

BHSU Volleyball 2019 Spring Swarm Tournament

When: Saturday April 27th (12s Division) and Sunday April 28th (14s, 16s, and 18s Divisions)

Where: Saturday (12s) – Spearfish High School

Sunday (14s, 16s, 18s) – Donald E. Young Center Gymnasium and Field House on the BHSU campus

Age Divisions: Junior Girls Divisions* – 12's (Gold & Silver divisions), 14's, 16's, 18's

* 12 Silver Division will be played on a youth height net with VolleyLites and a generous step in-bounds on serve

* 12 Gold Division will be played on a youth height net with regular balls and regular serving line rules

*Age divisions may be combined or separated if necessary

Entry Fee (non-refundable if the team withdraws after the deadline): \$125 per team if paid in full by April 1st, 2019. If entry is received after April 1st registration fees are \$150 per team.

**Checks can be made to BHSU Volleyball – online payment is also available, see below.*

Registration Deadline: April 15th, 2019 – Registrations will not be accepted after this date. If mailing registration, it is recommended that you send everything at least 4 business days in advance of when you would like us to receive it, and then follow up via email or phone to make sure we received your registration.

Maximum Teams Allowed:

12s (Saturday) - Total of 16 teams

14s, 16s, 18s (Sunday) – Total of 36 teams

The tournament will be capped at the number of teams listed above due to court space. Registrations will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Pool Play will begin both Saturday and Sunday, April 27th and 28th, promptly at 8:00 a.m.

Format: Following pool play, based on the number of teams per division, teams will either compete in a single elimination bracket or a seed challenge. Rolling schedule will be applied.

Entry Information:

You may register your team online at the following website: www.yellowjacketvolleyball.com (Under the Menu tab, find AAU/Club Tournament -Spring Swarm) You may also see the final page of this document. All entries not registering online must be completed and mailed to:

BHSU Volleyball

Attn: Coach Kristin Carmichael

1200 University St. Unit 9417

Spearfish, SD 57799

Officials and Scorekeeping:

Each team must provide 1 qualified down official, 2 lines, and 2 scorekeepers for the matches they are assigned to referee. Not providing an officiating crew may result in a forfeit of the first game of the next scheduled match.

*Please note that the up officials will be current BHSU volleyball players. We appreciate your cooperation with and respect of these officials as they are working on a volunteer basis.

Team Rosters/Schedules:

A completed team roster is **REQUIRED** to compete at BHSU. All teams **MUST** submit a roster by **April 15th** (See page 3 for Roster details).

Roster changes are permitted up until check-in, but if no roster is submitted, the team may be withdrawn from the tournament.

Schedules will be sent via email shortly after the Registration deadline. Please provide accurate information on the registration page.

Team Check-In:

Saturday (12s) – Team check-in will be held at Spearfish High School Gymnasium from 7:00am – 9:00am

Sunday (14s, 16s, 18s) – Team check-in will be held at the BHSU Young Center Lobby from 7:00am – 9:00am

All teams must have a coach check the team in during this time. At check-in, coaches will be asked to verify rosters. All information must be completed and turned in by a coach at check-in. Coaches must also turn in participation waivers for each player at this time.

*****Please bring your own balls and/or cart!!*** Each team is responsible for having their own balls to use in warm ups and in between matches. BHSU will only provide 1 game ball per court to be used only for game time.

****Please pass the following information on to SPECTATORS:**

Admissions: \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children/students/seniors.

*All tournament proceeds benefits the Yellow Jacket Volleyball Program.

Concessions/T-Shirt sales will run throughout the tournament.

Hotel Suggestion: Fairfield Inn, 605.642.3500

Athletic Training: Please note that due to NCAA rules, BHSU cannot and will not have an athletic trainer on duty. No medical staff will be provided, so please plan accordingly if your team has specific medical needs. We will provide a cooler of ice to be used for injuries only.

For More information, please contact:

Head Volleyball Coach, Kristin Carmichael: Kristin.Carmichael@BHSU.edu or 605.642.6870

Assistant Volleyball Coach, Kate Raevsky: Katelyn.Lapham@BHSU.edu or 719.661.8704

This tournament is open to all eligible USAV, JVA, and AAU club teams. BHSU is not affiliated with these organizations; therefore matches will not count toward official statistics or win/loss records.

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Tournament Entry Form

Club Name: _____

Division (circle one): 12 Gold 14 16 18
 12 Silver

Team Name: _____

Date: April 27th (12s)
 April 28th (14s, 16s, 18s) _____

Entry Fee: \$125 _____

Name & Contact Number
(regarding registration): _____

Email (to send schedule): _____

ROSTER (Please Print)	
Head Coach: _____	
Asst. Coach: _____	
PLAYERS (Last, First)	GRADE

Coach Signature _____ Date _____

By signing the line above, I agree to pay registration fees listed above in full, and if registration is received late I will be responsible for paying any additional late or cancellation fees that may apply.