

Club Tryouts & Pre-Tryout Clinics

@ LAVA Shack for 2015-2016

Three Successful Club Organizations ... One Exciting New Volleyball Entity

It is rare in club volleyball for competitors to have respect for one another, and honor and admiration there-between. For this reason, among others, we are excited to announce the coming together of the **Los Angeles Volleyball Academy (LAVA)**, the biggest club organization west of the Rockies, **Crescent VBC**, a respected Santa Monica sand and indoor club volleyball program, and **Sports Shack VBC**, the long-time and extremely successful club based in West Los Angeles, to form an exciting new entity with deep Westside roots: **LAVA Shack Volleyball Club**.

LAVA Shack operates with gym facilities at Marymount HS, St Monica's HS, Crossroads HS, and Notre Dame Academy.

The Club Director of LAVA Shack is Sinjin Smith, alongside Assistant Club Director Dennis Marlow.



LAVA Shack Club Director Sinjin Smith is one of the most recognizable figures in volleyball around the world. The AVP beach legend was also an accomplished indoor player, a two-time All-American and National Champion for UCLA.

Histories of Success ... Traditions of Excellence ... Joining of Forces

Built on the foundation of the three clubs listed above, **LAVA Shack** will provide excellent training—as crafted by LAVA—to players who crave competitive play with an ethical, honorable, positive culture on the Westside of Los Angeles.

Los Angeles Volleyball Academy is a premier youth and juniors volleyball organization based in Southern California—and one of the largest, most respected entities in the SCVA. Its LAVA Coast affiliate will be folded into LAVA Shack.

Sports Shack Volleyball Club has been one of the most successful clubs nationally since 2000. The highlight was back-to-back 18 Open gold medals won in 2010-2011.

Crescent Volleyball Club has provided stellar beach training and quality indoor instruction in Santa Monica for several years now under the guidance of Dennis Marlow.

PRE-TRYOUT CLINIC @ LAVA SHACK 15's-18's - AUGUST 16, 2015

Cost to participate is \$20 per player.

Sunday August 16 @ Marymount School
10643 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90077

10:30a - 12:00p ... 9th, 10th, 11th & 12th Graders ... Pass-Set-Hit

Sign up and pay for clinics online at lava-girls.com/pre-tryout-clinics-shack.

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List of Coaches for 2015-2016 Coming Soon

2015-16 CLUB TRYOUTS @ LAVA SHACK 15's-18's Age Divisions

All Club Tryouts will be held at one of two locations:

@ Crossroads School, 1714 21st Street, Santa Monica, CA 90404
@ Marymount School, 10643 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90077

15's & 16's :: Wed Aug 19 :: 5:15p-7:00p :: @ Crossroads

17's & 18's :: Thurs Aug 20 :: 5:15p - 7:00p :: @ Crossroads

15's & 16's :: Sat Aug 22 :: 12:30p-2:00p :: @ Marymount

17's & 18's :: Sat Aug 22 :: 2:30p-4:00p :: @ Marymount

Club Tryouts for 12's-14's ... Will open on Friday, October 02

*Players are **strongly** encouraged to attend the first tryout session for their age group. Team roster spots are not guaranteed to remain available after the first tryout session.

Pre-Registration & Cost for Club Tryouts:

Register and submit payment online at lava-girls.com/tryouts.
\$25 (includes shirt) if pre-registered. \$30 for walk-in on-site registration.

Age Group Eligibility Definitions (Age Division – Born After Date):

18's – Born After 09/01/96 17's – 09/01/98 16's – 09/01/99
15's – 09/01/00 14's – 09/01/01 13's – 09/01/02 12's – 09/01/03

Check Us Out Online At:

LAVA-GIRLS.COM/LAVA-SHACK

LAVA COAST BECOMES LIMITED TRAVEL PROGRAM

LAVA Coast joins forces with Crescent VBC Indoor to open a new limited travel program based in Santa Monica: LAVA Locals CC. The program will feature teams that compete only in the local SCVA tournaments at seasonal cost of \$2750 per player, plus uniforms. Please contact Dennis for details (info above).



Passion & Integrity: Few great things are achieved without passion. Our passion and integrity are the constants linking our coaches, parents, and players—a subscription to the idea of *Volleyball Done Differently*. We work hard to do differently—and better—in every aspect of our enterprise.