



2011/12 Club Tryouts White Paper

This guide is to help you prepare for club tryouts and know what to expect in the upcoming weeks.

Register with Keystone Region Volleyball Association (KRVA)

Whether you are new to club volleyball or if you are a returning member, you will need to register with KRVA prior to attending **ANY** club tryout in Pennsylvania.

KRVA has all of the steps laid out on their website. Please visit www.krva.org. From there, click on Registration / Registration Main page from the top header. The cost of registration for KRVA is \$52.00. If your daughter is not offered a spot to play for any club then partial registration fee **may** be returned to you. Visit <http://www.krva.org/Registration/tabid/68/Default.aspx> for details on refunds. Please make sure you register online!

Register for Keystone Juniors Club Tryouts

Keystone Juniors has decided to take our registration process online! This will make it easier for you when arriving at tryouts. You will be able to complete all forms and pay online all at www.keystonejuniors.com.

Visit our website at www.keystonejuniors.com and click on Registration (on the left hand side). Once on the registration page, select *2011-2012 Club Tryouts Registration*. You will be then be placed on a log in page. If you already set up your account on our website then you can proceed by logging in with your username and password. If you are new to our site, then please click on **Create one here** under the Login Help section.

After you have logged into your account, you will be directed to the Keystone Club Tryout registration page. Follow the simple steps and please make sure you complete all required fields. You will receive an email if you completed your registration correctly. Your USAV Member ID is mandatory to complete these forms online. **Please make sure you register with KRVA prior to registering with our club tryouts!**



There are **three** options to pay for tryouts. You can pay online through our secure site with a credit card. Please keep in mind that you will need to cover credit card fees if paying with a credit card. You can also register online and **mail your payment** of \$35.00 to Keystone Juniors c/o Brenda & Bill Collins, 66 Woodlawn Avenue, Broomall, PA 19008. Please make check payable to Keystone Juniors Volleyball. The last option is for you to pay at tryouts. If you choose to pay at tryouts then the cost will be \$40.00 **CASH ONLY!**

If you choose to mail your check, then it will need to be postmarked by October 22nd / November 1st. This is to ensure that we have your payment prior to tryouts.

Regardless of your payment option, please bring your receipt (emailed) with you at tryouts when checking in.

Hopefully you will find this process much easier than trying to register at tryouts!

Day of Tryouts

On the day of tryouts, please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to tryouts so the participant can check-in and receive her shirt for tryouts.

Please make sure you bring a copy of the **KRVA Membership Card** & [USAV Medical Form](#) & copy of the **registration receipt from Keystone Juniors**.

After tryouts get started, we will hold an informative meeting for the parents. We will discuss club tournaments, practices, as well as cost and club policies. We will also be able to answer all of your questions regarding our club or our coaches.

Towards the end of the tryout, we will have a brief meeting with the players / parents. This meeting will educate the players and parents on how the tryouts will work and timeframe on decisions.



After Tryouts

After tryouts have concluded, the coaches will have the difficult job selecting only 10 players for the team. This is never easy!

The coaches have 24 hours after the conclusion of that days' tryouts to inform the directors of their 10 selections. We will then post the players number (from their shirts) on our website. This way, they will know if they have made the team.

The coaches will also make phone calls to the players who have made the team to answer whatever questions the player and/or parent have.

Offers to players will be valid for 4 days after the offer. After that period, coaches have the right to pull the offer.

If you know your decision, please let the coach know ASAP. There are other players waiting to see if they made a club team and we would like to see all players have the opportunity to play club volleyball.

Accepting to Play for Keystone Juniors

After you have accepted a position with Keystone Juniors, you will need to send an email to keystonejuniors@verizon.net AND girls@krva.org. Please specify the subject of the email to read: Accepting to Play for Keystone Juniors (team). For example: Subject: Accepting to Play for Keystone Juniors 17s.

Club directors will contact you regarding uniform orders, club tuition and parent meeting information.

Parents & Players Club Meeting

A **MANDATORY** parents/players meeting will take place on Sunday, November 27th from 10:00-12:30pm at. St. Kevin's (Springfield, PA)



Thank you for taking the time to tryout for Keystone Juniors Volleyball. If you have any questions that are not covered in this document, please contact Bill & Brenda Collins at 610.353.6324 or via email at keystone juniors@verizon.net.