



VOLLEYBALL
ENGLAND
super 8s



FINALS WEEKEND

**FEATURING THE
SITTING VOLLEYBALL
GRAND PRIX FINAL**



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MATCH SCHEDULE

SATURDAY 5TH MAY

- **13:30 Women's Super 8s final leg 1**
 - Team Northumbria vs Team Durham
- **16:00 Men's Super 8s final leg 1**
 - Team Northumbria vs IBB Polonia London

SUNDAY 6TH MAY

- **11:00 Sitting Volleyball Grand Prix final**
 - East London Lynx vs Sheffield Volleyball Club
- NVL women's division winners' presentations
- **13:30 Women's Super 8s final leg 2**
 - Team Northumbria vs Team Durham
- NVL men's division winners' presentations
- **16:00 Men's Super 8s final leg 2**
 - Team Northumbria vs IBB Polonia London

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SUPER 8S WOMEN'S FINAL

Saturday 5th May 13:30 (leg 1), Sunday 6th May 13:30 (leg 2)



COACH: David Goodchild

ASSISTANT COACHES: Paul Welsh & Ross Enfield

BENCH PERSONNEL: Will Short (Physio)

TEAM COLOURS: Red (leg 1), black (leg 2)



No.	Name	Height (cm)
1 (C)	Jurja Vlastic	185
2	Blair Elrich	173
3	Sarah Kjos	170
4	Courtney Brand	170
5	Elizabeth Dowd	171
6	Faye Hills	183
7	Kayla Bastian	176
8	Yulia Tokarenko	181
9	Annie Reiswig	180
10	Emily Astarita	185
11	Chloe Mathis	175
12	Lauren Heathcote	178
13	Samantha Cash	195
14	Paige Fullerton	187
15	Leah Best	201
16	Steph Boyce	180

VERSUS



No.	Name	Height (cm)
2	Eleanor Barnett-Wright	162
3	Alexa Riccolo	170
5	Whitney Wilde	175
7	MaryKate Imrie	175
9	Sophie Szysko	173
11	Petra Jerabkova	172
12	Elizabeth Culpepper	183
13	Bruna Bon	181
15	Sara Jo Sternard	187
16	Claire Felix	200

COACH: Claire Felix

ASSISTANT COACHES: Whitney Wilde and Ali'i Keohohou

MANAGER: Elliot Pollard

BENCH PERSONNEL: Eduardo Zardo

TEAM COLOURS: Purple



OFFICIALS: Alexandru Calin (2nd Sat, 1st Sun)

David Skipsey (1st Sat, 2nd Sun)



SUPER 8S WOMEN'S FINAL

Saturday 5th May 13:30 (leg 1), Sunday 6th May 13:30 (leg 2)

ROUTE TO THE FINAL

League Position: 1st

W:13, L:1, SF: 41, SA: 6

Play off semi-final:

Beat Pulsepoint London Orcas
3-1, 3-1

FIVE FACTS:

- Jurja Vlastic plays beach volleyball for Croatia
- There are three England internationals in Northumbria's squad: Faye Hills, Paige Fullerton and Leah Best
- If Northumbria women are victorious in this weekend's final, they will have won every competition they have entered this year
- The team are going to Croatia this summer to play in Global Challenge
- Sarah Kjos' husband Paul is in the Team Northumbria squad for the men's final



VERSUS

FIVE FACTS:

- Durham are the reigning Super 8s Champions, having beat Team Northumbria in last year's final
- Sophie Szysko has played volleyball with Kate Middleton
- Bruna Bon has played for the U17 and U19s Brazilian national team
- Sara Sternard was recruited to play D1 NCAA basketball before ever even looking to play volleyball in college
- Player-coach Claire Felix was the 13th person in NCAA history to go 12/12 hitting in a D1 NCAA volleyball match



ROUTE TO THE FINAL

League Position: 2nd

W:12, L:2, SF:36, SA:8

Play off semi-final:

Beat Polonia SideOut London
in a golden set 15-5

SUPER 8S MEN'S FINAL

Saturday 5th May 16:00 (leg 1), Sunday 6th May 16:00 (leg 2)



COACH: David Goodchild

ASSISTANT COACHES: Paul Welsh & Ross Enfield

BENCH PERSONNEL: Will Short (Physio)

TEAM COLOURS: Black (leg 1), red (leg 2)

No.	Name	Height (cm)
1	Federico Pagliara	183
2	Daniel Sach	184
5	Alex Ukkelberg	185
6	Dan Starkey	193
7	Matt White	195
8	Liam Jenkinson	196
9 (C)	Adam Bradbury	190
10	Rupert Scott	187
11	Andrew Clayton	196
12	Nathan Fullerton	195
13	Paul Kjos	192
14	Oscar Gonzalez Sola	183
15	Danny Kingstad	193



VERSUS



COACH: Piotr Graban

ASSISTANT COACH: Patrik Selep

MANAGER: Kasia Strag

BENCH PERSONNEL: Chris Hykiel

TEAM COLOURS: Red (leg 1), blue (leg 2)

No.	Name	Height (cm)
1	Damian Bykowski	196
4	Dorian Poinc	196
5	Gvido Petersons	189
7	Robert Nicholson	200
8	Tomasz Wysocki	193
9	Konstantin Khramtcov	187
10	Janichell Santos	196
11	Marcel Sivak	185
12	Derek Guimond	195
13	Bartosz Kisielewicz	190
15	Brendan Chang	176
16	Michal Bartoszak	203
18	Vitor De Oliveira	195
20	Mateusz Dziwierek	195



OFFICIALS: Joseph Gore (2nd Sat, 1st Sun)

Diane Hollows (1st Sat, 2nd Sun)



SUPER 8s MEN'S FINAL

Saturday 5th May 16:00 (leg 1), Sunday 6th May 16:00 (leg 2)

ROUTE TO THE FINAL

League Position: 1st

W: 13, L:1, SF: 41, SA: 7

Play off semi-final:

Beat Malory Eagles (London)
3-0, 3-0

FIVE FACTS:

- Adam Bradbury is the current England captain
- Team Northumbria defeated IBB Polonia London in this season's National Cup Final
- Nathan Fullerton's sister, Paige, is in the Team Northumbria squad for the women's playoff final
- Team Northumbria's squad includes five different nationalities: English, American, Italian, Spanish and Canadian
- If they are victorious this weekend, then Team Northumbria will have won all the competitions they have entered this year



VERSUS

FIVE FACTS:

- IBB Polonia London are the reigning Super 8s champions after defeating Sheffield Hallam in last year's final
- In 2018, they have been unbeaten in the league
- Victory this weekend would make IBB Polonia London the Super 8s champions for the third year in a row
- Derek Guimond is an NCAA D-1 Men's Champion
- The squad includes players of eight different nationalities: Polish, Latvian, British, Russian, Portuguese, Slovakian, American and Brazilian



ROUTE TO THE FINAL

League Position: 2nd

W:9, L:5, SF: 33, SA: 21

Play off semi-final:

Beat Sheffield Hallam 3-0,3-0

SITTING GRAND PRIX FINAL

Sunday 6th May 11:00



No.	Name	Classification
1	Chris Teoh	AB
4	Katie Beardsmore	AB
9	Harry Dawson	AB
10	Kev Tann	D
11	James Rutikanga	MD
13	Marek Dabrowski	AB
14	James Vohs	AB
16	Lincoln Dokwani	AB

COACH: Kev Tann

BENCH PERSONNEL: Pascal Charles

TEAM COLOURS: Royal blue



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VERSUS



No.	Name	Classification
1	Stacey Byrne	D
2	Vicky Widdup	MD
3	Jodi Hill	D
4	Phil Tester	MD
6	Nenad Groj	AB
7	Robert Richardson	D
8	John Worrall	MD

COACH: Ian Legrand

MANAGER: Karen Hung

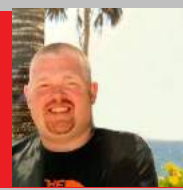
TEAM COLOURS: White



EAST LONDON LYNX

OFFICIALS: SAM YIP (1ST)

STEPHEN SMITH (2ND)



SITTING GRAND PRIX FINAL

Sunday 6th May 11:00

ROUTE TO THE FINAL

League Position: 3rd

Semi-finals:

Beat Help 4 Heroes 3-0



FIVE FACTS:

- Captain Kev Tann has been the setter for the Great Britain sitting volleyball team. He also established Sheffield's sitting volleyball club last season
- Katie Beardsmore is a former England international in volleyball and is currently playing for Leeds RGA in NVL Div. 2
- Libero Chris Teoh is a former East London Lynx player and played against Sheffield in last year's final
- Outside hitter Lincoln Dokwani, is a former professional footballer
- Over the 2017-18 sitting season, Sheffield are winning the head to head record against East London Lynx

VERSUS

FIVE FACTS:

- This year's finals squad includes four members of the London 2012 Paralympics team: Vicky Widdup, Jodi Hill, Robert Richardson and John Worrall
- East London Lynx are playing in their ninth consecutive Sitting Volleyball Grand Prix Final
- Lynx have been champions for the previous three seasons
- They beat Sheffield in last year's final 3-1
- Coach Ian Legrand was the men's sitting volleyball coach at the London 2012 Paralympics



ROUTE TO THE FINAL

League Position: 1st

Semi-finals:

Beat Lincoln Imps 3-0

NVL WINNERS 2017-18 MEN

Division 1	Team Durham
Division 2 North	Team Sunderland
Division 2 South	Tendring VC Men
Division 3 North	Miners Doncaster Volleyball Club
Division 3 Central	MK City
Division 3 South	Team Bristol

NVL WINNERS 2017-18 WOMEN

Division 1	Malory Eagles (London)
Division 2 North	University of Nottingham Volleyball Women
Division 2 South	Birmingham Volleyball Club 2
Division 3 North	York Falcons
Division 3 Central	Lincoln Cannons
Division 3 South East	Richmond VB
Division 3 South West	Yeovil

CONGRATULATIONS!

