

2009 USAV SEASON

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Team Focals: Thanks to all those parents who volunteered their time to make the teams run smoother for all. Your hard work is appreciated.

18 Vortex	Holly Warren & Karen Thompson
17 Thunder	Jamie Pfeiffer
16 Storm	Janet Pearce
16 Eclipse	Tonya Bedell
16 Cyclone	Craig Nakano
16 Avalanche	Tiffany Sandquist
16 Tornado	Duane Eng
16 Inferno	Michelle Lenhart
16 Blizzard	Renata Porter
15 Thunder	Dawn Cameron
15 Heat	Gina Morrison
14 Storm	Debbie Britten
14 Eclipse	Laura McGinnis
14 Inferno	Gretchen Bryant
14 Cyclone	Jeannie Shardelman
14 Blizzard	Lisa Hurley & Tina Fischer
13 Thunder	Laura Shepp-Kumle
13 Heat	Allison Bugg & Amy Nelson
12 Storm	Janet Pearce
12 Eclipse	Geoff and LaDonna Jolly

In addition, a special thanks to:

Cindy Crank: Club Travel Coordinator
Torie Luedke – Yearbook Coordinator

Northwest Juniors Volleyball Club

Mission Statement

Northwest Juniors Volleyball Club is committed to providing opportunities for young athletes at all levels of development to engage in quality, competitive experiences. We are dedicated to the idea that any player, regardless of size or skill level, who wants to participate in the USAV Junior Volleyball Program, should be given that opportunity.

A competitive athletic experience can instill good work habits, enhance social development, contribute to mental and physical health, and teach values of personal responsibility, self-discipline, self-motivation, and teamwork. Participation in junior volleyball also improves the athlete's opportunity to realize the goals of:

- *Improving individual skills and ability to play and contribute as a member of a team.*
- *Earning or keeping a position on the school varsity volleyball team.*
- *Earning a college scholarship.*

Each of the above goals involves individual player growth. This includes improvement in skill level AND in the mental outlook necessary to be a successful member of a volleyball team. The **Northwest Juniors** philosophy regarding player growth is simple; one must play to improve.

Club Director, Tony Miranda



Administrative Experience

- 9 years (2001 – 2009 seasons) as Director of Northwest Volleyball & NW Juniors Volleyball Club.
- 3 years (1997 – 1999) as Assistant Director of the Northwest Volleyball Center.
- Over ten years experience as a coach, club administrator, tournament and event director.
- Junior Program Director, Puget Sound Region USA Volleyball

“For the 2009 USAV season, **Northwest Juniors Volleyball Club** was 20 teams strong!!! We are very proud of the players, coaches and administration this season. As our mission statement reads, we are dedicated to players of all skill levels; to that end, we have 4 “National” teams competing at or near the top of the region (two U16’s, U15, U14), and 16 “Regional” teams of varying skill-levels and ages (U12 – U18) in the Eastside, Edmonds, and Kent areas. We are also proud to have a U10/11/12 League this year, introducing the sport to a great group of future volleyball stars.

Most area clubs are restricted to selecting only “all-stars”. We feel that we can provide an environment for “all-stars” through our National, Edmonds, and Kent team programs -- and at the same time provide opportunities for future all-stars through our Regional team program in all three geographic locations. We are excited about our program this year and look forward to the changes that will occur in years to come in upgrading our National programs and providing more opportunities for the younger age groups.”