

# <u>Volleyball NT</u> 2024 Arctic Winter Games Territorial Trials <u>Female Selections</u>

A warm welcome to the 2024 AWG Female Volleyball Territorial Tryouts. This is your opportunity to represent the Northwest Territories, and we're eager to see the talent you bring to the court. Best of luck as you showcase your abilities, and let's work together to make this Territorial Trials successful.

In this informational document you will find answers to many of your questions. Please read through this document carefully. If you still have any questions or concerns, contact Volleyball NT. If there are any changes to the schedule or information provided below it will be communicated to all participants by email.

### **Location**

• All sessions are at Diamond Jenness Secondary School Gymnasium (58 Woodland Dr, Hay River, NT XOE OR8).

### **Schedule**

- The schedule will be shared by email and posted on our <u>website</u>.
- Please note, the schedule may be subject to change. Any changes will be communicated via email.
- Please ensure you come at least 10 minutes prior to your sessions so you are dressed and ready to go at the start time.
- If for some reason, a player is unable to attend a session, please let the Association know as soon as possible.

# **Equipment**

- Athletic attire and indoor shoes must be worn at each session. Jeans will not be allowed at the sessions. Please ensure you remove all jewellery before each session.
- Players must check-in prior to each session and will receive a pinnie that will be assigned to them for the duration of the trials.
- <u>Pinnies must be returned after each session.</u>

### 2024 AWG Coaching Staff

Team:	Head:	Assistant:
U19 Female	Darren Horn	Rebecca Plotner





# **Evaluation**

• Participants will be evaluated on their technical, physical, psychological, tactical, and social skills. A copy of the evaluation rubric can be found on the <u>VNT website</u>.

## **Final Team Announcement**

- Final teams will be announced during the last evaluation session and posted on Monday, November 27 on the VNT website and social media.
- Coaches will review with the players the following: code of conduct, athlete contract, training plan, costs, dates etc.
- All players named to the team (including alternates) will be required to pay \$250 by December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.
- Players sizes for clothing will be recorded after the team has been selected.
- A total of 17 athletes will be selected on the team. Please note, the 12 traveling athletes will be notified 40 days prior to the Games.

## Travel

- You should have received travel information from your Regional Coordinator.
- If you have any immediate questions about travel, they can be address through your Regional Coordinator or Sport North.

# **Accommodations**

- We have secured accommodations at the Anglican Church (69 Woodland Dr, Hay River, NT XOE OR8). Anyone staying in the church will need to bring their own sleeping bag, air mattress, pillow, etc. The space will be an empty room.
- If out-of-town players/chaperones do not wish to stay at the church, they are welcome to find/make other arrangements. We just ask that you keep the Association informed on where you are staying.
- Chaperones may take athletes to the pool. Please ensure that the athletes have swimming attire.
- Chaperones will take the athletes to nearby restaurants and/or grocery store. <u>Please</u> ensure athletes have funds during the trials for food. Some meals *may* be provided.
- Showers will be available in the Recreation Center along with designated space for the athletes and coaches to stay during their free time. When not in session athletes can work on homework.
- Chaperones and athletes will be provided with ground transportation to/from the airport. The details will be shared with the chaperones.
- <u>Athletes must remain with their chaperones throughout the trials.</u>
- Curfew will be **11:00 PM** every day or earlier if the chaperones determine that an early curfew is required.



• Any breach of the <u>Code of Conduct</u> may see the participant disqualified from the trials and may be returned to their home community at their own expense. The parent will be notified if there is a breach.

## **Chaperones**

- All participants <u>requiring travel and/or accommodations</u> to the trials **MUST** have a chaperone. It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian and local community members to assist in chaperone identification.
- All chaperones must submit a Vulnerable Sector Check to Sport North and/or Regional Coordinator, if not yet completed.
- Please be cognizant of the **Rule of 2**. **Rule of 2**: two chaperones are required for each group of athletes.

If you have any questions or concerns about the trials, please contact Volleyball NT.

Thank you,

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