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Subject: Queensland Youth Beach Program 24/25

Trial Period and Trainings

AYBVC Training Program:

- Saturday 26th October – TRIALS (Sandstorm Beach Club)
- Saturday 2nd November – Training (Sandstorm Beach Club)
- Saturday 9th November – Training (Sandstorm Beach Club)
- Saturday 16th November – Training (Sandstorm Beach Club)
- Saturday 23rd and 24th Nov– **Tournament** (Sandstorm, U14 & U15 Only, no U16-U18 Training)
- Saturday 30th Nov and Sunday 1st December - **Tournament** (Sandstorm, U16 -U18 Only, no U14 & U15 Training)
- Sunday 19th January – Training (Sandstorm Beach Club)
- Saturday 25th, Sunday 26th and Monday 27th Jan - (**QLD Open Tournament, Caloundra** all age groups)
- Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th Feb – **Tournament** (Sandstorm U14 & U15 Only, no U16-U18 Training)
- Saturday 15th and Saturday 16th Feb- **Tournament** (Sandstorm U16 -U18 Only, no U14 & U15 Training)
- Sunday 23rd February – Training (Sandstorm Beach Club)
- Saturday 8th March – **Tournament** (QBVT Round #13 **Coolangatta**, all age groups)
- Sunday 16th March – Training (Sandstorm Beach Club)

Cost related to the AYBVC Program

- Tournaments that are part of the program are paid by the entrants in the week leading up to the tournament and these vary between different tournaments.

Date	Tournament	Cost per Team
Saturday 23 rd and Sunday 24 th Nov	(QBVT Round #7A, Sandstorm Juniors) (U14's and U15's only)	\$80 (3/4 aside)
Saturday 30 th November & Sunday 1 st December	(QBVT Round #7B, Sandstorm) (U16's-U18's only)	\$100 (pairs)
Saturday 25 th Monday 27 th January	(QBVT Round #10, Queensland Open, Caloundra) (All Age Groups)	\$120 (all teams)
Saturday 8 th and Sunday 9 th February	(QBVT Round #11A, Sandstorm Juniors) (U14's and U15's only)	\$80 (3/4 aside)
Saturday 15 th and Saturday 16 th February	(QBVT Round #11B, Sandstorm) (U16's-U18's only)	\$100 (pairs)





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Queensland Youth Beach Volleyball Team Selection Policy

Objectives

To select the strongest possible teams to represent Queensland in all divisions at the Australian Youth Beach Volleyball Championships (AYBVC) To win the President's Shield as the best state for Youth Beach Volleyball

Queensland Contingent

The Queensland contingent will comprise:

Head of Delegation / Beach Mentor Coach

Team coaches – 2 coaches per 5 teams

Teams – Maximum of 5 teams per gender per age group (Head Coach discretion to take less)

- Additional teams from North Queensland are not included in this 5.

Eligibility

To be eligible for selection and to play in the Queensland team as athlete must:

- Be a current member of Volleyball Queensland
- Be an Australian citizen (exceptions must be endorsed by AVF)
- Attend the Queensland Selection trials
- Be of the appropriate age
 - U18 – Born 2008
 - U17 – Born 2009
 - U16 – Born 2010
 - U15 - Born 2011
 - U14 - Born 2012 and younger

Selection Panel

The selection panel will comprise of age group appointed coaches with input from the Beach Mentor Coach if necessary.

Selection Criteria

The teams will be selected based on the following criteria:

- Demonstrated point scoring weapons
- Ability to change game plan where required
- Ability and willingness to follow coaching instructions
- Ability to read the game



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Conditions of Representation

Athlete and teams selected to represent Queensland must comply with:

- the coach's directions regarding training commitments
- the VQ Athlete Code of Conduct
- VQ's uniform policy
- Any other reasonable request from the Head of Delegation

Appeals

Athletes may only appeal their non-selection on the grounds that the selection policy was not followed correctly.

Appeals must be in writing to the General Manager of Volleyball Queensland within 5 days working days of the announcement of the travelling team.



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