

NUNAVUT OPEN VOLLEYBALL TOUR

2018 - 2019

INFORMATION SHEET

Volleyball Nunavut is excited to announce the 2018-2019 inaugural season of the Nunavut Open Volleyball Tour!!

This year's NOVT will have stops at the LGM in Rankin Inlet, and the return of the IOVC in Iqaluit. From these two tournaments the **TOP 4** teams from each division (Women's Division and Men's Division) based on a points system will be invited to the 2019 NOVT Championships.

AGE OF PARTICIPANTS:

- The NOVT is an 'Open' tour. This means that it is open to **ALL AGES**.

TOURNAMENT DATES:

<u>Tournament</u>	<u>Community</u>	<u>Dates</u>
LGM	Rankin Inlet	November 23-25, 2018
Iqaluit Tournament	Iqaluit	February 1 – 3, 2019
NOVT Championship	Iqaluit	May 3-5, 2019

In 2019-2020 VN will look to add a Kitikmeot Tournament that will count towards points for the 2020 NOVT Championship

REGISTRATION OF TEAMS:

- To be eligible for the NOVT Tour and the NOVT Championship Weekend, teams will need to 'Register a Roster' with Volleyball Nunavut by **November 16, 2018**.
- Each team will be able to register a minimum of 8 athletes to a maximum of 12 athletes.
- Teams wanting to be eligible for the NOVT Championship Weekend **will only** be able to play athletes at the LGM and IOVC off of their 'NOVT Registration Roster.' Failure to do this will result in no points for the team in the tournament(s).
- Each team will be allowed to register two (2) athletes born 2001 or later (Junior Players) on their roster and they will be able participate in the LGM and IOVC tournaments for points.
- **The NOVT Championship will be on the same weekend as the 18U Territorial and any player born 2001 or later will only be allowed to participate if their community does not have an 18U team.**
(The 2001 and later athlete **does not** have the choice of playing in the 18U Territorial or the NOVT, Volleyball Nunavut's mandate is to have all athletes born 2001 or later to participate in the 18U Territorial.)



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- There may be situations where athletes move from communities during the season and still would like participate in the NOVT Tour. If a unique situation arises with eligibility, Volleyball Nunavut will designate an 'Event Committee' to decide on each situation separately.
- *Teams are welcomed and encouraged to participate in the LGM and the IOVC even if not wanting to be eligible for the NOVT Tour or NOVT Championship weekend.*

NOVT CHAMPIONSHIP WEEKEND INFORMATION:

- Four (4) teams for the women's division and four (4) teams for the men's division will be invited to the NOVT Championship Weekend. (Determined by 'NOVT Points System')
- In aligning with the athlete travel restrictions for the 18U Territorial Tournament, a maximum of **8 athletes** will be allowed to travel per team to the NOVT Championship Weekend. (*Must be on the 'NOVT Registered Roster'*).
- As per the 18U Territorial Tournament the cost per athlete to attend the NOVT Championship Weekend is **\$500.00/athlete**. (\$4000.00 per team)
- With the \$500.00/athlete registration fee, each athlete will receive:
 - a) Flights (Transportation) – Charter or Commercial – Volleyball Nunavut will book all flights.
 - b) Accommodations – Hotel rooms or AirBNB (will be shared accommodations with teammates)
 - c) Food provided by caterer (As per 18U Territorials) and provided at venues.
 - d) Tournament Jerseys for each team – (Colour, sizes and numbers will be able to be chosen prior to ordering)
 - e) Team Registration Fee – NOVT Championships

POINTS SYSTEM (To determine the TOP 4 Finishers in each division)

- 1) A team participating in the 2018 LGM November 23-25, 2018 – Will receive 5 points
- 2) A team participating in the 2019 IOVC February 1-3, 2019 – Will receive 5 points
- 3) Kitikmeot Community teams which participate in both the LGM and IOVC – Will receive 2 points
(*This is due to no tournament available this year in Kitikmeot Region*)
- 4) Team Placement in each tournament receives the following points:

1 st place = 10 points	2 nd place = 9 points	3 rd place = 8 points
4 th place = 7 points	5 th place = 6 points	6 th place = 5 points
7 th place = 4 points	8 th place = 3 points	9 th place = 2 points
10 th – 16 th place = 1 point		

*** If time does not allow for all placing matches. Teams will be placed by using where teams finished and by using Matches won/lost, Sets won/lost and points for/against. ***



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EXAMPLE OF POINTS:

TEAM	Participate LGM	Participate IOVC	PLACEMENT LGM	PLACEMENT IOALUIT	KITIKMEOT BONUS	TOTAL POINTS	NOVT STANDINGS
A	5 points	5 points	3 rd = 8 points	6 th = 5 points	----	23 points	4 th Place
B	---	5 points	---	1 st = 10 points	----	15 points	5 th Place
C	5 points	5 points	5 th = 6 points	5 th = 6 points	2 points	24 points	3 rd Place*
D	5 points	5 points	2 nd = 9 points	3 rd = 8 points	----	27 points	1 st Place
E	5 points	5 points	1 st = 10 points	7 th = 4 points	----	24 points	2 nd Place*
F	5 points	---	4 th = 7 points	---	----	12 points	6 th Place

***Team E placed ahead of Team C in the final standings due to the better placing average at the LGM and IOVC.*

Team E = 1st place + 7th place = 4.5 Average Placing;

Team C = 5th place + 5th Place = 5.0 Average Placing

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