



The Mt Lofty Volleyball Club

present the 26th

South Australian Open

South Australia's Indoor Volleyball Championships



6th , 7th , 8th June

Saturday, Sunday, Monday June long

Played in the new state of the art volleyball centre
Mt Lofty Community Sports Centre
99 Longwood Road Heathfield

Entries available from
www.mtloftyvolleyball.com.au

2009 Tournament Information

- DATE:** 6th, 7th, 8th June (Saturday, Sunday, Monday of the June long weekend)
- TIME:** Matches will commence at 9am on Saturday 6th June
If you are unable to commence playing at 9am, you must advise the Tournament Director in writing prior to 19th May.
- VENUES:** Matches will be played at the Mt Lofty Community Sports Centre
99 Longwood Road Heathfield
- DIVISIONS:** Teams will be accepted once their entry form has been received.
Teams will be advised to move up or down if their division is full.
All teams are guaranteed a minimum of five matches.
- CLOSING DATE:**
Entries close on Friday 22nd May (C.O.B).
Entries received after this date incur a \$100 late fee and will only be accepted at the discretion of the Tournament Director.
- REGISTRATION:**
All players wishing to participate in the S.A. Open tournament must be registered with their State Association. AVF tournament registration is available for \$22 per player for those not registered.
- DRAWS:** Official draws will be available on the Mt Lofty Volleyball Club website from 5pm on Monday 1st June.
Please note draws are subject to change and must be checked regularly in the days leading up to the event.
- DUTIES:** Teams will be required to provide duty personnel. Top referee, 2nd referee scorer and 2 lines.
- CANTEEN:** Will be available during tournament playing hours.
- TROPHIES:** Prizes will be awarded to 1st & 2nd place teams.
- ENTRY FEES:** **Division 1 and Division 2 \$250.00**
Must be paid by all teams at time of entry—no exceptions!

YOUR TEAM ENTRY WILL NOT BE PROCESSED UNTIL ALL FEES RECEIVED

- PAYMENT:** Cheques payable to Mt Lofty Volleyball Club.
Direct Deposit Mt Lofty Volleyball Club
BSB 805 05 Account #: 61160399
- REFUNDS** No refunds for teams withdrawing after Friday 29th May

A full list of all tournament regulations for the Mt Lofty SA Open is available on the Mt Lofty Volleyball Club website- www.mtloftyvolleyball.com.au

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By entering the tournament and signing the registration form, teams acknowledge that they are aware of all tournament rules.

Time Limits and Scoring:

1. Teams will have 10 minutes warm up time and 80 minutes match time – A total of 90 minutes court time. Warm up will commence at the game time stated on the draw.
2. Teams will play best of 5 sets in the minor rounds OR to the 80 minute match time limit, whichever comes first.
3. All completed sets are included in any set count back when determining final team position.
4. All points scored during the match (including points scored in incomplete sets) will be included in any points count back when determining final team position.
5. In all Minor round matches, the team winning the most sets will be the winner.
6. An unfinished set will be deemed complete if one team has reached 13 points with a minimum of two points advantage in the sets played to 25.
7. If at the end of time sets won are equal, a count back on points will determine the result.
8. Teams who are not ready to commence play at the completion of the warm up period will lose the first set 25-0.
9. If after a further ten minutes a team is not ready for play, that team will lose the match 0-3, with the scores 0-25, 0-25, 0-25. That team will be penalised minus 4 competition points for a forfeit.
10. The Mt Lofty Tournament Director will signal the start of the match, the last five minutes of the match and the completion of the match.
11. No time outs are permitted during the last five minutes of the match
12. The interval between sets is a maximum of two minute in all matches played to a time limit
13. At the completion of minor round matches team positions will be determined by the following criterion:
14. **1st Criteria** – Competition points.
15. **2nd Criteria** – Sets for divided by total sets played.
16. **3rd Criteria** – Points for divided by total points played.

Crossovers and Finals:

1. Semi Finals and Crossover finals will be best of 5 sets with no time limit.
2. In the event of a semi final or crossover final going beyond the scheduled finish time, the following match will commence no later than ten minutes of the finish of the match.

Substitutions:

1. The AVF 12 substitution rule will apply.

Net Heights:

Division 1 Men	2.43m
Division 2 Men	2.43m
Division 1 Women	2.24m
Division 2 Women	2.15m

Duty Teams:

- 1 Duty Teams not present at the start of a match as scheduled will incur a duty forfeit which is minus 4 competition points.
- 2 Duty teams who fail to turn up to a finals match, will only be allowed to enter the 2010 SA open at the discretion of the Tournament Director.
- 3 Duty teams as listed on the official draw must consist of 1st and 2nd referees, scorer and two line judges.
- 4 Duty teams are responsible for the signing/collection/returning of court equipment.
- 5 Duty Teams must ensure that the score sheet is correctly and fully completed before submitting it to the Venue Supervisor. This includes information on incomplete sets and incorrect uniforms.
- 6 It is a health requirement that teams provide their own whistles. Whistles are available for purchase from the Tournament Director.

Players:

- 1 The playing uniform will be as per FIVB Rule. (Socks to be the same colour.)
- 2 Players may play for only one team in each division.
- 3 A player must have taken the court and played in a minimum of 4 round matches for the said team to be eligible to play in a Medal playoff.
- 4 Any player identified as having an open wound that is bleeding must be substituted. The substitution will be classified as an exceptional substitution under FIVB Rules and will not count as part of the teams 12 substitutions per set. The injured player may return in the same set.
- 5 If no substitution player is available for that player, a three-minute period will be allowed. If after that period a player is not, in the opinion of the referees, ready to play, the team will be deemed to be incomplete.
- 6 A team deemed incomplete part way through a match due to an injury will incur a loss in that game (the game is not a forfeit).

Competition Points:

Win	4 points
Draw	2 points
Loss	0 points
Match or Duty forfeit	-4 points

For more information regarding the 2009 S.A. Open Volleyball Tournament please

CONTACT:

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2009 South Australian Open Volleyball Championship OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM AND TAX INVOICE ONE FORM PER TEAM

TEAM NAME: _____

CLUB/ASSOCIATION: _____

STATE: _____

TEAM CONTACT: _____

ADDRESS: _____

E-MAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

MOBILE PHONE CONTACT DURING EVENT _____

All entry fees are inclusive of GST

Please tick the Division you wish to enter

DIVISION	MEN	WOMEN	ENTRY FEE	BOND
DIVISION 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$250	\$0
DIVISION 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$250	\$0

**ENTRY WILL NOT BE PROCESSED UNTIL ALL FEES RECEIVED
CLOSING DATE FOR TEAM NOMINATIONS – Friday 22nd May C.O.B.**

Cheques payable to Mt Lofty Volleyball Club – All fees must accompany entry form.

Direct Deposit: Mt Lofty Volleyball Club BSB 805 050 Account # 61160399

**POST ENTRY FORMS TO – Mt Lofty Volleyball Club
7 Jose Street Melrose Park SA 5039**

Phone: Janice Scott (tournament director) 0408 851 154

Email: stuart.scott09@gmail.com



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Player Shirt #	Player Name	Volleyball Australia Rego Number
1		
2		
3		
4		
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10		
11		
12		
	Coach	Not required
	Manager	Not required

If you can include players' names and numbers your score sheets will be completed ready for you just to sign before your match. This makes to tournament easier for your coach and captain.

Please find enclosed a cheque for \$250.00 for the S.A Open team nomination fee for 2009.

Signed: _____
(Team Representative and Contact)

Date: ___ / ___ / ___

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date Paid: _____ / _____ / _____
 Receipt Number: _____
 Amount Paid: \$ _____

TEAM CONTACT:

Team Contact: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____