

**2026 Laker VB JO Tournament 15/16s**

**Sunday, April 19th, 2026**

**Howard Lake - Waverly - Winsted High School: 8700 CR-6, Howard Lake, MN 55349**

**Pool Play begins at 8:00 a.m.**

**Tournament Director: Suzie Koosman - [lakerjosvolleyball@gmail.com](mailto:lakerjosvolleyball@gmail.com)**

- Doors will open at 7:30am and pool play will begin at 8:00am.
- May enter the main High School entrance or the Activity Center entrance. Matches will be played in the Main High School Gym (15/16's) and three courts in our Activity Center (13/14's).
- Warm Up balls are provided
- Concessions will be available- CASH or VENMO only
- Admission for Adults = \$8.00. Children and Seniors are \$5 CASH or VENMO only
- No outside coolers allowed. Please keep food/drink outside of the gym.
- No athletic trainer is on site see tournament director for ice and first aid
- Parking in main front lot and lower level lot

<b>COURT 4 - Main High School Gym</b>	<b>COURT 5 - Main High School Gym</b>
A. Watertown 16-1	A. High Voltage 16-1
B. Laker Jo 15's	B. GSL 16's
C. Hutch 16's	C. JVB 15 White
D. HVVC 15 Purple	D. HVVC 15-2

<b>4 Team Pool</b>		
<b>Match</b>	<b>Teams</b>	<b>REF</b>
1	A v C	B
2	B v D	A
3	A v D	C
4	B v C	A
5	C v D	B
6	A v B	D

**Warm Up:**

- 10 minutes: 2-4-4 format
  - 2 min shared, 4 min on net including serving, serving team has net first
  - Only for match 1 and 2
- Remaining matches warm-ups will be:
  - 5 minutes: 1-2-2 format
  - 1min shared, 2 minutes on net including serving time

**Officiating**

- For 13's and up a player may be the up official
- Each team will provide up to two players to keep score at the score table, one to flip, one keeping the scorebook. Please limit other players at the table.

**Pool Play**

- **Warm up balls and carts will be provided**
- Pool play will be 2 sets to 25 with a cap at 27
- If the two teams split their sets the team with the most favorable point differential will be awarded the match.
- If the two teams split their sets and the scores of the sets result in a 0 point differential, an additional point will be played at the end of the second game.

**Bracket Play:**

All teams 1st and Second place teams will advance to the gold bracket. All 3rd and 4th place teams will advance to the silver bracket Division/Seed breakdown and placement in playoffs will be decided by:

- 1) Sets won/loss in pool
  - 2) Head to Head
  - 3) H-to-H point differential
  - 4) Overall Point Differential
  - 5) Coin Flip
- Format: Playoff matches are best of 3 games, the first 2 games to 25 no cap and the 3rd (if needed) to 15 with no cap
  - T-Shirts for first in Gold Brackets

Please help up stay on schedule- make sure your team is ready to officiate and play

**Thank you so much for participating in the HLWW JO Tournament**