



MEMORANDUM

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VIA EMAIL

TO: Head Coaches, Senior Woman Administrators and Sports Information Directors at NCAA Institutions, and Commissioners at NCAA Conferences, that Sponsor National Collegiate Beach Volleyball.

FROM: Kristin W. Fasbender
Director, Championships and Alliances

Joan McDermott, chair
NCAA Women's Beach Volleyball Committee.

SUBJECT: 2022 National Collegiate Beach Volleyball Championship Information.

The following is important information concerning the 2022 selections and championship:

1. Selection Show. The 16 teams for the championship will be announced at 9 p.m. Eastern time, Saturday, April 30th on NCAA.com.
2. 2022 Pre-Championship Manual. Please review for pertinent information by clicking [here](#).
3. Selection Criteria. In addition to the eight automatic qualifiers the committee will select two teams from the East region, two teams from the West region and four teams at-large.

Selection criteria for the regional bids (in-region comparison):

- a. Record versus regional opponents.
- b. Head-to-head competition.
- c. Results versus common opponents.
- d. Strength of schedule.
- e. Overall record. (must be .500 or above)

Selection criteria for at-large bids:

- a. Head-to-head competition.
- b. Results versus common opponents.
- c. Strength of schedule.
- d. Overall record. (must be .500 or above)

4. Championship Participant Manual. The 2022 National Collegiate Beach Volleyball Championship participant manual will be available by end of day April 29 by clicking [here](#).

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5. Final Score Reporting. As you have been doing all season, please make sure you continue to submit your results via the online system. Both institutions must submit their scores. Please continue to use this link <http://web1.ncaa.org/stats/StatsSrv/login>. The committee will use all results toward selecting the teams through April 30.
6. Squad Size and Travel Party. The squad size for the championship will be 14 with a travel party of 19.
7. Lineup Forms/Challenge Process. Any team desiring selection to the championship is required to submit their lineup form to Kristin Fasbender, kfasbender@ncaa.org, by **1 p.m. Eastern time, Saturday, April 30**. The lineup form is available [here](#). A team must also submit their past four lineups with their championship lineup.

AS A REMINDER FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP:

Any player listed in an alternate spot can enter the lineup due to illness or injury at any position regardless of where they played last. Alternates playing history resets for the championship.

As a reminder, a player that is removed from the lineup due to illness or injury is not allowed to return to the lineup.

A team appearing with an insufficient number of players shall default matches at the bottom of the lineup. If the No. 1 doubles team is not available to compete, all doubles teams must move up one position. The No. 1 doubles match cannot be forfeited.

Once the 16 teams have been selected, all 16 lineup forms will be made available to the teams competing in the championship for review. If an institution would like to challenge a lineup, they must fill out the challenge form and submit it to Kristin Fasbender, kfasbender@ncaa.org, by **2 p.m. Eastern time, Sunday, May 1**. If necessary, a conference call will be set up to discuss the challenge. The challenge form is available [here](#).

8. COVID-19 Code of Conduct. NCAA Championships Participant Code of Conduct policies must always be followed when a team or individual student-athlete is participating in a 2021-2022 NCAA Championship. Please note that there is no COVID-19 testing required during this year's championships. The complete Code of Conduct policy can be found [here](#).

Please contact Ms. Fasbender or Ms. McDermott if you have any questions.

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cc: NCAA Women's Beach Volleyball Committee