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Playing At Home

As always, we want to make sure our facility, staff, officials and opponents are well respected at tournaments. You all are VERY lucky if your team is assigned to play at home during the 2015 RMR season! Keep in mind, the RMR dictates where each team plays, NOT NORCO. Calling the RMR to ask where your teams play is a huge NO-NO.

Tournaments are listed on their web site the Wednesday before you play. Coaches and Team Managers are also told via an email. The RMR web

site also lists where the facilities are and the rules for each site. Teams that violate facility rules at any site will be fined \$125.00. Your teams and the tournaments they will be playing in, are listed on the practice calendar. For tournament formats and playing info, refer to the RMR web site.

[RMR Website](#)

When playing at home, everything you can do to help during the tournament will be greatly appreciated by our staff:

- Tournament Director (Jennarae Jester and or Gavin Markovits- NORCO

Coach and RD)

- Tournament Assistant Director: Alx B. (current NORCO coach/office assist.) and or Shyree Rose
- Concession Manager: (Deb Dotson (NORCO Board member, Mother of NORCO Coach Kelsey)

If your daughter or team is not playing, walk around and help pick up trash, check the women's bathroom, and make sure no one is in the gym with anything BUT water. And of course, our players-parents need to follow facility rules more than anyone and set the standards for others to follow. Please be familiar with your RMR Spectator Code (in your player-parent handbook and posted at each facility). With 24 teams playing, parking will be an issue so please try and car pool.

Good luck to everyone this season and please be respectful at all facilities and against all opponents!

Featured Mom and Daughter!



Our featured NORCO athlete, "Myles Hilbert" and her Mom, "Leslie" supporting the CSU Rams in Minneapolis playing against eventual Final Four Powerhouse Texas. Myles is participating on the 14 Black team this year. Myles' Dad is also CSU's Head VB Coach, Tom Hilbert. Besides excelling in VB, Myles is a highly skilled Soccer player and a Track athlete. Track comes natural to Myles as her Mom, Leslie was a Track athlete at the University of Oklahoma. After graduation, Leslie received her Masters at the University of Idaho and is currently the Assistant Vice president for Enrollment Communications at CSU.

DIG TO WIN 3v3

Winter Tournament!!!

Presented by NORCO Volleyball Club



NORCO is hosting our 5th Annual
WINTER DIG TO WIN 3v3 Junior Tournament!
The tournament will consist of two age divisions:
14 & Under and 15 & Up
all Teams Can Have One (1) Adult or Coach
DATE: Sunday, December 28, 2014
Where: NORCO Facility
Cost: \$75/team
TIME: Registration and Check-in begins at 8:30 a.m.,
Play begins at 9:00 am.
Tournament will consist of a Round-Robin format.
Check norcovolleyball.com for details
Register online at
www.norcovolleyball.com

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO WINNING TEAM
Of each division!
Tournament Sponsors



Click below to register!
[Winter Dig to Win](#)

The Great Solid Stool Challenge!



Thank you **Dr. Eric Stevens (Dad of Lindsey)** for buying and donating 4 stools for the Mez. from **overstock.com**. As a thank you, the club has matched his gracious offer. We would like to ask other NORCO members to get on board for the:

"Great Solid Stool Challenge"

If you are wondering what happened to the "other" stools...Well, that is easy to explain as we all know a 'loose stool' can be quite uncomfortable and even treacherous! You know, when you get older and after a long day at work, there is nothing better than a 'solid stool' to relax and of course enjoy the evening of watching VB practices and or tournaments.

So we now challenge you NORCO families! You too can donate the same stool from Overstock.com so you always know a "solid and safe stool" awaits you in the NORCO Mezzanine!

Click below for ordering details:

[Overstock.com](https://www.overstock.com)

Good sportsmanship pays off!!



The following details will take you to a website where your athlete can take the pledge for good sportsmanship. If we work together as a club, we can move NORCO into the top 5 giving them a chance to earn \$2,500. This pledge does not need to stop with our athletes. Each person that participates in watching can also take the pledge. So share the following link with everyone you know to help push us to the next level!

Earn \$2,500 for your favorite youth sports Club!

"I pledge to promote good sportsmanship in youth sports."

Click below to take the pledge and share the link with as many people as you can!!

[Take The Pledge](#)

Practices are in full swing with tournaments just around the corner. Our schedule is online and a necessary reference point. PLEASE utilize it! It prevents a lot of confusion and frustration. Click on the link below to access, or access by visiting our website.

[2015 Practice Calendars](#)



Congratulations Aye Wagners!



San Antonio Spurs Assistant BBall Coach Becky Hammond and 15 Black Coach Linda Crum



15 Black Head Coach, Linda Crum, recently attended a CSU event honoring Becky Hammond. Becky was a former standout basketball player at CSU and is now one of the Assistant Basketball Coaches for the San Antonio Spurs. Becky is the FIRST female assistant coach in the NBA! During this event, Becky spoke about barely getting recruited to play basketball, learning from failures and fulfilling her dreams as an athlete. Of course she talked about how much work and time that took but her determination and work ethic has certainly paid off! Congrats Becky for leading the way for many young female athletes to follow.

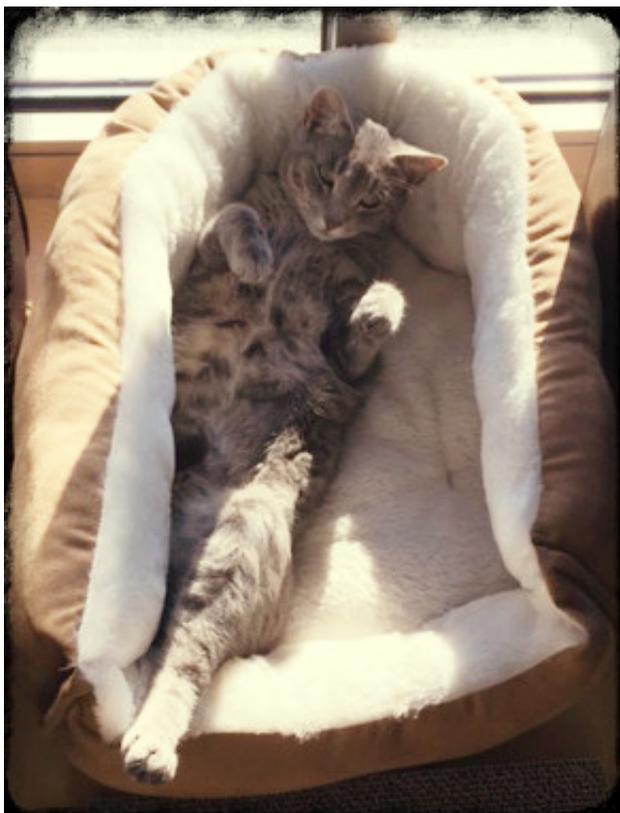
NORCO 12 Black Team Bonding



12 Black is coached by Amber Ortner and Maggie Kelly. This is Ambers 8th year coaching at NORCO. She has had 4 appearances at Junior National Olympics. This is Maggie's first year coaching at NORCO. She has played high school and club ball and competes on CSU's club volleyball team.



14 Black



"Hops" relaxing in the sun before her nightly duties of monitoring practice begins!

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