



# Tournament Packet



April 25th and 26th, 2020



**TEXAS AMATEUR ATHLETIC FEDERATION**  
**ADULT COED STATE VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT**

**April 25 - 26, 2020**

**Hosted by the City of Mineral Wells Parks and Recreation Department**

**TOURNAMENT DATES:** April 25 - 26, 2020

**ENTRY FEE:** \$210.00 per team

**MAILING ADDRESS:** City of Mineral Wells Parks and Recreation Department  
Attention: Andy Tarkington  
P.O. Box 459  
Mineral Wells, TX 76068

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** Friday, April 17, 2020 at 5:00 p.m.

Cash, Cashier Checks or Money Orders only. No personal checks accepted.  
Please make payment to the **City of Mineral Wells**.

**TOURNAMENT FORMAT:** Three pool play two set matches, used for seeding  
with a single elimination bracket. Single elimination matches

**TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:** Andy Tarkington – City of Mineral Wells  
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**ASSISTANT TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:** Stormy Smith - City of Mineral Wells  
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**OFFICIALS' ASSIGNER AND HEAD OFFICIAL** – Becky Ramirez, Fort Worth Area T.A.S.O. Volleyball  
Officials' Assigner

**T.A.A.F. VOLLEYBALL STATE COMMISSIONER:** Debra Taylor, City of Texas City  
Phone: (409) 949-3002 E-mail: [dthompson@texas-city-tx.org](mailto:dthompson@texas-city-tx.org)

**TOURNAMENT SITE:** Mineral Wells City Gym, 734 Warren Road: Mineral Wells, TX 76067  
See the local map page on the last page of the tournament packet.

**TOURNAMENT RULES:** Matches will be played under current U.S.A. Volleyball Rules, with a few exceptions made by T.A.A.F. specifically for T.A.A.F. state coed adult volleyball tournaments (see rules portion of this packet).

**MATCH TIMES AVAILABLE:** Wednesday, April 22, 2020 after 5:00 p.m. You can receive your first match times by calling (940) 328-7803. Pool play matches and the bracket will also be available online at [www.teamsideline.com/taaf](http://www.teamsideline.com/taaf) or also online at [www.mineralwellstx.gov](http://www.mineralwellstx.gov) under “Parks and Recreation Department” and then “Adult Volleyball”.

**TEAM MANAGERS’ MEETING:** Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at the Mineral Wells City Gym at 8:30 a.m. Attendance at this meeting is not mandatory if we have already received your roster. However, it is highly recommended that a representative from each team attend to be as informed as possible concerning all of the tournament procedures.

**T.A.A.F. ROSTERS:** Each team must present an official T.A.A.F. roster form with all players’ names, addresses and player information completed on the official T.A.A.F. roster form. Each T.A.A.F. team roster must be signed by the T.A.A.F. city representative. The T.A.A.F. roster must be received by the team manager’s meeting at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>.

### **Texas Amateur Athletic Federation (T.A.A.F.) CO-REC VOLLEYBALL PLAYING RULES**

- .01 The serving order and positions on the court at service shall be an alteration of male and female or vice-versa.
- .02 When the ball is played more than once by a team, at least one of the contacts shall be made by a female player. Contact of the ball during blocking shall not constitute playing the ball. There is no requirement for a male player to contact the ball regardless of the number of contacts by the team.
- .03 When only one male player is in the front line at service, one male back line player may be forward of the attack line for the purpose of blocking.
- .04 No female back line player may participate in a block.
- .05 The adult co-rec state volleyball tournament will be held either the last weekend in March or any weekend in April, providing that it is not the same weekend as the Easter holiday. This date restriction will be effective with the 2011 T.A.A.F. Co-Rec State Volleyball Tournament and for subsequent years.

### **2020 State Tournament Rules**

1. The City of Mineral Wells will provide a referee, an umpire and a scorekeeper/scoreboard operator for each match. Linesmen will be volunteer players or staff members. If linesmen are not available, the officials may call for a replay if there is a line call or touch that they were not able to see clearly.
2. Teams must fill out a lineup for each match five minutes before the match begins. Any changes between sets must be completed in the one minute between sets.

3. There will be one minute between sets.
4. Uniform jerseys are not required. However, any team substituting by rule must have permanently –affixed jersey numerals on the back of their jerseys.
5. Teams must choose one substitution method for each set. They may choose to rotate or substitute by rule. However, they may not use both methods of substitution in any set.
6. If choosing to substitute by rotation, teams must stay in the same order throughout the set. If a player becomes injured and is unable to continue in the rotation, a side out and a point will be awarded to the opposing team each time the missing player is scheduled to serve in the rotation.

### **State Tournament Hotel Information**

#### **Host Hotel: Best Western of Mineral Wells**

4410 Highway 180 E, Mineral Wells, TX 76067

**Phone:** (940) 325-2270

(2.7 miles from tournament site, see the map on the last page)

Rate: \$69.95 for singles with king beds or doubles with two beds

When you call the hotel, tell the hotel clerk that you want the “State Volleyball Tournament” rate.

The room block deadline is 5PM on Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020.



