

**Blue Valley USA Boccia Regional Tournament
In Metro Kansas City
April 30 – May 1, 2022**

Dear Athletes and Coaches,

You are invited to the Blue Valley USA Boccia Regional Tournament on Saturday, April 30, 2022 through Sunday, May 1, 2022. The Tournament will be held at Blue Valley High School located at 6001 W. 159th Street, Stilwell, Kansas 66085. This event is highly encouraged if you would like to compete in the 2022 National USA Boccia Tournament.

We plan to open the event on Friday, April 29th with athlete classifications. In addition, referee training will be offered on April 29th. We will provide the schedule for referee training soon. The Tournament will begin on Saturday, April 30th at 8:00 am. The Tournament will continue on Sunday May 1st, at 8:00 am and run until noon followed by an Awards Ceremony.

Registration: To register for the Blue Valley USA Boccia Regional Tournament, please go to the following USA Boccia Registration link:

<https://usabocciaregistration.sportngin.com/register/form/909898768>

The **registration deadline is March 18th**. If you are unsure about how to complete the registration, please feel free to contact Pat Dalton at (913)888-4536, pdalton@everestkc.net or Teri McGuire at (720)854-9898, terimac54@gmail.com.

Entry Fee: The 2022 regional tournament entry fee is \$50.00 per athlete. The fee for Ramp Operator, Sport Assistant or Coach is \$10. Each participant is registered separately. After you finish one, there is button at the bottom of the page to allow you to register another person. It is also possible to purchase additional lunch tickets (\$10 each). This is payable by credit card online when you complete your tournament registration. Tournament scholarships for those in financial need are available. USA Boccia membership is required for USA Boccia services and tournament participation. Athletes, not previously a USA Boccia member, entering this year's tournament will receive a free USA Boccia Membership (\$50.00 value) by paying the Tournaments entry fee. USA Boccia Members enjoy access to USA Boccia sponsored tournaments and many special membership benefits. Athletes with questions or need assistance should contact Pat Dalton or Teri McGuire.

COVID Policy: Masks are required to be worn at all times, unless a written release has been provided. Masks will not be required during active play or while actively eating or drinking. Temperature checks will be taken when entering the venue.

Athlete Classification: Please refer to the BISFed Boccia Rule Manual for information about Athlete Classification. If you do not have an official USA Boccia Classification you must attend

Classification on Friday, April 29th. Please let us know and we will schedule you for Classification on Friday, April 29th, starting at 5pm.

Boccia Rules: We will use the BISFed International Boccia Rules 2021-2024-v.1.1. Rules are available for review at <https://usaboccia.org>

National Games: Check out the following websites below for information regarding other competitions.

- Check <https://usaboccia.org> for events and dates for USA Boccia.
- Check www.challengegames.org for events and dates for the Challenge Games in Derby, Kansas.
- Check www.moveunitedsport.org for events and dates for Move United.
- Check www.dasasports.org for events and dates for DASA Gateway Games.

Food and Social: Lunch will be served for everyone on Saturday at noon.

Lodging: Please see attachment for lodging options close to the event.

Please Register Early: Please register as early as you can, but no later than March 18th. DO NOT wait until the last minute!

Other Contact Information:

USA Boccia

Email: usaboccia@gmail.com

Website: <https://usaboccia.org>

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