



24 Hr Volleyball Marathon

October 1st and 2nd National Volleyball Week

Tournament Details & Entry Form

Announcing DVC's 2nd Annual 24 Hour Volleyball Marathon and Spikeball Tournament!! This year we plan to make it bigger and better – a real test of your volleyball skills and stamina AND the tournament is taking place at the end of National Volleyball Week so we'll be able to help support the promotion of Volleyball all round the country and raise much needed funds for all clubs who participate. This year we'll be introducing a DVC 24 Hour Marathon Cup and changing the format to make the marathon more challenging and competitive for teams (sample provided on final page)

Read on to find out how YOU can enter, promote YOUR CLUB during volleyball week and help raise money for YOUR club by playing the in the marathon.

What are we doing?

- 1) **Volleyball Mixed Marathon** - 1 non-stop volleyball tournament which lasts 24 hours. Starting at 6pm on Friday the 1st, playing through the night and morning to 6pm on Saturday evening. Hosted in DVC's base in Coláiste Bride, Clondalkin.
- 2) **Junior Spikeball** – a 3-hour Spikeball tournament. From 2pm to 5pm on Friday the 1st.

How it works and how you can raise money for your club:

- 1) Enter as an individual for €20 and we will find you a team
- 2) Enter as a team of 6-8 for €120
- 3) Teams are made up of minimum 3 guys and 3 gals
- 4) Everyone who enters will receive a sponsorship form (over leaf). DVC will keep track of all forms issued and notify the relevant club secretaries of their players taking part to ensure all fund raising is correctly managed.
- 5) Teams will be entered into pools and will play throughout the 24 hours in their pools and in the knock out stages. We will manage the time table so there will be some time to sleep!
- 6) Clubs can separately incentivize their players participating to raise more money by offering rewards for funds raised e.g. DVC last year gave free membership to any of their club members who raised over €1000 (last year 2 people won this prize).
- 7) There will be a prize draw at the tournament. Anybody who sponsors any of the participants will be entered into a prize draw. The main prize this year will be an IPAD!
- 8) Complimentary refreshments (sandwiches and drinks) will be provided for ALL tournament entrants.
- 9) Overnight accommodation will be available in the hall (bring a sleeping bag with you)!

Entry Form

Team Entry:

Team Name:_____ Team Contact Name:_____ Mob. No._____

Club Member of: _____

Individual Entry:

Name:_____ Contact Name: _____ Mob. No._____

Club Member of: _____

To enter complete the form and email to: info@dublinvolleyballclub.com

DVC will issue the official sponsorship form to you and notify your Club Secretary.

The sooner you enter the better so you can start your fundraising!

Final closing date is September 15th.

Entry fees to be paid by September 15th. This gives teams plenty of time to raise sponsorship so you don't have to pay out of your own pocket.

Sponsorship forms must be returned to the DVC Tournament Control desk.
DVC will record all funds raised and report back to the totals back to the Club Secretaries for follow-up with club members.

If you have any questions or wish to offer help with the event contact Clodagh on info@dublinvolleyballclub.com

Here's a taster of the proposed format – which will be varied depending on the number of entries.

		Round 1 - 4 Pools of 4. 1 Untimed set to 25			
Friday	6pm	Pool A	Pool B	Pool C	Pool D
	To	1	1	1	1
Saturday	2am (approx)	2	2	2	2
		3	3	3	3
		4	4	4	4
		Cup - 2 pools of 4; Best of 3 untimed sets. Top 2 from each pool in Round 1			
Saturday	2am (approx)	Pool E	Pool F		
	To	1	1		
Saturday	11 am approx	2	2		
		3	3		
		4	4		
		Plate - 1x 20 mins set 2 pools Bottom 2 from each pool in Round 1			
Saturday	11 am approx	Pool G	Pool H		
	To	1	1		
Saturday	1pm	2	2		
		3	3		
		4	4		