

Kootenay Regional Volleyball Excellence Center

Kootenay Region (formerly VCCE)



What is the problem?

1. Canadian athletes have poor fundamental volleyball skills.
2. Canadian 15-18 year old athletes fall short in the LTAD recommended amount of practice time.
3. Canadian youth are coached by volunteers, whereas other top countries use paid professionals
4. Athletes are not exposed to Sport Science (i.e functional movement, flexibility, strength training, sport psychology, nutrition)

What is the Solution?

1. Provide additional **training** for 15-18 year olds. (65 hours)
2. Provide additional **training** for 13-15 year olds. (25 hours).
3. Provide Sport Science to 15-18 year olds



History of VCCE in Kootenays?

- Started VCCE in 2012 in the Kootenays
- 4 seasons (2016-2017 break)
- Athlete success stories
- EKVC success stories

What are the benefits of a VCCE?

- Professional coaches – high standards, yearly professional development and sharing best practices across all Centres.



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National coaching techniques and technologies




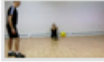






What are the benefits of a VCCE?

National Identification Program

Physical and Skill Testing

Sport Science sessions

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What does the program look like?

Grade 10-12 High Performance Stream

- 8-10 athletes (in both genders)
- Location: COTR & Mt. Baker
- Sport Science sessions – Strength training, Nutrition, Mental Skills, Flexibility
- Elite Athletes
- Weekends will depend on high school schedules/coaching availability
- 50 hours on court. 15 hours sport science

Tentative Schedule (*Subject to change)

End of August

One Weekend per month in the fall

Winter break training.

High performance stream

The Centres' provide individualized programs, focusing specifically around your skill set and positional training needs so you train exactly what you need to work on. This includes training on the court and the full suite of services off the court that you need to succeed including:

- Video analysis
- Fundamental Movement Screen & Program
- Strength training
- Flexibility Training
- Nutritional Education
- Mental skills Training

What does the program look like?

Grade 8-9 Stream (and athletes entering grade 7 if they played club)

- Up to 12 athletes (in each gender)
- 12 Sessions (2 hours in length)
- 11am – 1pm at COTR
- Focus will be on technical skill development

Tentative dates (*Subject to change)

- Various Sunday mornings in the Fall and early winter and a few Saturdays.

Costs

Development Stream

18 athletes =\$225

20 athletes = \$200

22+ athletes = \$175

*min 9 needed in a gender to offer program. Costs will be higher if we can only offer 1 gender program.

Includes:

- 25 hours of on court/off court training (includes some sport science)
- Clothing package
- Court time (gym rental, security charges, janitorial fees)
- Insurance

Costs

High Performance Stream

12 athletes =\$750

14 athletes =\$725

16 athletes = \$700

18+ athletes =\$675

*min. 6 required in a gender to offer program. Costs will be higher if we can only offer 1 gender program.

Includes:

- 60-65 hours of on court/off court training (including sport science)
- Clothing package
- Court time (gym rental, security charges, janitorial fees)

Bursaries

High Performance Bursaries

- **Dependent on registration #**

Development Bursaries

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** Details will come out later. (will be based on financial need)

Selection Criteria

- **Number of registrants/available spots**
 - **Selection Process (outside committee)**
 - **June 12 or 13 Dev: 5-6:30 and HP from 6:30-8pm at COTR**
- 1) Individual Skill Assessment**
 - 2) Tactical Assessment**
 - 3) Behavioral Assessment**
 - 4) Physical Testing**



High Performance Staff

You will be exposed to a variety of highly qualified coaches. Staff may include:

Trent Mason

John Swanson

Cisco Farrero

Hayley Hills

Steve Kamps

Troy McFazden

Agata Pijanowska

- Sport Psychology Services – Steve Kamps
- Strength & Conditioning – Badger Den
- Nutrition Education – TBA
- Flexibility/Yoga – Karen Kettenacker

Development Coaching Staff

- Development Girls – Agata Pijanowska
- Development Boys – Zach James

Champions Wanted!!!



Motivated People only

By entering here, you agree to give 100% of what you have. There are no excuses or second chances. Everyday, every moment is an opportunity to excel, to be more, to achieve your best. Do not squander your time by going through the motions. Train hard and get results. At the end of the day, look in the mirror and ask yourself if you gave your all. If you don't have that level of commitment, don't waste your time or ours.

What are the next steps?

1. Register by June 5th so we can see what interest level is. Cost for Tryouts is \$10.00. You will be provided with an email to e-transfer funds if the tryouts proceed. (will require enough athletes)
2. Tryout dates – AT COTR June 12 or 13th
Development: 5-6:30
High Performance from 6:30-8pm
Email: krecvolleyball@yahoo.com to secure your tryout spot. In the subject line: KREC Tryouts
In the body – please provide athlete name, DOB and date preference for tryout. First come, first serve for tryout times.

Questions?

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Thanks!

