Alameda Park Summer Coed Recreational Sand Volleyball League Guidelines 2019

Each Coach is responsible for having a copy of the rules with them at each game.

This league is scheduled for 9 weeks of play total. 7 weeks of games and 2 weeks of playoffs. Due to these restraints you may not play all teams registered for the league. Playoffs are the top 8 teams.

You, as team captain are responsible for your entire team. You can and will be held responsible if your team does not stay under your control. Butler County Parks & Recreation does have the right to dismiss any player causing an issue or safety violation and your team may also be dismissed. You may not at any time ever put any Butler County Staff in an unsafe situation. Butler County Parks & Recreation has a No-Refund Policy. If you or your team is dismissed you will not have the right to a refund.

You can replace players that are removed from the league or have medical issues however; players may not be available to play in playoffs without the approval of the Program Manager or the opponent's team. Double Elimination (2017)

- 1. Court officials have final say over all matters concerning calls made during the games. Any appeals must be submitted to the Program Director within 2 days of the game.
- 2. Please text or call the Program Manager Tim at 724-841-6674 for any volleyball cancellations. List your team name and time of game. Any cancellation can be considered a forfeit if it is not notified with 24 hours. (2017)
- 3. There will be a 10 minute grace period in the event a team does not have enough players
- 4. At least 1 female must be on the playing field at all times. See exception in rule #5
- 5. Each team may have a minimum of three players and a maximum of 5 players on the field for each game. If a team only fields 3 players, that team may have all males on the field. This exception will be permitted only 3 times during the season. Any further exceptions will result in a forfeit. Exceptions may be granted by the Program Director. Female being used as a 3rd person doesn't apply to the exception. Three men cannot play in playoff rounds. (Adjusted 2015)
- 6. Rosters need to be finalized by June 3, 2019. Any team that does not have their team fee paid by June 3rd may be subject to forfeit, and will not be eligible to play until the league fees are paid in full. Each team may have up to 10 people on their roster.
- 7. Playing on 2 teams is permitted however you have to decide what your "Home" Team is by the first game. You may not play in playoffs on the "Away/Other" Team. (2017)
- You may add players to your game so that you may reach the minimum of 3 players to play. However, you may not pull players so that you can reach the maximum of 5 players. All players pulled to play at your time must be listed on your roster. (2017)
- 9. Each series will consist of 3 games, and the team's win-loss record at the end of the season will determine Championship Tournament seeding
- 10. Each game will be played rally scoring to 25 points, win by 2. Each team will play 3 games per series
- 11. In the event of a double foul, the point will be replayed
- 12. Do not cross the centerline, either above or below the net
- 13. Each team must move in a set rotation, and stick to that rotation the entire game.
- Teams have the option start play with 2 in the back row and 3 in the front row. Once the ball has been served from the right corner, players may go to any spot that they wish. Upon completion of the point, players will follow this rotation: (From the servers view) front left, front middle, front right, back left, and server.
- Teams with less than 5 players must inform the referee and opposing teams of their beginning play rotation, and remain in that rotation throughout the series. Teams may not let a person from the back play at the net. (Adjusted 2015)

- 14. Fighting of any type will result in an immediate ejection from the league of the antagonist for the remainder of the season, and the playoffs. This person will also be ejected from Alameda Park for the remainder of the year.
- 15. The use of profanity will result in an ejection from that series. Continued use of profanity will result in an ejection from the league and Alameda Park for the remainder of the year
- 16. League dues are \$125.00 per team.
- 17. Games will be played on Monday or Wednesday nights, beginning at 5:30, 6:30, and 7:30 p.m. Make-up games will be played on Tuesday nights. Makeup games will be on Wednesday nights if there are not additional leagues on Wednesday.
- 18. There will be a minimum of 6 teams and a maximum of 20 teams.

19. <u>All players must be on the official team roster, and have a signed waiver on file. Children under 18 years of age must have a release signed by the parent/guardian.</u>

20. The Tournament will be a double elimination Tournament and all teams will be entered and seeded according to their season record. Top eight teams are playing. Tournament play schedule will be announced end of July. Games may be played on different nights than our league schedule. Please report any schedule conflicts to Tim as soon as possible so that arrangements can be made to accommodate those teams that have a conflict. Short notice will greatly reduce your chance to be rescheduled! (2017)