

2021 Volleyball Referee Information Pack



Introduction

Refereeing Volleyball is a fun and exciting opportunity to expand your knowledge of the sport.

Volleyball WA is thrilled that you have considered refereeing volleyball this season. There are plenty of opportunities to referee at ATA Beach Tour, WAVJL and WAVL, all of which can be pathways to other local, national, and international opportunities.

Becoming a paid referee with VWA is easy, simply register online through your VWA Portal and provide VWA with a completed statement of supplier. Refereeing is a great way to earn some extra money, and the Rates for this season are outlined in this document.

We thank you in advance for your commitment to volleyball.

Essential Requirements

To be eligible to referee for Volleyball WA you must have the following:

- A current VWA membership.
- A current VA Referee Accreditation.
- Have a current Working with children's card (if eligible).
- Complete the Referee Payment Form, which is located on your dashboard in your VWA Portal.
- Provide VWA with a Statement of Supplier Form.

Equipment

Referees must arrive with the equipment necessary to perform their duties.

You must ensure you have:

- A Whistle (Fox 40 recommended).
- Pen (Blue or Black).
- Volleyball Toss Coin (Regular coin will also suffice).
- Referee Cards.

Uniforms

It is a requirement that all referees look the part and are always presentable.

VWA Preference

- It is highly recommended that all referees wear a Volleyball Australia referees shirt, which can be purchased online from [Volleyball Australia](#) or [Australian Volleyball Warehouse](#)
- You must wear either black shorts or black long pants.
- Enclosed shoes must be always worn.

Minimum WAVL Requirements

- The clubs official playing/team uniform/jacket/polo (only if a VA referee shirt is unavailable).
- Their VA or FIVB Referee badge.
- Enclosed shoes must be always worn.

Minimum WAVJL Requirements

- The VWA issued polo shirt or a plain black T-shirt/Polo shirt.
- Enclosed shoes must be always worn.

Who gets paid to Referee?

- Not all Referees in volleyball are paid and those who get paid may be paid different rates depending on their level of accreditation.
- Only Accredited First Referees officiating games for State League, State League Reserves and WAVL Divisions are paid according to their level of qualification.
- All VWA appointed Referees at WAJL are paid according to their level of qualification.
- Second referee, line judges or individuals performing game duties on behalf of their club, are not paid.

Referee Rate Review

VWA conducted a review of the rates of pay for referees and the following changes have been implemented for 2021.

- All WAVJL, WAVL and VWA appointed Referees are paid an Honorarium or a Hobby Payment.
- Referee rates of pay are paid on an hourly basis only (rounded to the closest 15 minutes).

VWA 2021 Rates for Referees

Accreditation Level	Rate of Payment (WAVL & WAVJL)	One-off Event (Per hour)
Level One Referee	\$5.00 Match Fee (Volunteer Honorarium)	\$22.50
Level Two Referee	\$24.50 per hour	\$24.50
Level Three Referee	\$27.50 per hour	\$27.50
Level Four + Referee	\$32.50 per hour	\$32.50
Level 2 Referee Course Presenter	\$45.50 per hour	N/A
Level 3 Referee Course Presenter	\$55.50 per hour	N/A
Referee Assessor	Payment as per Level of Referee	Payment as per Level of Referee

For further assistance

If you require further assistance or would like to know more about refereeing with VWA please contact the following departments:

- WAVJL juniors@volleyballwa.com.au
- WAVL stateteams@volleyballwa.com.au
- All other enquiries development@volleyballwa.com.au