

Why Coach?

UNITED STATES YOUTH



VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

Unlike other sports, USYVL has done most of the hard work for you. You don't need to create practice plans, make phone calls, send email reminders or bring a bag of equipment. With USYVL, a desire to spend time with your child is all you need to coach.

How do we make it easier?

1. USYVL practices are always the same day and always at the same time and place. In fact, the day and time is advertised so everyone signs up their kids knowing what day of the week we practice and where we will practice.
2. USYVL games are always on the same day and at the same time and place on your home field, with the exception of 2-3 games called Inter Site Game Days (ISGD).
3. 2-3 games per season may be at a neighboring location for what we call an ISGD. These are mini tournaments where your site will join with another site (sometimes 2 other sites) and you will play for 2 hours instead of just one.
4. We have a Clinician (Head Volleyball Coach) at each site for all practices and games. Clinicians will review the practice plan with the volunteer coaches 15 minutes prior to practice time so that all coaches are working on the same skill sets on the same days. This makes things easier for volunteer coaches to work together to teach their kids.
5. We have a Volunteer Coaches Clinic prior to the start of the season that lasts about 2 hours to review the USYVL philosophies and instruct coaches on basic techniques.
6. No communication outside of practices and games is required by the coach. If there is a cancellation due to weather, the USYVL National Office will send out emails and texts for you.
7. There is no posting of scores each week.

What is required to coach?

1. Volunteer Application on file (new one required each season)
2. Desire to spend time with your child
3. Desire to have fun
4. Desire to learn volleyball & teach others to play

What are the perks if I coach?

1. You can choose 1 player in addition to your own child to play for your team, so your child can play with their BFF (For Volunteer Head Coaches)
2. You get an awesome Red USYVL Coaching shirt
3. You get a gift at the end of the season to say "thanks Coach"
4. You get to be called Coach by 10-12 kids
5. You get to make a difference in the life of your child and other children