



AVCA ANNUAL CONVENTION REGISTRATION INFORMATION & SIGN-UP FORM PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA DECEMBER 18 – 21, 2019

REGISTRATION FEES:

	Aug. 7 – Nov. 8		Nov. 9 – Dec. 21		
	Member	Non-Member	Member	Non-Member	Amount
<u>Pre-Convention Seminar and Full Convention Registration</u>					
<i>The Coaching Eye – It's Not What You Look at But What You See – Jim McLaughlin (1 – 4 p.m., Wed., Dec. 18)</i>					
Wednesday, Dec. 18 – Saturday, Dec. 21 Includes all banquets, parties, receptions, educational sessions, meetings, Pre-Convention Seminar and Volleyball Marketplace. Does not include Advanced Career Education Seminar, NCAA Match Tickets, Champions Party Tickets, or NCAA Fan Experience Hospitality Tickets.					
\$449	\$609	\$549	\$709	\$ _____	
<u>Advanced Career Education (ACE) Seminar* and Full Convention Registration</u>					
<i>Building Your Brand on the Recruiting Trail: How to Create a Unique and Consistent Message to Get the Recruits You Want – Dan Tudor</i>					
<i>Developing and Managing a Championship Level Staff: Strategies for Delegation and Maximizing the Skills and Talent of Your Support Staff and Coaches – Beth Launiere & Leo Hopf (1 – 4 p.m., Wed., Dec. 18)</i>					
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\$449	\$609	\$549	\$709	\$ _____	
<u>Full Convention Registration</u>					
Wednesday, Dec. 18 – Saturday, Dec. 21 Includes all banquets, parties, receptions, educational sessions, meetings and Volleyball Marketplace. Does not include Pre-Convention Seminar, NCAA Match Tickets, Champions Party Tickets, or NCAA Fan Experience Hospitality Tickets.					
\$379	\$539	\$479	\$639	\$ _____	
<u>Weekend Only Registration</u>					
Begins at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Dec. 20 – Saturday, Dec. 21 Includes Friday and Saturday educational sessions, AVCA Friday Night Party and Volleyball Marketplace. Does not include All-America/Players of the Year Banquet, NCAA Match Tickets, Champions Party Tickets, or NCAA Fan Experience Hospitality Tickets.					
\$229	\$339	\$279	\$389	\$ _____	
<u>Pre-Convention Seminar Only Registration</u>					
<i>The Coaching Eye – It's Not What You Look at But What You See – Jim McLaughlin (1 – 4 p.m., Wed., Dec. 18)</i>					
Players must learn to play with their eyes – “to see the game.” This acquired ability is the premier skill that separates elite players and is critical to a player development system. Coaches will learn how to teach players to see the right things so they will make the right choices in skill mastery and situation analysis. To teach a player “to see the game,” coaches must learn to focus their attention as teachers. Half of our time we will be in a classroom concentrating on the little, very simple things that promote player/coach understanding. The other half we will go to the courts and using the principle that ‘you hear you forget, you see you remember, you do you understand’ we will engage in interactive learning of the concepts, teaching and evaluating in real time. We will answer these questions: How do coaches develop their coaches’ eye? What should a coach look at and what should they really see? How does what you see takes precedence over what you know? Coaches from every level will leave this presentation with a better understanding of how to “see the game” and strategies for teaching this skill to your players. Does not include convention registration or tickets to any event.					
\$120	\$280	\$160	\$320	\$ _____	
<u>Spouse/Partner Registration</u>					
Thursday, Dec. 18 – Saturday, Dec. 21 Spouse/Partner Registration includes access to Volleyball Marketplace only. Does not include access to classroom educational sessions, meetings or banquets/parties. Individual event tickets may be purchased for those wishing to attend banquets, parties and matches. Only those attendees that purchase a Pre-Con & Full, ACE Seminar & Full, Full or Weekend package are eligible to buy a Spouse/Partner Registration.					
\$39	\$39	\$39	\$39	\$ _____	
<u>NCAA Match Tickets (indicate number below)</u>					
Each purchase includes one semifinals ticket and one championship match ticket. Tickets will be distributed electronically only via e-mail through Flash Seats on Dec. 10. No printed ticket books are available. All matches will be held in PPG Paints Arena. Deadline for group seating requests is Dec. 1. Tickets are not included as part of any registration package. Please note lower level tickets are sold out. Group seating is not available for upper level tickets.					
\$77	\$77	\$77	\$77	\$ _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Semifinals and Finals Ticket (Lower Level) - \$107 – Sold Out <input type="checkbox"/> Semifinals and Finals Ticket (Upper Level) - \$77					

Additional Banquet Tickets (separate ticket for each banquet required – indicate number below)

___ Jostens Coaches Honors Luncheon (Featuring the Coach of the Year winners and Hall of Fame inductees) – Thursday, Dec. 19	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$ _____
___ AVCA All-America/Players of the Year Banquet – Friday, Dec. 20	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$ _____

*Please note that attire for AVCA banquets is business casual.

Additional Networking Event Tickets (separate ticket for each event – indicate number below)

___ Spalding Convention Kick-Off Party (\$45) – Wednesday, Dec. 18	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$ _____
___ AVCA Friday Night Party (\$45)– Friday, Dec. 20	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$ _____
___ Semifinal Tailgate Party (\$25)– Thursday, Dec. 19	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$ _____

Champions Party Tickets (indicate number below)

Music, food and fun are in store at the Champions Party held at Red Ring Bar & Grille located one block from PPG Paints Arena. This party will be held prior to the NCAA Championship Match to get you ready for a great night of volleyball. The menu will include appetizers and unlimited beer and wine. Tickets are not included as part of any registration package.

___ Champions Party – Saturday, Dec. 21	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$ _____
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Coaches 4 Coaches Scholarship Donation

The Coaches 4 Coaches Scholarship provides aspiring volleyball coaches financial support to attend their first AVCA Convention and explore the countless networking and educational opportunities that are made available to them. This is a unique experience and one in which the recipients will develop professional skills as well as learn about becoming a better coach and leader. All donations go directly to support this scholarship fund. Your donation will be added to your convention registration total.

	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
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TOTAL \$ _____

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Name: _____ Title: _____

School/Company: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Affiliation: NCAA I _____ NCAA II _____ NCAA III _____ NAIA _____ Two Year _____ High School _____ Club _____ Other _____

If you are a first time AVCA Convention attendee please check here: _____

If you are registering for the USA Volleyball CAP Program (participants must sign-up separately for this program through USA Volleyball) please check here: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Special Needs (ex. dietary, accessibility, etc.): _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION – Make checks payable to the AVCA. Purchase orders must be paid in full by Friday, Nov.8, 2019 to receive the early registration discount.

Method of Payment: Check _____ Visa* _____ MasterCard* _____ Discover* _____ AMEX* _____

Name (as it appears on card): _____

Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Signature: _____

***Please note that to protect your security the AVCA no longer accepts credit or debit card payments via e-mail, text or fax. Please mail this form to the address below or call the AVCA at 866-544-2822 to provide your credit or debit card information over the phone.**

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM WITH PAYMENT TO:
American Volleyball Coaches Association • 2365 Harrodsburg Road, Suite A325 • Lexington, KY 40504
Phone: 866-544-2822 or 859-226-4315 • Email: members@avca.org • www.avca.org

AVCA CONVENTION POLICIES AND INFORMATION

AVCA Diversity Awards:

- Please refer to the Diversity Awards section on the AVCA Convention Web site for more information.

Children at the Convention

- Per NCAA regulations, all children despite age must have a ticket to all NCAA matches.
- Children are welcome at the AVCA Convention. Any child under prospect age will be given free admittance into Volleyball Marketplace, meetings and educational sessions if they are accompanied by their parent. Tickets may be purchased for children to attend banquets and parties with their parents. No ticket is required for children sharing their parent's seat, i.e. lap-age babies/children. Due to NCAA legislation prospect age children are not allowed to attend convention activities closed to the public which includes educational sessions, meetings and Volleyball Marketplace. However, parents may purchase a ticket for prospect age children to attend banquets and parties as those are public events. While we encourage you to bring your family to AVCA functions be reminded that the AVCA does not provide childcare. Please visit the Children & Family section of the AVCA Convention Web site for more information on childcare options in Pittsburgh.

Lost Badges

- A lost name badge can be replaced for \$35.

Attire

- Attire for the Jostens Coaches Honors Luncheon and AVCA All-America/Players of the Year Banquet is business casual. Attire for all other events is casual.

Lost Tickets

- Lost party and banquet tickets can't be replaced but may be purchased at AVCA Registration, based on availability.

Guest Badges

- Guest badges will be given to NCAA committee members who have information to share with AVCA members, conference representatives visiting for conference meetings and VIP's. Guest examples include NCAA staff, rules or volleyball committee members, or NCAA local organizing committee officials.
- **Committee members who are current volleyball coaches are expected to register for the convention and are not considered to hold "guest" status.**

Convention Registration Policies

- All purchases must be paid in full by Friday, November 8, 2019 to receive the early registration discount price.
- All registration fees must be paid in full prior to receiving convention name badge and materials.
- High school players, regardless of AVCA membership status, are not eligible to register for the convention.
- Payments made by check must be received at AVCA headquarters by Friday, December 6, 2019. Attendees should bring checks with them to AVCA Registration in Pittsburgh if paying after this date.
- Attendees can pre-register for the convention until Friday, December 6, 2019. Registrations will not be accepted in the AVCA office after this date. Attendees may register on-site in Pittsburgh beginning at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 17, 2019. Attendees may purchase NCAA match tickets and make group seating requests until Sunday, December 1, 2019 or until match tickets are sold out.
- Convention registrations are transferrable. Applicable registration pricing for the substitute attendee will apply.

Cancellation Policy

- Requests to cancel registration must be submitted in writing and postmarked on or before Friday, December 6, 2019. **No refunds will be given after December 6, 2019.**
- Each cancellation will be assessed a 25% administrative fee.
- Refunds will be given to coaches of the four teams participating in the championship if a request is made in writing no later than Wednesday, December 18, 2019 at AVCA Convention Registration. However, no refund will be given if the registration packet is picked up.

Alcohol Policy

- Alcohol is served at several networking events that are held during the convention. All attendees are expected to exercise good judgment in the consumption of alcoholic beverages. The AVCA reserves the right to refuse service to anyone who appears intoxicated. Attendees are encouraged to always be aware of their surroundings and monitor the actions of those around them.

NCAA Match Ticket Policy

- NCAA championship tickets are not refundable.
- To purchase NCAA tickets through the AVCA you must be registered for the convention.
- Each ticket purchase includes one semifinal (both matches) and one championship match ticket.
- NCAA match tickets may be purchased through the AVCA until December 1, 2019 or until sold out. A \$7 handling fee is included.
- In order to make NCAA tickets available to all registered convention attendees, the AVCA reserves the right to limit ticket purchases to a maximum of (8) tickets per registration. Orders of (8) NCAA tickets or more will be reviewed by AVCA staff.
- **Group Seating: Registrants who wish to sit together must complete the group seating request process when signing up online. Those who submit a paper registration form must send their registration forms together, along with a written request and proper payment. Please note that the AVCA will make every effort to accommodate all group seating requests but these requests are not guaranteed. The deadline for submitting group seating requests is Sunday, Dec. 1. Group seating requests received after Dec. 1 will not be granted. There is a limit of 5 people per group seating request.**
- **NCAA match tickets will be distributed electronically only via Flash Seats. No printed ticket books are available. Tickets will be sent out via e-mail on December 10, 2019.**
- **NCAA match ticket orders that have not been paid in full will be held until 12:30 p.m. local time on Thursday, Dec. 19. If payment has not been received or special arrangements made to hold the tickets (via an e-mail to members@avca.org) the AVCA will release these tickets at 12:30 p.m. for sale to other attendees.**