



2009 Referee Training and Education Program USAV TEP – Premier Camp

The USAV Officials Division will once again offer a great training opportunity this year at the Girls' Junior Olympic Volleyball Championship in Miami, Florida June 26-28.

Participants will receive training and feedback on four matches, two as an R1 and two as an R2, from members of the USAV National Training Team; along with the chance to work with a member of the National Training Team. The training will take place during the first three days of competition.

Campers will be observed during their matches, but without the added pressure of being rated or evaluated on the match. After each pair of matches, those referees will have the opportunity to meet with the National Training Team member to review the match, ask questions, and to learn rules and new techniques.

This camp will be especially beneficial for those referees who are looking to attain their Junior National or National rating in the next few years or for those Junior National or National referees who are just looking to hone their skills.

Here is some information you might find useful in helping you decide to apply for a spot at the TEP – Premier Camp.

- Cost of the camp is \$250
- Registration deadline is May 1, 2009
- Campers will not be paid for matches worked as part of the camp, but will retain those fees for matches worked outside of the camp.
- To referee this event in any capacity, you **MUST** have attended the National Referee Clinic. If you have not yet attended the clinic for this season, one will be offered at the tournament on Thursday, June 25 at 6PM
- All campers must attend the tournament procedures meeting which will follow the National clinic (beginning at approximately 9PM)
- Training sessions will be held Friday, June 26 – Sunday, June 28.
- Must be available as a referee for the entire camp period: Friday, June 26- Sunday, June 28.
- Referee Chair signature is required on the application for Regional referees, unless the Regional referee is a Junior National candidate at the same event
- All housing, transportation, and meals are the responsibility of the camper
- If the camper is a Junior National or National referee, or is a Junior National candidate during the event, they **MIGHT BE** eligible for a rooming program when working a minimum of 6 matches/day for a minimum of 6 consecutive days

If you are interested in attending the camp, registration forms are available for download on the USAV website: <http://www.usavolleyball.org/content/index/3214>

Space is limited, so act quickly. Please remember that the deadline for registration is **May 1, 2009**.

If you have any questions regarding this camp, please contact Gloria Cox (Gloria-cox@austin.rr.com) or Kathy Ferraraccio (kathy@ferraraccio.com).

See you on the courts!!