



## 17/18U Program Information 2017-18

<b>Age Requirement</b>	Born in <b>2000/2001</b>
<b>Available Spaces</b>	Up to 28 spaces
<b>Coaches</b>	18U Black: Alex Harvalias (Head Coach), Tessa May 18U Red: TBA (Head Coach), Kat Dolguikh
<b>Tryout Fee</b>	<b>\$30</b> online ( <a href="http://www.bcovolleyball.com">www.bcovolleyball.com</a> )   <b>\$35</b> at the door Covers participation in two tryout sessions. It is recommended to attend both sessions but if you have a conflict, please indicate this on your registration.
<b>Tryout Dates</b>	Wed Dec 6      5:00pm – 7:00pm, <a href="#">Sutherland Secondary</a>  Fri Dec 8      7:30pm – 9:30pm, <a href="#">Mountainside School</a> 9:00pm Parent Meeting in Cafeteria
<b>2018 Schedule</b>	Monday Practice      7:00 – 9:00pm      Mountainside School Wednesday Practice      5:00 – 7:00pm      Mountainside School Sat or Sunday Practice      11:30 – 1:30pm      Mountainside School  <b>1<sup>st</sup> Practice: Tuesday, December 19, 6:30 – 8:00pm @ Mountainside</b>
<b>Mandatory Events</b>	Athletes selected to the BCO 18U Girls program <b>must</b> be available to attend these events:  17/18U Super Series #1      Feb 17 - 18 (Langley) 17/18U Super Series #2      Mar 17 - 18 (Kelowna) *TBC 17/18U Super Series #3      Apr 7 – 8 (Nanaimo) 18U Girls Provincial Championships      Apr 20 - 22 (Richmond Oval) 18U Girls Nationals      May 20 - 22 (Edmonton)
<b>Optional Tournaments</b>	Additional tournaments and play dates will be added to each team's schedule at the discretion of the coaches and based on team availability. These may include:  Jan 28      17/18U Season Opener Feb 16 - 19      Las Vegas Classic or NW Jr's Tournament TBA      SFU Tournament
<b>Attendance</b>	Candidates should have <b>no regular conflict</b> with weekly practices, although we do understand that most of the girls are involved with other activities and may have occasional conflicts. Please discuss any such conflicts with the Head Coach <b>immediately</b> .  Candidates <b>must</b> be available for <b>all</b> mandatory tournaments.

**Season Fees**

\$1,075

Includes: Volleyball BC membership, gym rentals, equipment, tournament entries (3-4 tournaments, Provincials and Nationals), technical support (coaching seminars & certification, technical resources) 2 warm-up t-shirts, team uniform (2 jerseys) and administration support (website, banking, etc).

Travel costs and any optional tournament fees are not included.

Please consult the head coach or BCO Club Administrator, Deb Janzen ([info@bcovolleyball.com](mailto:info@bcovolleyball.com)) if the fee structure poses an impediment to participation.

**Team Selection**

Candidates will be evaluated by a committee of coaches, which may include the U18 coaching staff, senior BCO coaches and guest coaches from the volleyball community. The successful candidate list will be posted to the BCO website ([www.bcovolleyball.com](http://www.bcovolleyball.com)) no later than 6:00pm Sunday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>.

Candidates must confirm their acceptance via email by Noon, Monday, December 11<sup>th</sup>.

**BCO Expectations****(1) Medical**

Parents should inform the coaches immediately of any medical condition or injury not included in the Tryout Registration which might limit their daughter's participation or require our intervention.

**(2) 1<sup>st</sup> Practice**

1<sup>st</sup> team practice will be on Tue Dec 19, 6:30 – 8:00pm at Mountainside. Parent meeting to discuss optional USA tournaments @ 7:30pm.

**(3) Registration Night**

Mountainside Secondary, Multipurpose Room  
Thursday, December 14  
7:45 – 8:30pm

Uniform sizing, additional optional BCO gear purchases and registration payments for all selected players will be completed.

Note: This will be the only time to order optional BCO gear.  
If you are unable to attend, please make arrangements for a friend to drop off your information.