

BUCS Beach Volleyball Championships 2017

Provisional Pre-Event Information

Organisers

This event is organised for BUCS by Volleyball England, in partnership with Bournemouth University and Sport BU.

Dates

Pairs: Saturday 3rd – Sunday 4th June 2017

Mixed Fours: Sunday 4th June 2017

Venue

Sandbanks Beach

Address

Sandbanks Promenade, Banks Road, Poole, BH13 7QQ

Travel

Local Train Stations

Bournemouth, Branksome, Parkstone & Poole Train Stations

Car Parking

Early parking free on surrounding roads. Car Park adjacent to the Beach – Borough of Poole charges apply.

Local transport

<https://www.bybus.co.uk/>

Registration and Technical Meeting

The Championships will be preceded by a Technical Meeting to be held on the morning of the first day of the event unless otherwise advertised. All players must be in attendance at the Technical Meeting. If a team fails to attend the Technical Meeting then they will be subject to a £20 fine.

All teams will be required to register on arrival on the morning of the first day of the event, prior to the Technical Meeting.

In cases where exceptional circumstances prevent a team from registering or a player from attending the Technical Meeting, it will be the team's or player's responsibility to notify the Tournament Director, in advance, of the inability to register or attend and to demonstrate the existence of such exceptional circumstances.

Registration and the Technical Meeting will take place at Sandbanks Beach, Sport BU Marquee, Banks Road, Poole, BH13 7QQ.

Provisional schedule

Matches will take place between 09:30 – 19:00 (this is subject to change so be prepared to play earlier/later if required).

Tournament directors

Volleyball England representatives

Recommended Accommodation

<http://www.pooletourism.com/stay/>

Bournemouth

Local Tourism Information can be found here: <http://bournemouth.co.uk/>

Entry checks

On Thursday 13th April 2017 BUCS will publish the provisional pair allocations on the BUCS website Beach Volleyball Championships event page and they will also be circulate via BUCS Essentials on Tuesday 18th April 2017. Institutions will have until Thursday 4th May 2017 to request any changes to these allocations. All requests will be considered, but please be aware that it may not be possible to fulfil all requests.

Should any of the competitions be oversubscribed, any entries not originally allocated a space will be added to a ranked reserve list so that in the case of the complete withdrawal of an entry the space can be re-allocated.

During this window institutions can also request to substitute in any of their reserves if required. After Thursday 4th May institutions will only able to use reserves in the case of a NEW injury evidenced by a doctor's note or equivalent up until registration on the day. These reserves must be registered on BUCScore. Players from lower ranked teams can be pushed up to replace withdrawals from higher ranked teams, or reserves can be used instead. Please note however that players from higher ranked teams cannot be pushed down to lower ranked teams.

If there are player withdrawals or substitutions made, the tournament ranking will not be redrawn.

Withdrawals & no-shows

Institutions should advise [Nick Burley](#) of any withdrawals ASAP so that where possible these spaces can be re-allocated.

Please note that any teams who do not attend the Technical Meeting on the Saturday morning will be fined £20. Any teams who do not attend the competition at all without withdrawing in advance will be fined £30.

If you have any questions, please get in touch via your Athletic Union.

[Nick Burley](#)

BUCS Event Coordinator

Related downloads on the BUCS website

BUCS Beach Volleyball Championships Accepted Entries (To be published on Thursday 13th April 2017)