

COLUMBIA EMPIRE VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION

Junior Boys' Committee Meeting Minutes Wednesday, August 20, 2025 – 6:00 PM via Zoom

Committee Members Present

Jay Kudlicka, Christy Rice, Mark Sykes, Sean Daugherty, Allison Jagels.

Committee Members Absent

Katie Miller, Nerisa Laban.

Guests Present

Denis Zhukov, Lad Salness, Liane Morimatsu, Jason Crain, Cherry Denos.

Staff Present

Cody March

Call to Order

- Meeting called to order at 6:02 PM by Jay Kudlicka.
- A quorum was present at roll call.
- Guests on the call were recognized.
- No modifications to the agenda were made.

Regionals

- Regional Championships will be the 2nd weekend May 2-3, 2026 16s & 18s division.
- Criteria for selection based on CEVA results and USAV rankings.
- Committee has the option of exploring addition of 14s but would be based on court space.

2025-2026 Season

- October 4 tryout/signing day.
- Recommendation to clubs to pause activities during Oregon high school season.
- Excited to see several new clubs potentially offering boys this year.
- WBPL is moving to JVA.

CEVA All-Stars

Jay provided an update on the CEVA All-Star team (15s).

NDPT

- Kris Berzins from USAV gave a presentation in Madison that Jay attended.
 - Action Item: Jay to provide further updates on the presentation at the next meeting.
- Seaside was very competitive, and boys' divisions were full.

Long-Term

- Jay discussed his long-term priorities for boys' volleyball in the region, and the committee discussed engagement with local organizations, cities, etc.
 - Action Item: Jay to solicit further ideas on Slack.
- ATHENAVB had a "Try Volleyball for Free" clinic last night that had a handful of boys participating.

Committee Updates

• Jay thanked Archer Mist for his service to the committee.

Next Meeting

Thursday, November 20, 2025 – 6:00 PM

Adjournment

• Meeting adjourned at 6:42 PM.