

2025-2026

**CLUB PACKET** 

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www.thelabtrainingclub.com/thrive

### What is Club Volleyball?

Club volleyball is best looked at as a way for your athlete to begin playing competitively. It's a minimum 7-month season with practices at least twice per week with experienced coaches. Teams play in regional and sometimes National tournaments. Families must be ready to invest their time and money in order to play club. Although it is a demanding commitment, your athlete will grow tremendously over the season; it can be the most rewarding to watch them achieve at a high level with teammates and friends that they will build a unique bond with.

## Does my athlete have to play club?

It really depends on yours and your athlete's goals. Does you athlete want to play in High School? Does you athlete want to make it to Varsity? Does your athlete want to play in college? If you answered "yes" to all three of these questions, your athlete most definitely should be playing club. Club volleyball is your way to prepare for all of these scenarios. Local competition is deep these days – as in there are a ton of athletes trying to make their school's team who get cut every season. A lot of the reason is because they started playing club too late. The best time to start playing club is at least 13 years old. If 12's are interested in getting competitive and have at least 6–12 months of experience, it can also be a good time for them to start their club journey.

## Why should we choose to play at Thrive?

Thrive was created with three things in mind:

1) Quality Training: If you have experienced our training at The Lab, you know that quality training is our highest priority. The same goes for our teams at Thrive. Many other club's highest priority is financial gain. They will take on as many teams as possible, sometimes leaving teams with inexperienced coaches. At Thrive, we take the quality of training seriously; therefore, we make it a priority to constantly be

- providing our coaches with educational sessions and training before, and while, leading a team. We have qualifications in place that they must earn before being assigned a team. Unlike other clubs, we would prefer to reduce the number of teams we can take on to ensure we can provide the highest instruction possible.
- 2) <u>Commitment to every player:</u> Whether your athlete is a top player or someone with less experience, if they come through our doors, they will receive the same attention as everybody else. Growing athletes is our job and mission a hyper focus on one athlete goes outside of our values. We strive to help every player grow, succeed, and feel a great sense of accomplishment at the end of every season.
- 3) Excellent Player/Family Experience: We understand that club volleyball is a commitment not only from the players but from their families as well. We do our best to keep that in mind and provide an excellent experience for all involved. Whether it's free coffee in the lounge for the parents, organizing a club-wide food drive for a local food bank, or creating ways to build team cohesion, we strive to build a strong sense of community within our club where it feels like home for anyone.

And now... let's take a deeper dive into the season and what all of this will look like...

### **Important Dates**

**July 26:** 15u & 16u girl's tryouts

# Time (by age group):

15s, 9-11am

16s/17s, 11am-1pm

Location: Santa Clarita Athletic Club

24640 Wiley Canyon Rd, Newhall, CA 91321

\*Times and location are subject to change

## July 27: Team Registration

**Time, 9am-2pm:** Team Registration, time dependent on team (TBA)

**Location:** Thrive Gym

15853 Monte st, Unit 104, Sylmar, CA

## October 4: 12U-14U Girl's Tryouts

## Time (by age group):

12s, 8:30-10am

13s, 2-4pm

14s, 11-1pm

**Location:** Newhall Church of the Nazarene, Gym

23857 The Old Rd, Newhall, CA

\*Times and location are subject to change

### October 5: Team Registration

**Time, 9am-2pm:** Team Registration, time dependent on team (TBA)

**Location:** Thrive Gym

15853 Monte st, Unit 104, Sylmar, CA

#### First Practice:

The first authorized days of practice by SCVA are typically the beginning of November for 14 & Under divisions; and the end of November for 15 & Older divisions. Your coaches will let you know when your first practice will be held.

**Practice Schedules:** TBA

#### TOURNAMENT ATTENDANCE

Team	SCVA Regional Tournaments	Red Rock Rave (GJNQ)	Salt Lake Showdown (GJNQ)	*JVA West Coast Cup	AAU Nationals
	Dates: See Page 6	Dates: See Page 6	4/25-4/27 or 5/1-5/3	5/23-5/25	Dates TBD (Mid-End of June)
12 Teal	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
12 Gold	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
13 Teal	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO
13 Gold	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO
14 Teal	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO
14 Gold	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO
15 Teal	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO
15 Gold	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES
16 Gold (Or Hybrid Team)	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES

<sup>\*</sup>JVA WEST COAST CUP: If a team is listed "Yes" this will be tentative depending if there are any scheduling conflicts with the SCVA Championships. If a scheduling conflict occurs, SCVA Championship will take priority.

#### **TOURNAMENT LOCATIONS AND TIMES**

Regional tournament locations/times are communicated to the teams from SCVA typically the week of. It is likely we will not find out the location until as late as the Wednesday prior to the weekend. However, MOST regional tournaments are held in and around Anaheim and Irvine.

Teams will typically play in the AM or PM pool. If playing AM, your schedule will typically begin at 8am or 9am and last until 3pm. If playing PM, your schedule will typically begin at 3pm and run until 8pm. Teams typically play a total of 3 matches per tournament day.

Teams are expected to be on the court and ready to go 30 mins prior to their start time.

Once the tournament event schedule is released, you can find those details at: www.sportwrench.com and selecting the appropriate tournament event.

<sup>\*</sup> Tournament Attendance for each team is subject to change at any time.



# SCVA GIRLS SCHEDULE - 2025/2026 CLUB SEASON

DAY	EVENT DATE	AGE GROUP	EVENT NAME	CLASSIFICATION	DEADLINE
Saturday	November 8, 2025	11U-13U	Optional Event	Regional Event	10/31/25
Sunday	November 9, 2025	14U	Optional Event	Regional Event	10/31/25
Sat-Sun	November 15-16, 2025	14U	Entry Event	Regional Event	11/7/25
Sat-Sun	November 22-23, 2025	11U-13U	Entry Event	Regional Event	11/14/25
Sat-Sun	December 6-7, 2025	16U/18U	Entry Event	Regional Event	11/28/25
Sat-Sun	December 13-14, 2025	15U/17U	Entry Event	Regional Event	12/5/25
Saturday	December 20, 2025	14U	Event #1	Regional Event	12/12/25
Saturday	January 10, 2026	13U	Event #1	Regional Event	1/2/26
Sat-Sun	January 10-11, 2026	18U	Event #1	Regional Event	1/2/26
Saturday	January 17, 2026	12U/17U	Event #1	Regional Event	1/9/26
Sunday	January 18, 2026	16U	Event #1	Regional Event	1/9/26
Monday	January 19, 2026	15U	Event #1	Regional Event	1/9/26
Saturday	January 24, 2026	14U	Event #2	Regional Event	1/16/26
Sunday	January 25, 2026	110	Event #1	Regional Event	1/16/26
Sunday	January 25, 2026	13U	Event #2	Regional Event	1/16/26
Saturday	January 31, 2026	12U/17U	Event #2	Regional Event	1/23/26
Sunday	February 1, 2026	15U	Event #2	Regional Event	1/23/26
Saturday	February 7, 2026	16U	Event #2	Regional Event	1/31/26
Saturday	February 7, 2026	11U	Event #2	Regional Event	1/31/26
Sat-Mon	February 14-16, 2026	15U-18U	Las Vegas Classic	Special Event (Las Vegas)	Separate Entry
Sat-Mon	February 14-16, 2026	10U-14U	Coastal Combine 1	Special Event	Separate Entry
Saturday	February 21, 2026	14U	Event #3	Regional Event	2/13/26
Sunday	February 22, 2026	15U	Event #3	Regional Event	2/13/26
Saturday	February 28, 2026	18U	Event #2	Regional Event	2/20/26
Saturday	February 28, 2026	13U	Event #3	Regional Event	2/20/26
Sunday	March 1, 2026	12U/17U	Event #3	Regional Event	2/20/26
Saturday	March 7, 2026	16U	Event #3	Regional Event	2/27/26
Saturday	March 7, 2026	11U	Event #3	Regional Event	2/27/26
Sat-Mon	March 14-16, 2026	15U-17U	Red Rock Rave 1	JNQ Event 1 (Las Vegas)	Separate Entry
Sat-Mon	March 14-16, 2026	11U-14U	Coastal Combine 2	Special Event	Separate Entry
Saturday	March 21, 2026	110	Event #4	Regional Event	3/13/26
Saturday	March 21, 2026	15U Div 5-20	Event #4	Regional Event	3/13/26
Saturday	March 21, 2026	15U	Bid Event	Regional Event	TBD
Sunday	March 22, 2026	12U All/14U Div 5-20	Event #4	Regional Event	3/13/26
Sunday	March 22, 2026	14U	Bid Event	Regional Event	TBD
Saturday	March 28, 2026	16U/17U Div 5-20	Event #4	Regional Event	3/20/26
Saturday	March 28, 2026	16U/17U	Bid Event	Regional Event	TBD
Sunday	March 29, 2026	13U Div 5-20	Event #4	Regional Event	3/20/26
Sunday	March 29, 2026	18U	Event #3	Regional Event	3/20/26
Sat-Mon	April 4-6, 2026	11U-14U	Red Rock Rave 2	JNQ Event 2 (Las Vegas)	Separate Entry
Sat-Mon	April 4-6, 2026	15U-18U	Coastal Combine 3	Special Event	Separate Entry
Saturday	April 11, 2026	15U Div 5-20	Event #5	Regional Event	4/3/26
Sunday	April 12, 2026	14U Div 5-20	Event #5	Regional Event	4/3/26
Saturday	April 18, 2026	16U Div 5-20	Event #5	Regional Event	4/10/26
Sunday	April 19, 2026	18U	Championships	Regional Event	4/10/26
Saturday	April 25, 2026	11U Div 5-20	Event #5	Regional Event	4/17/26
Saturday	April 25, 2026	13U Div 5-20	Event #5	Regional Event	4/17/26
Sunday	April 26, 2026	12U	Event #5	Regional Event	4/17/26
Sunday	April 26, 2026	17U Div 5-20	Event #5	Regional Event	4/17/26
Saturday	May 2, 2026	13U/16U Div 1-4	Event #4	Regional Event	4/24/26
Sunday	May 3, 2026	14U/15U Div 1-4	Event #4	Regional Event	4/24/26
Saturday	May 9, 2026	17U Div 1-4	Event #4	Regional Event	5/1/26
Sat-Sun	May 16-17, 2026	15U	Championships	Regional Event	5/8/26
Sat-Sun	May 23-24, 2026	110/130/160	Championships	Regional Event	5/15/26
Sun-Mon	May 24-25, 2026	12U/17U	Championships	Regional Event	5/15/26
Fri-Sun	May 29-31, 2026	11U-18U	Summer Soiree	Special Event	Separate Entry
Sat-Sun	May 30-31, 2026	14U	Championships	Regional Event	5/22/26
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## SCVA Info & Committing to a club

### What is SCVA?

SCVA: Southern California Volleyball Association is the organization that hosts and organizes regional tournaments for club volleyball in Southern California.

# Committing to a club

After tryouts and making a team, all club players must purchase an SCVA and USAV membership for the 25-26 season. Athletes are required to sign a Commitment Letter to commit to the club they want to play for.

## Season Costs/Expenses Overview

This is only an <u>estimated</u> cost breakdown of potential expenses that can be incurred while participating in club volleyball. We have not factored in other miscellaneous expenses such as travel to local tournaments, food, etc. The following fees are <u>subject to change</u> at any time, and may differ upon registration, location, or time of sign up.

- Thrive Club Dues: \$4,000 \$5,500
- -Includes: Facility lease and rentals, Tournament fees, Coach's salaries, Coach's lodging, Coach's travel, Equipment, Maintenance, Insurance, Administrative Fees, etc.
- Uniforms: Estimated \$285-325
- -Includes: 2 jersey tops, 1 warm up top, 1 backpack.
- Lodging (Stay-to-Play Events): Estimated \$285/night
- Parking per tournament: Est. \$20/car/day
- Admission per tournament: Est. \$20/person/day

# Lodging Info: Stay-to-Play Tournaments

Thrive Volleyball Club will participate in tournaments that are considered "Stay-to-Play". Most travel tournaments are "Stay-to-Play" events which require the club to stay at certain hotels for participation in the tournament. We will send you the booking information when it comes available. Families will purchase their rooms through the block that we have reserved – an email with a link to the block will be sent to you. These tournaments include (Red Rock Rave, Salt Lake Showdown, West Coast Cup, and Nationals).

## Paying club dues, and Enrolling in a payment plan

Club due fees for each team are as follows:

Team	Deposit	Total Cost
12 Teal	\$2,000	\$4,000
12 Gold	\$2,500	\$4,500
13 Teal	\$2,000	\$4,000
13 Gold	\$2,500	\$5,000
14 Teal	\$2,500	\$5,000
14 Gold	\$2,500	\$5,000
15 Teal	\$2,500	\$5,000
15 Gold	\$2,500	\$5,200
16 Gold	\$2,500	\$5,500

<sup>\*</sup>The breakdown above may or may not reflect accurate teams for the 25-26 season. For example, the 25-26 season may not actually include a 12 Teal team; however, the prices are accurate if we do in fact take on a 12 Teal team.

If paying by debit card, credit card, or bank account, a processing charge will be applied. <u>To avoid processing fees:</u>

- You may pay IN FULL by cash or check to avoid any processing fees
- OR you may pay your DEPOSIT by cash or check to avoid a processing fee on the deposit only. All monthly payments from there will incur a processing fee as you will be set up with recurring automatic payments.

# <u>Processing fees:</u>

• Credit or debit cards: 4.2% + \$0.30

• Bank account: 3.0% + \$.30

Monthly payments are due by the 25th of each month prior for all age groups.

Payment 1 — November payment is due by October 25

Payment 2 — December payment is due by November 25

Payment 3 — January payment is due by December 25

Payment 4 — February payment is due by January 25

Payment 5 — March payment is due by February 25

Payment 6 — April payment is due by March 25

Payment 7 — May payment is due by April 25

<sup>\*</sup>Parents may request to submit a lower deposit if needed with higher monthly payments. Please send requests to kasey@thrivevbclub.com