

Pride Volleyball Tournament

Sunday, January 15th

Start time: All pools will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. Doors will open at 7:00 & first coin flip will be held at 7:45.

Playing Site: Linn Mar High School – 3111 N 10th St, Marion Iowa

Warm Ups: Each team will receive a full 10 minute warm up for the first match of the day (2-4-4). Remaining games will have a 3-3 warm up with no shared hitting. Please do not warm up with balls in common area. Please bring own balls for warm ups. First team listed is the home team; the visitors call the coin flip. **IT IS RESPONSIBILITY OF OFFICIATING TEAM TO KEEP GAMES MOVING ALONG. PLEASE KNOW WHEN IT IS YOUR TEAM'S TURN TO OFFICIATE.**

Seating: Limited bleacher seating in main gym on north and south ends. Chair seating on east and west side. No chairs allowed on gym floor without rubber bottoms. Auxiliary Gym has bleachers.

Pool and Bracket Format: Pool Play with four teams: pool play will be 2 games to 25, starting at 4-4, winning by 2 pts. Top 2 teams in each pool will advance to the Championship Bracket. Bottom two will go to the Consolation Bracket. Bracket format will be best 2 out of 3 games, winning by 2 points. First 2 games to 1-25 and if needed, 3rd deciding set to 1-15.

TOURNAMENT WILL FOLLOW USA VB RULES in determining bracket placement in case of tie. Determination will first be on win/loss results of the matches between the tied teams, if still tied, seed will be determined on the point spread of the matches between the two teams in question. If still tied, comparison of the point differential based on the total round robin competition will determine seed.

Awards: Awards will be given to 1st and 2nd place team in Championship Bracket and to 1st place team only in Consolation Bracket, with a maximum of 10 awards per team.

Food Rules: NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINK WILL BE ALLOWED INTO FACILITY. CONCESSIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON SITE.

Door admission \$3.00 per Adults, \$2.00 per child under the age of 12. Coaches and players are free.

PLEASE BRING YOUR OFFICIAL USAV TEAM ROSTER TO PRESENT AT CHECK-IN.

Questions can be directed to tournament director, Sandi Shaffer, at 319-899-0737 or sshaffer@q.com