

2020 DIGS Classic 13s/14s Division Tournament Information



Location: Legacy Christian Academy
3037 Bunker Lake Blvd NW, Andover 55304

Date: Saturday, February 15, 2020

Dear Coaches and Club directors:

Thank you for participating in our DIGS Classic Volleyball Tournament. We are looking forward to seeing you! **Doors open at 8:45. Coaches meet at 9:00 am in the Sports Center.**

Attached you will find a packet of information regarding the tournament. Please read it carefully and share it with all coaches and families. Coaches, players, and parents can see the menu, building map, schedule, as well as pre-order custom gear at

<http://www.tornadoalleysportswear.com/digs-volleyball-tournament-2020>

Pre-order apparel online. There will not be an onsite vendor. If you want a tournament tee-shirt/sweatshirt you will need to pre-order. Orders will be ready for pick up at the tournament.

Important Information:

- We will be using both an upper gym with two courts and a lower gym with one court.
- Teams that are reffing should begin games immediately following the previous game.
- Home Camp (nesting) tables will be provided for each team.
- Spectator entrance fee is \$5 per adult, \$3 for students, \$15 family max (Players free).
- All teams/players must be registered USAV to participate.
- Teams must be in full matching uniforms per USAV unless a waiver is provided.
- If necessary, the tournament director will be in charge of any changes made because of time constraints or team cancellations.
- Warm-up balls will be provided. Do **not** bring your own volleyballs.

Other important items:

- There is to be no playing with balls (dribbling, passing, throwing, etc.) outside of the gym.
- All teams will be responsible for officiating matches. All teams must have officials who have attended a ref clinic this year.
- **OFFICIATING REQUIREMENTS:** Coach must either ref up or ref down. The officiating team must provide a first referee, second referee, scorekeeper, Libero tracker, scoreboard operator, and two line judges.
- Score table: Players/coaches need to pay attention to the game. No cell phones or food.
- Score sheets need to be completely and correctly filled out at the bottom.
- **BE ON TIME.** Be prompt with warm-ups, time-outs, and team meetings.
- Your first time on the court, warm-ups will be 10 minutes. After that, warm ups are 5 minutes in length and 3 minutes between each set. Time-outs are 30 seconds.
- Teams must bring their own first aid supplies and whistles. There is no official trainer on site.

- No food or drinks without lids are allowed on the courts or at the Scorers Tables. (Water bottles are fine.)
- **Warmups/Coin Flip** starts immediately following the previous match. Refeing teams must be ready and on time.
- Concessions are available all day in two locations. See menu online.
- Only personal size coolers will be allowed. Do not bring crock-pots, roasters, microwaves, or any electrical appliances. Also no cases of any kind of beverage are allowed. **PLEASE DO NOT** bring in outside food from local restaurants.
- **GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP IS REQUIRED OF ALL.** Yelling at members of the officiating crew, talking poorly about other individuals, teams, or clubs, etc. will not be tolerated.
- **IF THE EVENT IS CANCELED DUE TO WEATHER, AN EMAIL WILL BE SENT OUT BY 6:00 AM THE DAY OF THE EVENT.** (If the tournament is canceled, your team will be refunded the full amount minus a \$15.00 processing fee.)
- Free photo opportunity with props #DIGSCLASSIC

PLEASE CLEAN UP YOUR AREA BEFORE YOU LEAVE. THANKS!

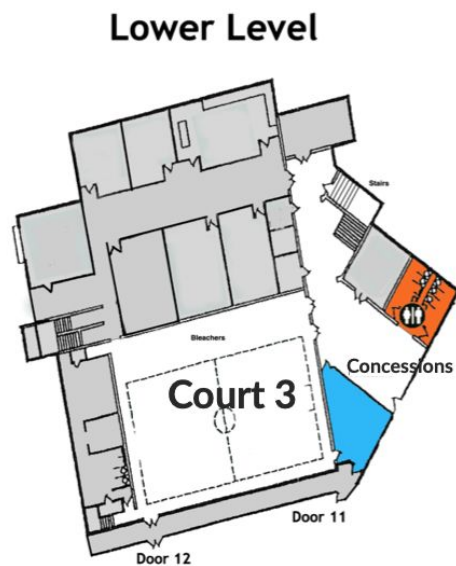
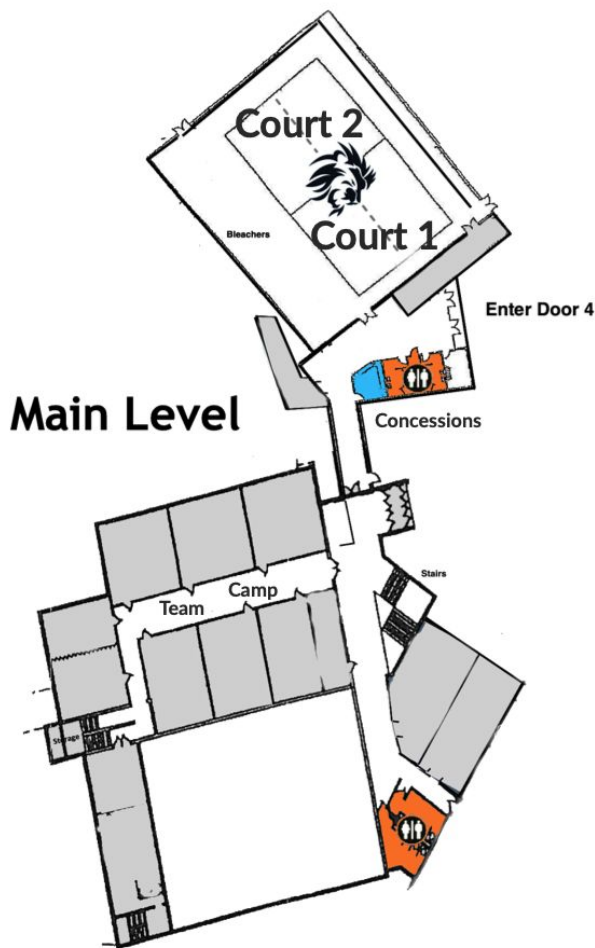
AWARDS: Gold Division 1st and 2nd; Silver Division 1st, Bronze Division 1st

For any questions or concerns please contact:

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POOL PLAY FOR 12 TEAMS

- Pool Play is best of 3 sets. Third set played only if necessary. Switch at 8.
- First two sets cap at 27. Third set cap at 17.
- First warm-up time is 10 min. 2-4-4 format (2 minutes shared, 4 minutes on net including serving, serving team has net first) and 1-2-2 for the 5 minute warm-up.

Games Start at 9:15 am

	Court 1 - UPPER		Court 2 - UPPER		Court 3 - LOWER
A	DIGS 14 Yellow	A	Zimmerman 14-2	A	ERE 13U Black
B	Zimmerman 14-1	B	Heartland BL 13	B	Smash 14-1
C	Smash 13-1	C	DIGS 14 Grey	C	Inferno 14-1
D	Dakota Ice 14-1	D	ERE 14U Red	D	DIGS 14 Maroon

Schedule: 4-Team Pool		
Match #	Playing	REF
1	A - C	B
2	B - D	A
3	A - D	C
4	B - C	A
5	C - D	B
6	A - B	D

Tie Breaker Steps:

Final finish in the pool will be determined by match record. If there is a tie, the following criteria will be used in order without repetition: **Head to Head (only if two teams are tied), Set %, Point %, Coin Flip.**

Play-off Schedule Notes:

1. All teams will advance to bracket play. Guaranteed one playoff match.
2. Teams will be seeded according to record and points.
3. Tournament games are best 2 out of 3 with 3rd set to 15 if needed. Single elimination. No cap
4. Please check to see who will ref the first Bracket Play-off matches.

GOLD BRACKET: All 1st place teams from each court and AND highest 2nd place team. (Upper Gym Ct. 1)

SILVER BRACKET: Remaining TWO 2nd place teams from each court and TWO highest 3rd place Teams. (Upper Gym Ct. 2)

BRONZE BRACKET: Remaining 3rd place team and all 4th place teams. (Lower Gym)

There will be a short 15 minute break between pool play and bracket play for teams to eat/rest.

Starts After Pool Play

	Court 1-UPPER	Ref		Court 2-UPPER	Ref		Court 3-LOWER	Ref
A	#1 1st vs #1 2nd	#3 1st	A	#2 2nd vs #2 3rd	#1 3rd	A	#3 3rd vs #3 4th	#2 4th
B	#2 1st vs #3 1st	W of A	B	#3 2nd vs #1 3rd	W of A	B	#1 4th vs #2 4th	W of A
C	Winners A vs B	L of B	C	Winners A vs B	L of B	C	Winners A vs B	L of B