Volleyball Queensland

Queensland Youth Beach 2027 Selection Panel Appointments

Volleyball Queensland is committed to a fair, transparent and consistent athlete selection process for the Queensland Youth Beach Volleyball Program. In accordance with the Volleyball Queensland Athlete Selection Policy, the selection panel for the Queensland Youth Beach team is responsible for assessing athletes against the published selection criteria throughout the selection period.

Phase 1 of Selections – Trial to Training Squad Selection:

The Age Group Coaching Team consists of the Head Coach and up to three Assistant Coaches. This group is responsible for assessing athletes during the selection trials and determining the initial Training Squad.

Phase 2 of Selections- Training Squad to Travelling and Shadow Athletes & Final Team Compositions

The Athlete Selection Panel is responsible for the subsequent selection stages of the program.

The panel comprises the Age Group Head Coach, Assistant Coach(es), eligible Mentor Coach(es) and the Participation, Pathways & High-Performance Manager.

The panel assesses athletes against the published selection criteria when determining recommendations for:

- Travelling athletes and Shadow Athletes.
- Final team compositions and pairings for the Australian Youth Beach Volleyball Championships (AYBVC).

The panel brings together coaching expertise and program oversight to support informed selection recommendations that align with the objectives of the Queensland Youth Beach Volleyball Program.

In accordance with Section 9 of the Volleyball Queensland State Team Athlete Selection Policy - Queensland Youth Beach Volleyball Program (AYBVC), the confirmed Selection Panel for the U14-U18 Boys and Girls teams are below.

All selection recommendations are subject to written approval by the Volleyball Queensland Chief Executive Officer before selections take effect.

Athletes and families are encouraged to read the Athlete Selection Policy - Queensland Youth Beach Volleyball Program (AYBVC) for full details of the selection process, criteria and relevant procedures.

Age Group	Panel Member	Panel Member	Panel Member	Panel Member	Panel Member
U14 Boys	Billy Wearne	Anthony Lee	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U14 Girls	Dana Drought	Katie Routledge & Emily Majewski	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U15 Boys	Brett Liddell	Matt Hunter & Zara Gaviglio	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U15 Girls	Matthew Ferguson	Lauren Telleman & Greta King	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U16 Boys	Phil Kelly	Stephanie Marshall	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch	
U16 Girls	Peter Grootenboer	Maeve McCowen & Sarah Kelly	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U17 Boys	Benjamin Travaini	Ernie Terrazzino	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U17 Girls	Vevin Mathew	Pierce Logan	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U18 Boys	Aaron Goode	Noah Collins-Oldfield	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch
U18 Girls	Kylie Marshall	Dave Brown	Angela Gaviglio	Benjamin Edmondson	Catherine Birch

Conflicts of Interest

In accordance with Section 10 of the policy, all Selection Panel members must declare any actual, perceived or potential conflicts of interest before the commencement of the selection process. All declared conflicts will be recorded and managed in accordance with the Volleyball Queensland Conflict of Interest Policy.