



## SUPERIOR NORTH VOLLEYBALL CLUB Tryout & Team Selection Policy

1. Superior North Volleyball Club (SNVC) tryouts will take place sometime in October 2022. Dates and times for tryouts will be determined by the Board of Directors and advertised through the Club's social media, email, and other methods as the Board sees fit and must comply with the Ontario Volleyball Association (OVA) Tryout Window.
2. Registration fee for tryouts is \$20.00 (cash or cheque).
3. All athletes must try out for the age category according to their birthdates. Exceptions can be made at the discretion of the Board for an athlete to try out in an older age category (i.e. if an athlete's development would be impeded by playing on a team in their age category). Athletes are not permitted to move up more than one age category. Decisions to move athletes up or down age groups will be made in collaboration with coaches, athletes, and with approval by the Board of Directors.
4. All tryouts are a minimum of two (2) on-court sessions. Any extra tryouts will be at the discretion of the Coach, upon approval by the Board of Directors. All athletes should attend both tryout sessions. By not attending both tryout sessions, athletes risk not being properly evaluated by the Coach/Evaluator and potentially not making the intended team. If an athlete cannot attend a tryout, they must inform the Coach or Board of Directors.
5. Coaches/Evaluators are to evaluate athletes on, but are not limited to the following areas and criteria:
  - a. Individual skill and potential;
  - b. Team awareness;
  - c. Coach ability and attitude;
  - d. Work ethic; and
  - e. Overall fit with the team.
6. In the event of a personal conflict (parent coach-athlete conflict), a Board of Director or Coach with no affiliation with either person will step in to ensure no biased decision is made.
7. After the tryout and evaluation process, athletes will be notified via email by a Board of Director.
8. Parents are not allowed to contact the Coach to contest the decision if their child is not selected for a team. If the parent believes that the selection decision was not made in conformity with this policy, they may submit a written protest to the Club President at [snvcpresident@gmail.com](mailto:snvcpresident@gmail.com) within two (2) weeks of the decision.