



MIDWEST BOYS POINT SERIES

2020-2021 Information Packet

History

The Midwest Boys Point Series was founded in the season of 2018-2019. Designed by a handful of Midwest Clubs, the main purpose of the series was to encourage regional based competition for clubs and programs located in the Midwest. The series saw an overall increase in registration of 48 total registrations between the 2018-19 season and the 2019-20 season.

The Midwest Boys Point Series is a power league based event that includes three weekends prior to the 2020-21 National Qualifying events. Each weekend, the series will rotate between hosts clubs to allow different travel while also allowing clubs who are not able to host a regular weekend event a chance to welcome other clubs into their facility.

Divisions

The Midwest Boys Point Series is separated into four playing divisions. Teams may register for the Full Series for the following divisions in the 13/14s, 15/16s, & 17/18s. Registration for the full series is **\$1200** a team.

Registration for the Midwest Boys Point Series will be online by *July 15th* for teams to register. If you are not interested in attending the full series, you are able to register for single events that may be closer to your area. Teams can register online for these events for **\$450** a weekend.

We are the process of evaluating the benefit of a 12U division. This division will be a one day event compared to the usual two-day event that the rest of the series participates in. Registration will be **\$600** a team for the entire series, a **\$225** per event for individual registration.

Dates & Locations

Teams participating in the FULL SCHEDULE will play on three different weekends. These weekends will take place during the months of November through January. Locations for each division will vary between Louisville, Indianapolis, and Cincinnati. The current planned weekends include:

November 14th-15th, 2020

December 5th-6th, 2020

January 9th-10th, 2021

Locations will be announced no later than *July 31st*.

Schedules & Results

The Midwest Boys Point Series will utilize www.advancedeventsystems.com to post schedules and results. The schedule will be up no later than two weeks prior to the event.

National Fee/Prize Money

Teams participating in the FULL SCHEDULE and finish in 1st place in their division, will be eligible to have their 2021 National entry fee paid or reimbursed in full (no more than \$1000 per division winner).

Point System & Final Finish

The FULL SCHEDULE consists of three play dates. The first date (not full weekend) is designed to be a seeded event. After that, all brackets and pools will be based on previous results and weekends. The Point Series will now be utilizing a ladder schedule. Teams who finish first and second of their respective bracket will move up, while those who finish last will move down.

IF you are playing in individual events, you forfeit your right to compete in the highest bracket. You may request your registered team to play in the second tier bracket but must be approved by the host clubs.

Each weekend teams will play a minimum of six matches. Division size will dictate if any additional matches will be played. Overall standing/finishes will be determined by the "grand champion" of each division. The grand champion must finish in the top bracket (bracket A).

Tiebreakers

In the case of tie there will be NO PLAY-OFFS. The tiebreaker formula will go as follows

- Head to Head (if still tied)
- Game percentage (if still tied)
- Pool Point Differential (if still tied)

Admissions

Admission will be charged at all facilities and will be set by the host facility. **Admission cannot/will not** exceed the following:

- Adults: \$6.00 (\$12.00 a weekend)
- Senior (60&up): \$5.00 (\$10.00 a weekend)
- 5 & under: FREE

Application To Host

The Midwest Boys Point Series will be accepting applications to host for the 2021-2022 Tournament Series in an effort to help grow the overall series in locations. To receive the application for hosting, contact Andrew Fuller at andrew@theacademyvolleyball.com, or by phone at 317-545-3880 ext. 108.

To be considered as a Host Site, each club or facility must commit to the following:

- Six Court minimum facility in one location
- USAV Recommended form minimum dimensions (59'X29'6 / 6' Surrounding)
- Hotels available within a 15 minute drive of facility for all registered teams
- 90% of teams committed for year prior to hosting
- Gate will not exceed the above admission rules.

Contact Information

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