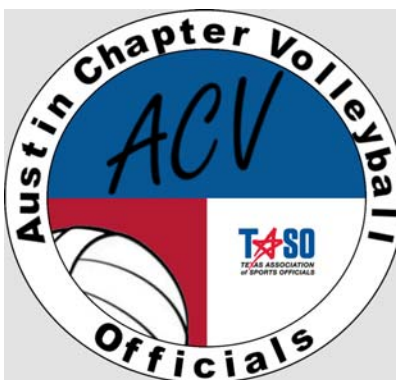


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ACV Newsletter - July 2022

Assigner Reminders

Click here for
Availability Sheets

If you haven't sent Janiece your Availability Sheet yet, please get those in ASAP as she is already working on assignments.

Don't forget to also update your blocks/availability in Arbiter and click Ready!



Returning Members should start seeing pending matches on their schedule.

They can only be viewed on a computer, not on the APP. They also do not show when you try to block it on the APP (only on the computer).

If there is an issue with a pending match, you need to contact Janiece before she assigns it.



Requirements!

Each year we must **ALL** attend a Rules Clinic and pass the Rules Test.

These are requirements for us to officiate. They must be completed before you can work your first match.

If not completed by August 1st, you may be removed from pending matches. So, Take care of it early!



TASO Rules Clinic Options:

You can attend the State Meeting in person in Dallas on 7/9. Online Registration ends **TODAY!**

Click [HERE](#) to Register

You can attend one of the Regional Rules Clinics in person. The closest will be in San Antonio on July 17th.

Click [HERE](#) to Register for a Regional Clinic

If you cannot attend in person, the Online Clinic should be available at Taso.org in your member's portal starting the week of July 11th.



TASO Test

The TASO Rules Test should be available at TASO.org starting the week of July 11th.

Remember a passing score is 70. To be eligible for varsity matches you must pass with a 90 or above.

You have 5 attempts and only your highest score is kept.

Season Kick-off Meeting

Our first meeting of the season will be **In-Person!**

It's been a while since we have all gotten together - it's about time we do!

Our August 3rd General Meeting will be held at the Austin Police Association
(5817 Wilcab Road, Austin, TX 78721) starting at 6:30pm.

Please join us for some good company, good food, some important info and to grab your New Grey Polo (if you registered by the deadline) & Rule Books.

We will be raffling off some door prizes including Ref Gear, Gift Cards, etc. So make sure you attend! There will also be a special drawing for those who score a 100 on the TASO Test.

Captain Red's will be serving us up some good eats!

So make sure you RSVP in Arbiter by July 19th to make sure we have the right amount of food!

Check your schedule in Arbiter and make sure you ACCEPT the event (sorry about the multiple email notifications this week!).

ALR Meeting

Remember: All members are required to attend 1 ALR Meeting. If you missed the meeting in June, the other option for this meeting will be held on **Thursday, July 21st** via WebEX.

Please contact your ALR if you are not able to attend either option.

At-Large Rep I (Last Name begins with A-G) - Doug Milner -

dbmilner717@yahoo.com

At-Large Rep II (Last Name begins with H-N) - Tony Weaver -

tweaveref@gmail.com

At-Large Rep III (Last Name begins with O-Z) - Chez Slayton –

CHEZARAE92@GMAIL.COM



There will be a quick Mentor Meeting via WebEX on July 11th at 6:30pm.

Want to be a Mentor?

Please consider being a Mentor this season!

We are offering a small bonus for those who will serve as mentors for our new officials. Mentorship is a great way to help guide our newbies through the process of assimilating into our chapter. There's so much to learn when you're new, besides learning how to officiate. That's where our mentors come in.

If you'd like to be a Mentor, please contact [Rhiannon](#) by July 8th.



2022 Calendar and Training Requirements Posted

The ACV 2022 Calendar has been updated. It is posted on the ACV Website and downloadable as PDF or to your google calendar.

[Click for Calendar](#)

Required Scrimmages

MARK YOUR CALENDARS TODAY!

Please remember that everyone needs to attend at least 3 hours of scrimmages on **August 5th or 6th** (Possible scrimmage credit for those who exceed 3 hours).

- Scrimmages are self-assign for Returning Members. They will be available for self-assign 30 days ahead beginning on July 8th & 9th.
- They are first come, first serve as spaces will be limited.



FYI

If you are planning to purchase any new uniform polo's this year, one of our vendors - Stripes +, just informed us that they have about a 4 week turnaround for embroidery.

So get your orders in to them early!

Board of Directors Election



All voting will be conducted online through the Member's Portal on the TASO website following our November General Meeting on 11/2.

We will be voting on the following positions:

Vice President
Recording Secretary
Assigner

Please consider running for a position on the board.

If you are interested, reach out to any current or former board member to discuss what the position requires. Especially for those interested in becoming the Assigner - now would be a good time to contact Janiece or a former assigner to find out how much work is required for this position.



Check out the new rule changes for 2022-23!

[Volleyball Rules Changes - 2022-23](#)

No more silly waistband restrictions!

4-2-1f: Eliminates the manufacturer logo/trademark/reference restrictions on the waistband ONLY of the uniform bottom.

Training Has Started!

[But it might not be too late for new members to join!](#)



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Remember, you can earn a \$25 recruiting bonus plus a \$25 mentor bonus if you mentor your recruit(s). Our training for the 2022 season is just starting up. We have WebEX Training Sessions & On-Court Training opportunities every week! If you know someone, please direct them to the [New Member](#) section of our website where we have information on becoming a new member. Or, send [Rhiannon-VP/Trainer](#) their contact information so they can start getting update emails for this year's training.

Austin Chapter Volleyball