

Referees:

Although we're still in the midst of the high school and collegiate seasons, I will be starting assignments for 2015-16 OVR events over the course of the next few weeks.

I'd like to ask each of you to ensure you're OVR availability calendar is up to date. Access your calendar by logging into your OVR website account and then select "Indicated dates when I am unavailable for any officiating assignments." Remember, DO NOT block a date that you are "holding" for an OVR assignment; the assignor will not be able to assign you on that date. Only block dates that you cannot officiate any volleyball tournaments due to other obligations.

Here are the OVR dates that I will be assigning. For multi-day tournaments, you do not necessarily need to be available both days. "GCCC" is the Greater Columbus Convention Center. Lodging is provided at GCCC events, as needed.

Dec 19-12: Boys' Holiday Tournament (GCCC)

Jan 23-24: OVR Girls' WinterFest (GCCC)

\*USA National Clinic will be presented on Jan 23

\*\*Jan 29-31: 18s Girls' National Qualifier (GCCC)

- This is a USAV national qualifier event; Junior National and National referees are given preference

Jan 30-31: OVR Boys' WinterFest (GCCC)

Feb 13-14: President's Cup (GCCC & various Dayton sites)

Feb 27-28: OVR Bid Play-In for 12s-17s (GameTime Sports/Urbana)

Feb 28: OVR Girls' 18N Bid Tournament (Buckeye VBC/Columbus)

April 9-10: OVR Bid Tournament/Adult Championships (GCCC)

April 30-May 1: OVR Girls' Regional Championships (GCCC)

May 7-8: OVR Girls' Regional Championships (GCCC)

May 14-15: OVR Girls' Regional Championships (GCCC)

May 21-22: OVR Girls' Regional Championships (GCCC)

Indicating your availability for any of the above dates/sites does not guarantee you will be assigned.

Please reply directly to THIS email with your availability, even if you have previously sent an email request with your open dates.

Thank you! Hope the fall is going well.

Brian Hemelgarn  
OVR Referees' Chair