

**HUTCHINSON JO TIGER JAM TOURNAMENT**  
**11/12's TOURNAMENT ON APRIL 11**  
**Site Director: Matt Jaunich (320-583-2208)**

- Locations:** Pool and Bracket Play is at the Hutchinson Middle School – 1365 South Grade Road SW, Hutchinson, MN 55350 (Enter by the Pool Door on the west side).
- Admission Cost:** \$10 per spectator per day. \$5 for Students, Seniors and Veterans. Cash and Venmo only. A wristband will be given to allow entrance to any of the Tiger Jam locations. 5 and under are free.
- Concessions:** Concessions will be provided. (Pizza, hot dogs, pulled pork, fruit, snacks, beverages, etc.)
- Doors Open:** Doors open at 7:30 a.m. Pool Play begins at 8 a.m.
- Session Format:** Tournament Format. Pool Play in the morning and Bracket Play in the afternoon. Pool Play begins at 8 a.m. Bracket Play begins at 1 p.m. or about 15-20 minutes after the last pool is finished. Every team is guaranteed 4 matches or the equivalent of 8 sets.

A brief coaches meeting will take place at 7:40 a.m. to go over the ground rules for the day. It is not necessary for teams who have to travel to make it to this meeting if you are not scheduled to play at 8:00 a.m. but please be there by 8:15 a.m. Please check with the Site Director when you do arrive for any schedule changes, etc. JVA/USAV Rules will apply.

Pool A – Court 1	Pool B – Court 2
A. Laker 11's	A. High Voltage 11-1
B. Hutchinson 11-1	B. Jordan 11-1
C. Coyotes 11U Pink	C. GSL 11-2
D. SSP 12-White	D. Coyotes 11U Teal

**Schedule**  
**8 A.M. Start**

<b>Pool Play</b>			
<u>match #</u>	<u>warm-up</u>	<u>playing</u>	<u>ref</u>
1	10 min	A v C	B
2	10 min	B v D	A
3	5 min	A v D	C
4	5 min	B v C	A
5	5 min	C v D	B
6	5 min	A v B	D

**Volleyballs for warm-ups and game balls will be provided. No need to bring your own balls.**

**Warm-up Format Definition**

- 10-minute warm-up applies to the first 2 matches of pool play and first matches of bracket play.

- A 2-4-4 format will be used for the 10-minute warm-up. The first two minutes will be for ball handling, followed by 4 minutes on the court for the serving team and then 4 minutes for the receiving team.
- 5-minute warm-up applies to all other matches. A 1-2-2 format will be used for the 5-minute warm-up.

### Pool Play Format

- Pool Play will be 2 games to 25 points with a cap of 27.
- If the two teams split their sets the team with the most favorable point differential will be awarded the match. If the two teams split their sets and the scores of the sets are the same resulting in a 0-point differential, an additional point would need to be played at the end of the second game. The team with the serve will serve the deciding point.
- *Example:* team A wins set one 25-23, team B wins set two 25-23, an additional point should be played in game two.

### Bracket Play Format

- All teams will advance to one of the following playoff divisions: Gold (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> in Pool) or Silver (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> in Pool).
- #1 seed from Pool A will play #2 seed in Pool B and #2 seed in Pool A will play #1 seed in Pool B in Gold bracket. #3 seed from Pool A will play #4 seed in Pool B and #4 seed in Pool A will play #3 seed in Pool B in Silver bracket.
- Bracket play will be best two out of three games. Scoring will be 25-25-15 with no cap and a team must win by 2.
- 1<sup>st</sup> in Gold Division and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Gold Division will receive medals. Medals will also be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in the Silver Division.

### Tie Breaker and Seeding for Bracket Play Methods

- Tie Breakers and seeding for bracket play will be determined by the following format, in this order:
  - Match Wins
  - Head-to-Head (only if 2 teams are tied)
  - Set Wins
  - Point Differential
  - Coin Flip

### Additional Information

- Standard USAV refereeing positions will be used – R1, R2, Line Judges, Scorer, flip chart operator, etc. An Adult/Coach needs to be the R1.
- Serving line will be moved up approximately 7 ft. from regulation end line. Players must serve from behind this line.
- Net height will be 7 ft. Volley lites will be used.
- For our 11's and 12's divisions, no player will be allowed to serve more than 5 straight points, teams must rotate players when an individual player has served 5 straight points.

- NO PHONES or MUSIC DEVICES for the officiating crew – this includes the scoring table.
- No switching sides between sets.
- No team camps in the gyms.
- No trainer will be available. Please talk to the site director if any injuries occur to fill out an incident report.

Thank you for attending our tournament. Best of luck and enjoy the day! If you have any questions, please contact Matt at [hutchjovolleyball@gmail.com](mailto:hutchjovolleyball@gmail.com) or (320) 583-2208. For additional information, visit our website at [www.hutchinsonjovolleyball.org/my-tournament](http://www.hutchinsonjovolleyball.org/my-tournament).