The SCVA and KC Sports and Marketing have been working very diligently with the Governor of Nevada, MGM Resorts International, and the county health department in order to host the 2021 G18 Red Rock Rave. The SCVA asks that all individuals be aware of and follow all aspects of the safety protocol. The SCVA understands that different areas of the country may have different policies and protocols, however all individuals must follow the safety protocol to create a safe environment for the athletes, coaches, officials, staff, and spectators. The SCVA appreciates patience while these protocols were put into place. Please be aware, that conditions could change, and/or restrictions eased at any time, and that certain protocols may be added or modified prior to the event. The SCVA will continue to post the most recent plan on its website at http://www.scvavolleyball.org/page/180020323/180116785/Girls-Red-Rock-Rave

EVENT LOCATION
The Mandalay Bay Convention Center
Bayside A, Bayside B, Bayside C
Bayside D and Shoreline Level 2

ADMISSION AND SPECTATORS
- Each team will be allotted 32 wristbands per day. The count will include rostered athletes, rostered staff, and then the remaining for spectators. (For example: 14 rostered players, 3 rostered staff, and 15 spectators.) Each day will require a different colored wristband. Players can place the wristbands on their backpacks and/or shoes. All other individuals (coaches, staff, or spectators) must wear the bands on their wrist. Red Rock Rave Bag Tags will also be given out to the athletes during the event.
- As attendees approach the halls of the convention center, from the hotels, all individuals will pass through an EMT station that will ask COVID related questions. Once through, attendees will be divided into two paths. One for players and coaches, and the other for spectators. Once to the entrance doors to the halls, individuals will have do a temperature check and wristband verification.
- All attendees entering the facility over the age of 2 are required to wear some type of face covering, whether a mask or face shield, no exceptions allowed. If someone does not have a mask one will be provided to them by a member of the tournament staff.
- Those who have medical reasons and/or other reasons for not wearing a mask, will not be allowed to enter the venue. If you cannot, or chose not to wear a mask we ask you to
please not attend the event.

- Any staff, player, coach, or spectator who is above 65, anyone of any age with an underlying health condition or a compromised immune system, or anyone who has any specific concerns about COVID exposure is also advised to not attend.
- For those individuals who chose not to attend, or who are unable to attend the event in person, may watch live streaming of each court presented by BallerTv.
- Players are highly encouraged to travel with their immediate family members only.

PRIOR TO EVENT

- **Team Wrist Band Pick Up** – One person from each team will be required to pick up their wrist bands (32 Bands will be given per team, per day). Each day will have a color specific wrist band (more information will be provided when bands are picked up). Wrist band Pick Up will be available on Friday March 26th from 3pm -7pm at The Mandalay Bay Convention Center – Foyer of Bayside B (Near Food Court) Player credentials (bag tags) will also be given to the teams. [If you cannot make it by 7:00PM on Friday to pick up your wristbands for the event, please email support@kcsportshousing.com to arrange a drop package at your hotel, or to arrange a separate meeting.]
- Every coach, official, and staff are required to provide their most recent Negative COVID test or proof of vaccination. The Governor recommends one taken within 72 hours but this time frame is not mandatory. Please click on the following link to upload a negative test result, or a vaccination card. [CLICK HERE].
- A **required** COVID-19 questionnaire needs to be completed by all coaches, chaperones, officials, and team representatives. [CLICK HERE].
- The Governor of Nevada highly recommends that all attendees download the COVID Trace App. [CLICK HERE].
- Daily temperature checks, and COVID related questions will be asked at each entrance to each hall for all coaches, officials, athletes, and staff
- Masks will be required to be worn at all time inside all facilities, with the only exception being when an individual is eating or drinking. Security and SCVA Staff will be walking around the halls, ensuring that masks are worn at all times.
- Players and Coaches will be allowed to enter the halls thirty minutes before the start of the wave. Spectators will be allowed to enter no earlier than ten minutes prior to each wave.
- No lingering within the facility will be allowed or in the hallways. If the team needs to meet up, we suggest going outside.
- All teams need to have a contingency plan should someone become ill at the event. SCVA, MGM Resorts International, and KC Sports and Marketing are in no way liable for any cost or inconvenience that may be incurred due to illness.
- Any staff, player, coach, or spectator who has any of the below symptoms will not be allowed to enter:
  
  - Temperature above 100.4 degrees, Chills, Cough, Sore Throat, Congestion, Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, Fatigue, Muscle or body aches, Headache, Loss of taste or smell, Nausea, Vomiting or diarrhea.
Anyone who has a pending COVID test should not enter the facility until they receive the results.

Anyone who has been in close contact with anyone who has tested positive for COVID in the last 10 days will also not be allowed to enter.

**DURING EVENT**

- Each hall will have a single entry point and exit. Each hall will be closed off from other halls.
- Daily temperature checks, and COVID related questions will be asked at each entrance to each hall for all coaches, officials, athletes, and staff.
- Foot traffic in the convention center will be directed with one-way paths. There will be visible signage indicating which direction will be allowed.
- Teams, coaches, and spectators are only allowed to enter into their designated convention hall.
- Pools will be played on two courts simultaneously. If one court finishes prior to its partnered court, then the teams and spectators will be asked to remain on their court, on their side of the court.
- Players and Coaches will be allowed to enter thirty minutes before the start of the wave. Spectators will be allowed to enter no earlier than ten minutes prior to each wave.
- There will be NO mingling allowed in or around the hallways and/or convention center halls.
- Six feet of social distancing will be enforced throughout the facility.
- When you are in the public halls or foyers you must be in motion – either walking in or out of the facility. No lingering within the facility or in the hallways will be allowed.
- Outside coolers and chairs will not be permitted inside the halls.
- Guests will be permitted to bring pre-purchased food and beverage for individual consumption into the tournament area and venue halls. Sharing of food or beverage items will not be permitted.
- Water bottles, personal hand sanitizers, and personal disinfectants are encouraged to be brought. No gum, seeds or similar products.
- Each court will have a specific number of chairs. Every other chair will be taped off. All spectators must remain on their team’s side of the court. The SCVA also asks that spectators please sit or stand directly behind the chairs located on their court.
- Courts will be spaced out much more than usual and chairs will be provided to promote social distancing.

**LAYOUT AND DIAGRAMS FOR EVENT**

- Chairs will be placed at each end of the court and sideline. Every other chair will be taped off for non-use.
- Spectators must remain on their team’s side of the court. The SCVA also asks that spectators please sit or stand directly behind the chairs located on their court.
- There will be designated markings for entering and exiting the facility and each hall. This
will help reduce cross-traffic flow.

- Physical distancing will be enforced; signage and markings will be throughout the facility to ensure this takes place. Staff will be assisting in ensuring guests are moving throughout the halls and not gathering.
- **There will be a bag check available through Mandalay Bay for the last day of play.**

**Play Modifications: SCVA Return to Play**

- Tournament personnel will wear facial coverings.
- Trainers will wear facial coverings.
- Officials will wear facial coverings and will use hand held whistles.
- Coaches will wear facial coverings.
- Athletes will wear facial coverings. Due to the use of masks, everyone needs to be vigilant about hydrating and eating properly. Coaches, please monitor athletes closely during play.
- **There will be hand sanitizer located on each score keeper’s table for officials, coaches, and athletes to use.**
- Score tables, score boards, ref stands hand grips, net cords, standards, and balls will be sanitized between each session of play.
- Balls will be sanitized between each match.
- Athletes should bring their own water bottles and refill water from their own source. All water bottles should be removed by the individual bringing it to the court.
- There will be no shared water bottles or food.
- Each team will need to provide their own balls for warm up.
- No handshakes prior or after the match.
- For the coin toss, one representative from each team will stand on their 3 meter line, and one official will stand on the center line.
- Teams will not switch sides in between games
- Waves of play will begin at 8:00AM, 12:30PM, and 5:00PM.
- Pools of 4 will be played on two courts simultaneously.
- There will be no officiating crews provided by the teams.
- The SCVA will provide a first official, a down official, and a score keeper.
- There will be no linesmen.
- Courts and halls will need to be vacated after the completion of the matches for each wave.
- **There will be no tie breakers played at the SCVA Girls 18s Red Rock Rave.**
- Awards will be boxed up and handed out.
Medical Services

Select Medical will be accessible inside the halls. They are available for injuries and illnesses. Due to COVID-19, however efforts have been made to alter some of the courtesy services that they would normally provide.

- Ice. In years past, the trainers have provided ice on request. This will no longer be provided so as to avoid the inevitable congregation of athletes waiting for ice bags. Ice will only be available for acute injuries which occur on site. If an athlete requires ice on a regular basis, we suggest you make plans for icing at the hotel. We strongly encourage athletes to bring their own bags with which to ice after play using the hotel ice machines.
- Taping. In years past, our trainers have provided courtesy taping on request. This will no longer be provided so as to avoid the congregation of athletes waiting to be taped or being taped. Those who have chronic injuries for which they would typically receive taping services should be encouraged to obtain braces or other support devices prior to the event. Taping will only be provided for acute injuries requiring the evaluation and care of Select Medical staff.

COVID Protocols

If a player, parent, coach, official, spectator, or staff is confirmed COVID positive at the event the Mandalay Bay Convention Center, MGM Resorts, KC Sports and Marketing and SCVA (Southern California Volleyball Association) is not responsible or liable for any travel or inconvenience fees that the team or player or family might have.

If the individual becomes ill or sick at the event then they will be asked to go to the special Covid-19 room to seek attention. Participants with defined and detected COVID-19 symptoms will be directed to the isolation and referred to onsite or nearby local medical authorities for proper protocols and support.

Sanitation, Cleaning and Disinfection/Personal Hygiene

- The Cleaning Crew at Mandalay Bay will disinfect all High touch areas will be cleaned and disinfected frequently throughout the day; door handles, restrooms. Trash will be monitored and picked up often.
- Disinfection including electrostatic spraying will occur prior to, and after the tournament.
- Touchless hand sanitizer dispensers will be throughout the facility which will be maintained constantly. We highly recommend carrying your own personal hand sanitizer as well.
- Warm up balls will be supplied by each team.
- The Mandalay Bay Staff is trained on appropriate cleaning, sanitizing and disinfection requirements. They’ve been trained on how to properly wear a mask and proper PPE. As well as monitoring guest in the facility.
AFTER THE EVENT:

Should someone would become ill within 10 days after leaving the event and has tested positive with Covid-19. The team parent is required to report it to support@kcsportshousing.com.

We look forward to hosting the 2021 Girls 18s Red Rock Rave Junior National Qualifier in a safe, healthy atmosphere.

Dated: 03/22/2021