

# WHICH DIVISION FOR YOU?

## TOURNAMENT DIVISIONS

There are 3 Divisions this year (6v6)

**Men**      **Women**      **Mixed**  
(there must be 3 women  
on court at all times)

## REFEREES

If you are interested in refereeing on Sunday please contact Steve Evans - 231 Highbridge Road, Sutton Coldfield, West Midlands B73 5QY

**Tel:** 0121 682 4641      **Mobile:** 07813 972733

**Email:** steveevans@blueyonder.co.uk

## JUST TURN UP AND PLAY

As part of the Sandwell Volleyball Festival 2010, there will be a specific area at King George V Playing Fields dedicated to both young people and adults who would love to have a go at the sport!

The 'let's play' arena will be for juniors and adults who may have no prior experience of the sport or for players who may have played in school or part of a club in the past and wish to have a recreational game for a bit of fun.

There will also be local sports officers on hand from partner organisations who can direct you to local clubs.

Led by Volleyball England and supported by local sports partners, qualified coaches will be on hand to offer advice and support or provide you with the opportunity to learn how to play and have fun at King George V Playing Fields in Sandwell Valley throughout the weekend.

For more information contact Volleyball England's Black Country Officer – Bertrand Olie on b.olie@volleyballengland.org

## DATES

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July and Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2010  
Teams are required to check in by 9.00 am on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.

## APPLICATIONS & ENQUIRIES

All entries by Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2010 to:

**Mrs Mel Westwood** - 18 Westdean Close,  
Halesowen, West Midlands B62 8UA

**Tel:** 0121 602 2484

**Email:** vicwestw@blueyonder.co.uk

## ENTRY FEE

£45 per team. Cheques/Postal Orders payable to:  
The Sandwell Volleyball Tournament should be sent with your entry to the Tournament Secretary Mrs Mel Westwood at the address above.

## VENUE

Sandwell Park Farm, King George V Playing Fields,  
Salters Lane, West Bromwich, West Midlands B71 4BG England

Matches start at 10:00am both days. Games and times on Sunday are subject, however, to completion of pools matches on Saturday.

## FACILITIES

- Teams playing in the Tournament may camp free of charge for the duration of the Tournament.
- The Tournament will be played outdoors on grass courts.
- Hot and cold food, snacks and ice cream will be available on the site.
- Hot showers and toilets will be available throughout the Tournament at times printed in the programme.
- There will be a St. Johns Ambulance First Aid Station.
- In the Mixed Divisions there must be a minimum of three women on court at all times.
- Players may play for **one team only** throughout the Tournament. Teams or players who ignore this rule are liable to forfeit all matches.



# Sandwell Volleyball Tournament

Part of Volleyball England's Volleyfest

## IS BACK!!!

The tournament acknowledges the assistance it receives from  
Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council  
The Albion Foundation  
Volleyball England  
Sandwell Leisure Trust



Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> & Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2010 · King George V Playing Fields · West Bromwich

# Sandwell Volleyball Tournament

## VOLLEYBALLERS

Dear Volleyballers

I am delighted to invite you to participate in the New Sandwell Volleyball Tournament as part of Volleyball England's Volleyfest 2010

Some of you will remember that Sandwell hosted the tournament for 27 years up to 1997 and we are delighted to be bringing it back at Sandwell Park Farm, King George V Playing Fields, West Bromwich once again.

The event, which at its peak, became the biggest in Europe and won the IOC Sport for All award and acknowledged by the Guinness Book of Records as probably the biggest volleyball tournament in the world when it attracted 420 teams. Many people were introduced to the sport for the first time at Sandwell.

This year we are inviting you to participate in 3 categories: men, women and mixed. If all goes well and Volleyballers enjoy the Tournament we will look to expand in the years ahead.

If you haven't played here before then try us and enjoy the experience. Please fill in the application form attached. Sandwell has always created a friendly and welcoming atmosphere and this year we hope to generate this good cheer again in 2010.

**Richard Callicott**  
Tournament Director

Sandwell represents an opportunity for players to play at an appropriate level and to enjoy a fun but competitive weekend. This year we wish to thank Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council, The Albion Foundation, Volleyball England and Sandwell Leisure Trust for their support.

A dedicated and committed organising committee and many volunteers will be there to create a tented village and an atmosphere of sociability.

Camping is free but you will have to register your intention to camp **BEFORE** the tournament. We will deal with this via emails.

If you have never been before why not come this year for the traditional Sandwell Weekend of July 3<sup>rd</sup> / July 4<sup>th</sup> 2010.

Please complete the application form and return by Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2010.

A Message from ...

**Cllr Linda Horton**

Cabinet Member for Culture and Leisure  
Sandwell Metropolitan Council

*"I look forward to watching the event  
grow and wish the organisers and  
competitors every success"*

Please tear off and return

# Sandwell Volleyball Tournament

## 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> July 2010

### ENTRY FORM

**Club:**

**Secretary's Name:**

**Secretary's Address:**

Post Code

**Tel Day:**

**Tel Evening:**

**Email address:**

**Entry 1:      Men\*      Women\*      Mixed\***

**Entry 2:      Men\*      Women\*      Mixed\***

**Entry 3:      Men\*      Women\*      Mixed\***

**Entry 4:      Men\*      Women\*      Mixed\***

**Total Entry Fee: £**

\* Please circle as appropriate

On behalf of the above club we agree to abide by the decisions of the Organising Committee

**Signed:**.....**Date:** .....

**Return to:** Mrs Mel Westwood – 18 Westdean Close, Halesowen,  
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