

# MEN'S VOLLEYBALL INFORMATION

## COACHING STAFF

Andy Read	Head Coach	(562) 985-1798
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Scott Lane	Assistant Coach	(562) 985-1450

## GAME PERSONNEL

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Andrea Ohta	Sports Information Contact	(562) 985-8569
Jeff Scott	Ticket Office Contact	(562) 985-7437
TBA	Athletic Trainer	(562) 985-4660

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**Office Site:** The men's volleyball offices are located on the Red Grade level of the Walter Pyramid.

**Game Site:** The Pyramid (Capacity 4,200) is located on Atherton between Palo Verde and Bellflower Blvd.

**Practice Times:** To schedule a practice time please call Scott Lane in the Pyramid at (562) 985-1450. Please allow enough time prior to your team coming into town to make these arrangements. Times are limited due to classes held in all facilities.

**Parking:** Parking for visiting teams is in lots 13 and 14 in front of the Pyramid. Five passes will be mailed to head coaches only. The passes are valid the day before the game for practice times and the day of the game. Make sure to place the pass on your dashboard or you will receive a ticket. If you bring a bus have the bus drop you off at the Pyramid and then park in lot 14 near the recycling center. Spectator parking will be available in lot 13 and 14 at a charge of \$5 per car.

**Visiting Team Locker Room:** The visitor's dressing room is located at the North side of the Pyramid in the women's volleyball locker room. The Event Manager will meet the visiting team and have them escorted to their locker room. Towels and water will be provided. **Long Beach State is not responsible for any items left in the locker room.**

**Visitor's Bench:** The visitor's beginning bench is located on the left side of the scorer's table if you are looking at the floor from behind the scorer's table on your locker room side. Towels, water, and cups will be provided at the bench.

**Video Taping Area:** For home volleyball matches video taping can be done in the media workroom.

**Laundry:** We are sorry, but at this time we do not have a laundry service or laundry facilities available for visiting teams.

**Entry Gates:** Ticketed patrons should enter at the Gold Concourse Level. Teams should enter at the Gold Grade Level. Player will call is located at the front of the Pyramid at the Gold Grade Level. Gates will open approximately one hour prior to the start of the game.

**Player Complimentary Tickets:** Complimentary tickets are provided for visiting teams per contract agreements. For home matches, visiting team complimentary ticket lists should be submitted to the Box Office 90 minutes prior to game time. Tickets can be picked up by guests at the gold grade level entrance. Please have all guests bring photo identification. Tickets will not be released without proper identification.

**Ticket Office:** The ticket office is located at the front, gold entrance of the Pyramid. The ticket office is open throughout the day, will close at 5:00pm and re-open one hour prior to the start of the scheduled game. If fans would like to purchase tickets ahead of time they can call the ticket office at 562-985-4949. Tickets can also be purchased online at [www.longbeachstate.com](http://www.longbeachstate.com) using a major credit card. Tickets can be picked up at the ticket office.

**Ticket Prices:** Single game ticket prices for men's volleyball are yet to be determined. If you have questions regarding ticket prices please call the Pyramid Box Office at (562) 985-4949.

**Credentials:** Credentials are required for all media. All requests and questions regarding credentials should be directed to the Sports Information Department and Andrea Ohta at (562) 985-8569. Credentials must be requested from the SID office 48 hours in advance of the event.

**Media Relations:** General information for athletic media relations may vary slightly from sport to sport. If you have any questions please contact the main office at (562) 985 7797. Statistics after each game will be distributed to the media at press row/box, the visiting SID and to both team's benches/locker rooms. Final box score will be faxed immediately following the game to all media. Depending on media requests, coaches and selected players will be asked to give interviews. Interviews will take place either outside the locker room or in the interview room. Phones are available both on press row and in the media workroom. The media workroom is equipped with both phone lines and T1 connections. The media room is located on the second level behind the temporary bleachers.

## **DIRECTIONS TO LONG BEACH STATE ATHLETIC FACILITIES**

### **From Los Angeles:**

- Take the San Diego Freeway (405) South to the Palo Verde Avenue off-ramp.
- Go right at light (South) onto Palo Verde.
- Stay on Palo Verde for approximately 1/2 mile, until Atherton Street, and turn right.
- Turn left at first light, which is Merriam Way. The Pyramid will be on the left.

### **From Orange County:**

- Take the San Diego Freeway (405) North to the Palo Verde Avenue off-ramp.
- Go left at light (South) onto Palo Verde.
- Stay on Palo Verde for approximately 1/2 mile, until Atherton Street, and turn right.
- Turn left at first light, which is Merriam Way. The Pyramid will be on the left.

### **From 605 Freeway:**

- Take the 605 South to 7<sup>th</sup> Street/22 West.
- Stay on 7<sup>th</sup> street/22 West for approximately 1/2 mile, until Studebaker Road off-ramp and head North.
- Stay on Studebaker Road for approximately 1 mile, until Atherton Street, and turn left.
- Stay on Atherton for approximately 1 mile, until Merriam Way, and turn left. The Pyramid will be on the left.

## **MEN'S VOLLEYBALL GAME DAY TIMELINE**

### **For 7:00pm start:**

5:30 - 6:10 p.m.	Shared Court - <i>no hitting, no stretching on court during serving and passing</i>
6:10 - 6:25	Visiting Team
6:25 - 6:40	Home Team
6:40 - 6:47.30	Visiting Team
6:47.30 - 6:55	Home Team
6:55 - 7:00	National Anthem and Home/Visiting Team introductions
7:00 p.m.	Match Start (or delayed five minutes for celebration event)

### **Notes:**

1. Home team chooses bench
2. Coin toss will take place 20 minutes prior to the match start time.
3. \*Home team will provide visiting team and officials with official match itinerary/protocol.
4. No ball handling on the playing area by the team off the court.
5. The host institution shall have balls and carts on the court(s) at 5:30pm or one and one-half hours prior to the official match start time.
- 6 . Each host institution will provide 30 balls and two ball carts, or if there is a

separate warm-up court available, the host team shall also provide balls and a ball cart on the warm-up court.

7. Celebrations or promotions such as Senior Night, etc., must start promptly at 7:00pm or the designated match start time, and will be limited to no more than five minutes maximum. Activities of longer duration may take place at the end of the match. Such events shall be noted on the game itinerary and the opposing coach shall be notified more than 24 hours in advance.

*\*Any changes to above protocol must be approved by both the opposing coach and the conference office at least one-week prior to the match.*

- **Box Scores:** All teams will post box scores on their websites after each home match.
- **Time Outs:** All times shall be 75 seconds unless altered by television broadcast needs.
  
- Each team is allowed two timeouts per game. Timeouts will be 30 seconds in length.
  
- Home team designates side of court they wish to begin first game of match on.
  
- 15 seconds before the expiration of each period the referee will blow a warning whistle.

### **EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

Police/Fire/Medical Emergencies	911
Non-Emergency (Long Beach Campus)	(562) 985-4101
Non-Emergency (City of Long Beach)	
Police	(562) 435-6711
Fire	(562) 570-2500

## **LONG BEACH AREA HOSPITALS**

### **Long Beach Community**

#### **Medical Center**

1720 Termino Avenue

(562) 498-1000

Pacific Coast Highway and Termino

### **Long Beach Memorial**

#### **Medical Center**

2801 Atlantic Avenue

(562) 933-2000

Atlantic and Columbia

### **Los Alamitos Medical Center**

3751 Katella Avenue

(562) 598-2411

Katella and Los Alamitos

### **Pacific Hospital of Long Beach**

2776 Pacific Avenue

(562) 595-1911

Pacific and 27<sup>th</sup> Street

### **St. Mary's Medical Center**

1050 Linden Avenue

(562) 491-4000

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