



**Manukau
Auckland**

VOLLEYBALL
NEW ZEALAND

12th Pacific Asia Volleyball Challenge 9th – 14th April 2012 Information Package

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Forms

- Confirmation of Participation
- Registration and Payment Invoice
- Official/Players registration list

1. **Tournament costs**

Tournament registration and entry is \$1100.00. This fee includes the prize giving function and dinner to a maximum of 12 people per team and the refundable bond \$100 (bond will be refunded on the condition that all duties performed and that all games are played).

It also enables us to provide for prize money for the tournament.

2. **Deadline dates**

- Confirmation of participation 31 December 2011
- Registration and Payment of tourney costs 1 March 2012
- Officials/Players registration list 1 April 2012

3. **Referee requirements**

All participating teams will be expected to provide a qualified and competent Referee and carry out team duty.

4. **Eligibility**

Every invited Country / Club is allowed to enter one (1) Women's and one (1) Men's Team.

However Manukau Volleyball retains the right to accept or decline any entries

Player wanting to play for another team must ensure that a written letter from both teams is submitted to the organisers at least 1 month prior to the commencement of the tournament. In all other cases, there is a two(2)year stand down period.

5. **Countries / Teams invited**

- American Samoa
- Auckland Cook Islands
- Australian Clubs
- Cook Islands
- Guam
- Hawaii
- Fiji
- New Caledonia
- New Caledonia Clubs
- Chinese Clubs
- New Zealand Clubs
- Papua New Guinea
- Samoa
- Samoan Clubs
- Tahiti
- Tahitian Clubs
- Tonga
- Tongan Clubs
- Wallis and Fatuna

6. **Challenge Rules**

Duty Requirements

A one-ball system will be used in all qualifying, section and post section games. A two-ball system will be used in the finals.

Duty consists of :

1st Referee 2nd Referee 2 scorers 4 lines people

Teams must present themselves on time for their duty

The court volleyball is the responsibility of the duty team and must be returned to the Venue Controller after the game.

Teams doing a duty on the game before their own will be allowed 10 minutes before beginning their General warm-up

Failure to meet duty requirements will result in the forfeit of your duty bond.

Warm Ups

General warm-up and ball skills	10 minutes
Net time	10 minutes combined or separate

Uniforms

All uniform tops must be in the same colours and design and numbers must be worn front and back. The Libero players top must contrast in colour with that of other members of the team and be numbered. Shorts must be of a uniform colour. No exposed undergarments are permitted (eg skins, thermals).

Defaults

A team defaults if six players are not present at the Referee's signal for the first serve

Protests

If any incident occurs which a team considers worthy of protest the game is to be stopped immediately and a verbal protest is made to the referee with an accompanying protest fee of \$50. The referee will contact the Technical Director who will assemble the Disputes Committee. The Disputes Committee will consist of the Chief Referee and two other seconded people.

Deciding seeding / ranking	Win 3-0 or 3-1	3 points
	Win 3-2	2 points
	Lose 2-3	1 point
	Lose 1-3, 0-3	0 point

If there is a tie on points then the team to be awarded the better ranking will be the team with (in order of priority):

1. Best ratio of total sets won/lost
2. Best ratio of total points won/lost
2. The result of the match between the two tied teams (or the toss of a coin by the Chief Referee if the two teams have not played each other)

MATCHPLAY RULES

Matches will be played under FIVB rules. Players shirt numbers (1-18 only) and the Liberos (up to 2 permitted) must remain the same for the tourney.

7. Accommodation recommendations

Budget Travellers Inn – Great South Road, Papatoetoe. Approximately 8 kilometres to venue. Kitchen, cooking facilities available. Phone 2788947 email is enquiries@budgettravellers.co.nz website is www.budgettravellers.co.nz

Best Western Airport Garden Inn - Ph 09 2750194

10 Tidal Rd Mangere. 15 Kilometers to venue.

St George Motel - 136 St George St Papatoetoe, 09 2785464 8 Kilometres to venue.

Quality Motor Inn - 477 Great South Road, Papatoetoe ph 09

277 7320 or 0800700477 .Email allenby@silveroaks.co.nz 8 kilometers to venue . \$110 per room.

Please note that all bookings and payments are the responsibility of the team. The organisers accept no responsibility for booking accommodation on behalf of teams.

8. Venue

All games will be held at the Otara Leisure Centre, Newbury Street, Otara, Manukau City. Phone 274 6917

9. Manukau Auckland Volleyball Executives

President : Mrs Alice Kaleopa
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10. Other information

- A representative from every team is expected to attend the Managers/Coaches meeting on the evening before the start of the challenge.
- All teams are expected to attend the prize giving function. Although not compulsory, teams are encouraged to put on an item. This can be a song, dance or display. However teams are reminded that the time allowed for each team is 3-5 minutes ONLY.
- Prizes: Prize money is awarded to the 1st and 2nd placing.
- In addition there are medals for 1st, 2nd and 3rd placing.
- Teams are responsible for their own First Aid. However the organisers will ensure that ice is available for injury purposes ONLY.
- There is a physiotherapist who works out of the Otara Leisure Centre.
- An Accident and Emergency Clinic is located next to the venue.
- Food and drinks are available for purchase at or near the venue