

## **SWVA Newsletter April 2022 Issue 368**

Hi << Test First Name >>,

Time for a newsletter, a few tournament dates, an opportunity to get in to beach coaching and an update on our SW Girls.

As for the web site, its basically back but a number of our plugin apps have since expired, it will all require a summer rebuild so we have removed the login for the time being.

Regards
Dave Reece
SWVA

## Exeter JuVoTo 9th April 2022



#### Hello everyone

The entries for the JuVoTo tournament in Exeter on 9th April are now open. As usual we are using Ticket Tailor for entries, which can be done at

https://buytickets.at/southwestvolleyballassociation/676551. The closing date for entries is 3rd April, a few places left.

Regards,

**Neil Bentley** 

# Whitefield Volleyball Tournament 23/24th July 2022



COME AND JOIN US FOR WHITEFIELD VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT; A festival of sport and entertainment

Whitefield Tournament, the largest outdoor volleyball event in the country, will be held on 23rd/24th July 2022 this year. Teams of 6 play on grass in Bristol, with camping, parking,

facilities, disco and food.

We would love it if you could join us! We think this year will be extra special after a 2 year hiatus.

The tournament is held at the Imperial Sports Ground in South Bristol, a registered charity promoting sport in the community which has recently undergone major refurbishment. https://imperialsportsground.co.uk/

Team entries will open on 30th April 2022 at 10am. Places do fill up quickly in some divisions, so if you would like a place, we recommend that you are ready to enter when the website goes live. The website is currently being prepared for the registration process, but we have a Facebook group and Twitter account that you can join for all the latest information:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/9830836694/

https://twitter.com/WhitefieldVBTou

The website when it is finished will be here <a href="https://whitefield.cbvc.org.uk/">https://whitefield.cbvc.org.uk/</a>

We will publish all detailed information and fees over the coming weeks but for now, please prepare your diaries to book your place for this year.

We really can't wait to see you there!!

The Whitefield Tournament Organising Committee

whitefieldvbtournament@gmail.com

#### **SW Girls Squads 2022**



The Inter Regional Championships have had a two-year Covid break but all regions will be heading to Leicester at the end of the month to compete for the 2022 title.

At training today, it was team kit and team photo time, for both the U17's & U15's squads.



Next up for the girls will be match training on the 24th April, where they will compete against a selection of SW & NVL teams from Exeter, Plymouth, Yeovil, Bristol, Weymouth, Cardiff and Royal Wootton Bassett.

Thanks to the coaching team of Dave, Laura, Janna, Flo & Agata for putting the squads together, and the back ground admin team and parents for making it all happen.

#### 2022 Beach Coach and Assistants Required

We currently have a vacancy in the SW coaching team for a Coach and Assistant coach to help run the SW Girls & Boys U18 Beach teams plus a couple of volunteers to help out. You will be working with our head coach and other members of the SW coaching team. If you are interested, please have a read of the info below and submit your details, the closing date is the 17th April 2022.

If you need any more info or have a chat, please do get in touch, this is an exciting opportunity.

Dave Reece <a href="mailto:swva.org.uk">swva.org.uk</a>
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#### **Inter Regional Beach Championship Program**

In the SW we promote open training sessions available to all, squad selection, match training and where possible pre event competitions for the teams. We also promote travelling, eating and staying together to build the team spirit for the final event.

The Inter Regional Beach program is set up to be self-funding with respect to court time, travel and accommodation costs.



The SWVA also provides all equipment, team kit, all competition entry fees and where appropriate will help with coach training.

More information, see: <a href="https://www.swva.org.uk/join-the-beach-team">https://www.swva.org.uk/join-the-beach-team</a>

To apply, please email Dave Reece at swva@swva.org.uk

### IRB championships 2022



We are pleased to announce the IRB championships 2022. The event will again be a two-day event, meaning all teams will play on both days. Eligible ages 1/1/2004 and younger (FIVB U18)

- Dates 9-10th July.
- Venue Cardiff Beach Volleyball.
- Virtual Organiser. Denise Austin and Lauren Tucker.
- Website <u>inter-beach.net</u>

The 'On The Day Organiser' is TBC. Please note offers of help are really welcome for the event itself and the long term health of the event. Please make mention of any help in the google form.

Due to ongoing logistics, we aren't able to confirm who at this early stage but I have every confidence we shall be able to supply organisers and pull together the event between us. Until such time and all through the event I and Lauren Tucker will be supporting the event as virtual organisers.

#### **Wicks Tournament**

Hey Folks!

Keep the 11th & 12th June Free.

We've got ourselves a Wick 2022! More details to follow soon.

Wicks Tournament