

Registration Information

2025

Returns to Gatlinburg Sept 24-26

19-U Boys 19-U Girls

17-U Girls 14-U Girls

Online registration opens on May 1st:

<https://www.hspn.net/registrationvb/>



ALL MATCHES ARE ENFORCED BY THE TENNESSEE SECONDARY SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION TSSAA & SANCTIONED BY THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF HIGH SCHOOLS.

Registration FEES and PAYMENTS

19-U Team **\$510.00** 5 guaranteed 2 out of 3 matches
17-U Team **\$500.00** 5 guaranteed 2 out of 3 matches
14-U Team **\$490.00** 5 guaranteed 2 out of 3 matches

**** If you are planning to enter 2 teams of the same division i.e. Team “JV Red” and Team “JV Blue, you will need to contact us so that we can create an additional second instance for you. Our online registration only allows one type of each team per organization. ** TEXT to 540 631 5683**

**** Reminder: we do not allow dual rostering. This means that a player can only be rostered on one team during Nationals. This rule is strictly enforced.**

TO BE OFFICIALLY IN THE TOURNAMENT:

- There is now just one final payment due asap while spots remain open. The online registration dashboard will have daily updates so you can track urgency. **After August 1st Payments are NON REFUNDABLE.**
- Pay online (*includes a transaction fee of \$18.*)
- Mail in a check but inform us via TEXT **540.631.5683** that you are doing so:
HSPN | 153 Old Linden Rd | Linden, VA 22642 (please memo which team(s) you are registering.

WHAT DO YOU GET?

- NO Admission Fee and FREE Parking all 3 days!
- All your matches will have R1 and R2 officials.
- Guaranteed 5 matches (best 2 out of 3)
- Certified trainer or EMT on-site for all matches. (they DO NOT tape ankles)
- All-senior group photo and a senior gift!
- Guaranteed semi-finals match for all teams.
- Chance for a Championship Banner, and/or trophy.
- 12-court venue with breath-taking scenery.
- Law enforcement presence all days



Are practice courts available? Not this time. Due to restructuring the event down to 3 days, we had to cut some things out like practice courts and skills contest.

What volleyball is acceptable? Especially for the boys game, a volleyball must have the NFHS stamp or logo on it. Officials will approve/disapprove.

Is there an admission fee? **No**, by policy HSPN does not charge admission or gate fees.

Are coolers allowed inside? You can NOT bring in coolers or food from the outside. However, the spacious parking lot will allow you to tailgate. There is also a Snack Bar inside open for business and hopefully some area food trucks.

Are there MVP Awards? Yes, for the championship game of each of the highest brackets, the head coach of the winning team will be asked to name the MVP.

Does East Coast Nationals have All-Tournament Teams? - This open to ANYONE that wants to take this on. Please let us know how you plan to do it.

Is there free parking? Yes, for our event, they have waived parking fees.

Is there a document for Rules, Format and Brackets? Yes! Please read the [“Tournament Brain”](#) now available in PDF format.

Will there be college recruiters? Yes, we have a history of knowing that coaches and scouts do attend. In fact several of our sponsors include Liberty University, Word Of Life Bible Academy, Carson-Newman, Patrick Henry College

Canopies, E-Z ups, etc. are NOT permitted on the hard surface of the parking lot. Grassy areas only! We may decide to utilize an issued permit system to control this number.



General Schedule (subject to change)

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| Wed 9/24 | 9:30a - 7pm | Pool Play rounds 1 and 2 |
| Thu 9/25 | 9 am - 8 pm | Pool Play round 3 Coaches / Alumni Pickup matches Bracket Play (semi finals) |
| Fri 9/26 | 9 am - 3 pm | 3rd Place Matches Championships Matche |



New! Upload YOUR TEAM ROSTER!

Beginning May 1st from the [online registration](#), you will now be directed to an upload page to submit your roster for each team. Please note the sample format below that rosters are expected to follow.

Your roster (for each team) must be fully complete and updated in its final form by Sept 15th. It will be LOCKED on Sept 15th and no more players can be added to your roster. In this way, each coach is accountable for his/her roster and can be questioned at the tournament PRIOR TO THE FIRST SERVE. Your official roster will be published as a collection of roster links available online for all to see. See the next page for strict age eligibility requirements.

IS MY PLAYER ALLOWED TO PLAY ON MULTIPLE TEAMS? No.
(dual rostering was banned in 2024 and is no longer permitted at Nationals)

Please ensure your roster format matches the sample below:



Roster UPLOAD Page
PDF or JPG or PNG files only

Team Name: Aces Varsity Girls
Head Coach: Coach Smith
Assistant Coaches:

| # | NAME | POSITION | AGE | GRADE |
|---|-------------|----------|-----|-------|
| 0 | SALLY JONES | OH | 15 | 10 |



Age Eligibility Rules

Age Eligibility

East Coast Nationals events have streamlined and re-structured their Age Eligibility Rule since 2023 to come in alignment with the national tournament scene and State Conference rules.

With this broad approach, there will no longer be exemptions. **By registering you go on the record that your players are all homeschool students only! Private and Public school students are not allowed on East Coast Nationals rosters.**

14-U “MS” 14 or younger as of 9/26/2025

17-U “JV” 17 or younger as of 9/26/2025 *(a player cannot possess a diploma or GED)*

19-U “Varsity”

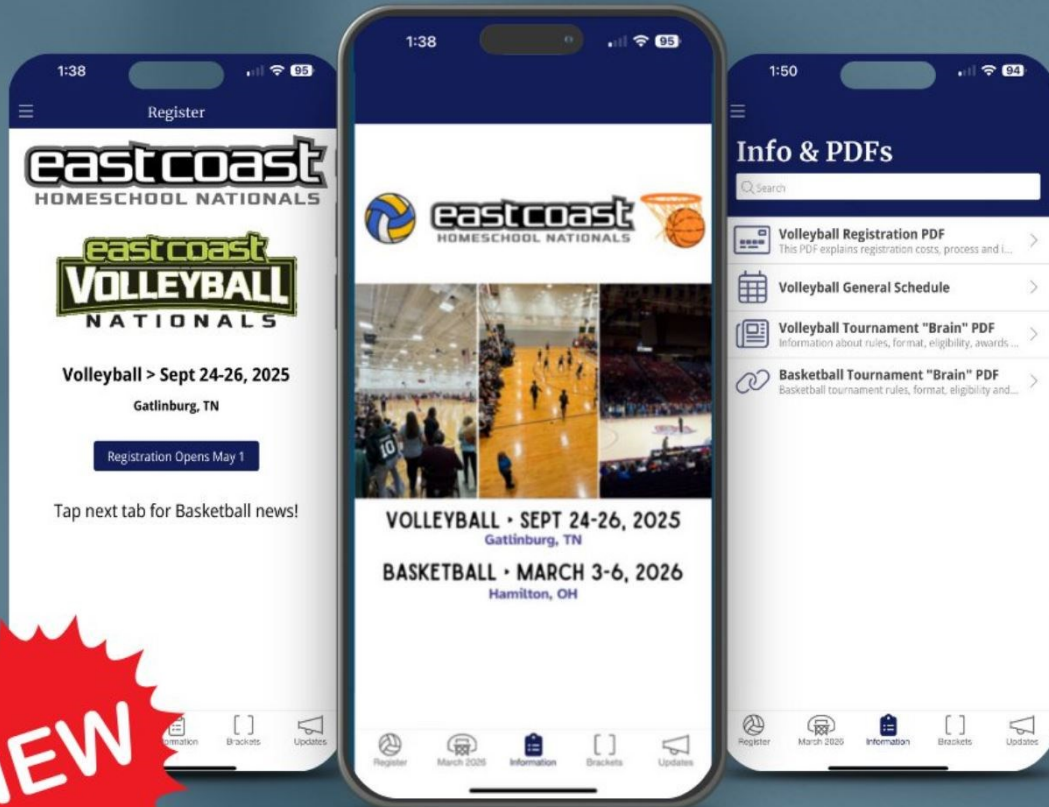
Must be 18 or younger as of Aug 1st, 2025, (meaning, can turn 19 after August 1st) (a player cannot possess a diploma or GED)/

IF MY ORGANIZATION ENTERS MULTIPLE TEAMS, IS MY PLAYER ALLOWED TO PLAY ON MULTIPLE TEAMS?

No, this rule is STRICTLY enforced, and any roster issues must be resolved 30 days PRIOR to the event.

NEW ECHN APP

Download the new ECHN App for all the latest East Coast Tournament news and updates!



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While we have no other venue plans beyond “The Rock”, this campus map shows the local venues that are available to us should we need to expand or move some games in case of water leakage (it’s happened before!). For Basketball Nationals, we use these gyms.



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VOLLEYBALL
NATIONALS
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Lodging resource. Call them if interested. Their suggested list of properties should be published soon. But feel free to book your own lodging.



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