3 points; Loss = 0 points
 - b. Each regular season match consists of three games. Each game counts as a win or loss for each team.
 - c. If two or more teams are tied for any position at the end of the regular season, the following criteria, in order as stated, determine final league standings and post season seedings:
 - i. Any team with a forfeit during the regular season automatically loses all ties.
 - ii. Head-to-head record against all other teams involved in the tie.
 - iii. Point differential in head-to-head competition.
2. Post-Season Tournament
 - a. A single elimination post-season tournament is played immediately following regular season schedule.

League Rosters:

1. Rosters are limited to 12 players, all of whom must be 18 years of age or older prior to the first game of the season.
2. A final roster with all listed players' names, addresses, telephone and signature must be completed and submitted to the Park District prior to the first week of games. Any individual who participates prior to signing an official roster form shall be declared ineligible.
3. Only individuals listed on the official team roster are eligible for league play.
4. If a player participates PRIOR to signing the official roster, each game the player participated in is forfeited.
5. Men and women may only play on one team.
6. Roster Changes:
 - a. Roster additions or changes are not permitted after the third match of the regular season.
 - b. Players may be replaced in the event of a player's injury.
 - c. Any request to replace a rostered team member must be made to the League Supervisor.
 - d. Any replaced or removed player is ineligible for play on any team until the following season.
7. Player Eligibility:
 - a. Player eligibility must be challenged before the start of the game or prior to the end of the game and be made by the opposing Team Captain or Park District staff member.
 - b. The offending captain must then prove eligibility to the satisfaction of the Park District staff member.
 - c. If the player proves to be eligible, the game stands as played; if ineligible, and the game has started, the game is forfeited. All games played with ineligible players shall be declared a forfeit, including tournament play.
 - d. Any player whose eligibility has been challenged and does not have possession of a driver's license at the game site will be declared ineligible for the game.
 - e. Players are only allowed to play with one team.

League Play:

1. The league is divided into divisions based on the total number of teams participating. There will be two divisions if there are at least 6 teams participating.
2. The League Supervisor places teams in a division at the beginning of the season.
3. Forfeits:
 - a. Forfeit time for the first game in each match is five minutes after the scheduled start time. Each team must have a minimum of four players on the court, ready to play, at five minutes past the scheduled start time or the first game is forfeited. Forfeit time for the second and third game of each match is 20 minutes after the scheduled start time of the match.
 - b. If for any reason a team is reduced to less than four players a forfeit is ruled.
 - c. If a team knows in advance that it will need to forfeit a match, it is the responsibility of the Team Captain to contact the League Supervisor. The League Supervisor will then contact the forfeiting team's opponent to inform them of the forfeit. Teams should not contact each other without making the League Supervisor aware of the upcoming forfeit, or both teams receive three losses for the match.
 - d. If a team forfeits three matches, they are dropped from the league with no refund.

Player Conduct:

1. Team Captains are responsible for the conduct of their teams and team members at all times.
2. Team Captains are the official spokesperson for their team. The Team Captain is the only person on the team who may address the referee.
3. The referee has the authority to eject from the premises any player, substitute, or spectator who interferes with the orderly progress of the game. All warnings are given at the captain's meeting. Verbal abuse before, during or after the match as perceived by the referee as being in excess, threatening or unsportsmanlike results in ejection from the current match. If the match is over, the player is ejected from the next match.
4. If a player has been ejected from a match and continues the verbal abuse, he or she will be ejected for the entire season.
5. Any player who is abusive to a referee during tournament play will be ejected from the match. Continued abuse during or after the match results in ejection from the next season.
6. **ANY SMOKING, ALCOHOL OR LITTERING** on Park District property will result in immediate ejection from the league.

General League Rules:

1. In the event that an official cannot see a "line call", a replay shall be ruled.
2. First two games are played to 25 points; win by 2 with a cap at 27, rally-point scoring. The third game is played in all matches and is played to 15, with a cap at 17.
3. As standings are based on games, rather than matches, all three games must be played in each match. Exception: Tournament matches are best two games out of three to 25 points, win by 2 with no cap, rally-point scoring; the third game is played only if necessary to 25 points, win by 2 with no cap, rally-point scoring.
4. Each team is allotted two time outs per game. Time outs are 30 seconds in length regardless of which team calls the time out. Team Captains only may call time outs.
5. Teams are given three minutes between games.
6. All teams are given five minutes warm-up regardless of what time the previous game ends.
7. Teams will play with six players. Teams may play with four or five if needed.
8. If Co-Rec teams are playing with less than six players there must be at least one female player on the court. If there are six players on the court, there must be at least two female players on the court.
9. If a team begins play with six players on the court, they may not reduce the team to less than six players unless an injury occurs and there is no substitute available.
10. If a team starts with less than six players and the sixth player arrives after any game has started, he/she may enter the game as soon as play is whistled dead and the referee is notified of his/her entering the game. Sub must enter into a back row position. It must be in alternating male and female positions.
11. The unlimited substitution method OR the rotation method (not both) may be used for any one game. EXCEPTION: in case of injury when using the rotation method during the game, you may substitute for that injured player in the unlimited substitution method; you may substitute only for the same person each time in one game. EXAMPLE: Player C subs for Player A, only Player A may sub for Player C in the same game.



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12. Teams using the rotation method of substitution must use the same playing position for putting players into the game.
13. Team Captains must notify the official before each game about which method of substitution will be used. During the game the captain must notify the official if a substitution (not a rotation sub) is entering the game and for whom the sub is being made. This shall be done without any needless game delay or the official may award a point or side out, if in his/her opinion too much time has been used.
14. Substitutions may be made only after the ball has been declared dead by the official and before the next service.
15. Reaching over the net to spike a ball shall be called a fault. A portion of the ball must cross the plane of the net before it may be contacted.
16. You may have any portion of your foot or hand on the centerline under the net. At no time may any portion of your body completely cross the center line under the net or it is ruled a point or side out.
17. Park District Rules for All Facilities
 - a. A non-playing adult must supervise young children on the premises during league play. Parents of unsupervised young children are not eligible to participate on evenings they bring children. Violations will result in a team forfeit of the entire match.
 - b. Park District volleyballs are provided for match play only and are not to be used for team warm-up before or after match play. The balls should remain in the referee's possession at all times outside of match play.



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Butterfield Park District Waiver and Release of All Claims

(To be completed by all members of the team)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Butterfield Park District is committed to conducting its recreation programs and activities in a safe manner and holds the safety of participants in regard. The Butterfield Park District continually strives to reduce such risks, and insists that all participants follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to protect the participants' safety. However, participants and parents/guardians of minors registering for the above listed programs/activities must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate in recreational activities/programs.

You are solely responsible for determining if you or you minor child/ward are physically fit and/or skilled for the activities contemplated by this agreement. It is always advisable, especially if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way or recently suffered an illness, injury, or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical activity.

WARNING OF RISK

Recreational activities/programs are intended to challenge and engage the physical, mental and emotional resources of each participant. Despite careful and proper preparation instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury when participating in any recreational activity/program. Understandably, not all hazards and dangers can be foreseen. Depending on the particular activity, participants must understand that certain risks, dangers, and injuries due to inclement weather, slipping, falling, poor skill level or conditioning, carelessness, horseplay, unsportsmanlike conduct, premises defects, inadequate or defective equipment, inadequate supervision, instruction or officiating, and all other circumstances inherent to indoor and outdoor recreational activities/programs exist. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for the Butterfield Park District to guarantee absolute safety.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in signing up and participating in the Butterfield Park District identified programs/activities, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages, or loss which you or you minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with said programs/activities (including transportation services/vehicle operation, when provided).

I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in these programs/activities, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that my minor child/ward or I may sustain as a result of said participation. I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims I or my minor child/ward may have (or accrue to me or my child/ward) as a result of participating in these programs/activities against the Butterfield Park District, including its officials, agents, volunteers, and employees (herein after collectively referred as Butterfield Park District).

I do hereby fully release and forever discharge the Butterfield Park District from any and all claims for injuries, damages, or loss that my minor child/ward or I may have or which may accrue to me or my minor child/ward and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with these programs/activities.

PHOTO RELEASE

By registering for any Park District program I agree to allow publication of any photos taken at any program, event, or facility of the Butterfield Park District.

I have read and fully understand the above important information, warning of risk, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. If registering via fax my facsimile signature will substitute for and have the same legal effect as an original form signature.

AUTHORIZATION FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT

I, the undersigned, hereby agree to allow the individual(s) name hereon to participate in the Butterfield Park District activities. I certify that to the best of my knowledge, the participant named hereon is/are physically fit and able to engage in Recreation Services Division activities.

In case of emergency, I give my permission for emergency medical treatment.

This form shall be considered valid until canceled or changed in writing by the undersigned parent/guardian/participant.

My signature acknowledges that I understand and agree to the above conditions.

I have read and understand the waiver and release on this form.

Participant's Name(please print): _____ **Participant's Signature:** _____ **Date:** _____

PARTICIPATION WILL BE DENIED if the signature of adult participant or parent/guardian and date are not on this waiver.



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Butterfield Park District Registration Form

(To be completed by Team Captain)

Name: _____ Team Name: _____
 Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
 Email Address: _____ Work Phone: _____

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Signature _____ Date _____ Office Personal _____ Date _____

STAFF:

Deposit: \$100 Date Paid: _____
 (\$100 security deposit required)
 Refunded: _____

Team Fee: \$125 Date Paid _____

Total Fees	\$400
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CASH CHECK VISA MASTERCARD DISCOVER

CARD # _____

EXP DATE _____

V-CODE (last 3 digits on back) _____

SIGNATURE _____