



The 2nd annual NMMI Classic Volleyball Tournament begins play this Friday, August 28 at 9:00 am, here on the New Mexico Military Institute campus in Roswell, NM. Ten women’s junior college teams from Arizona, Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, Texas, and Wyoming will begin competition by playing matches against each of the teams within their respective pools. The top three teams in each



pool, based on their win/loss record within the pool play, will then continue to play for the tournament championship, via a ladder-style bracket system. Matches will be played in both the Cahoon Armory and Godfrey Athletic Center gymnasiums.

Here is a listing of all ten teams participating, by pool:

Pool A (Cahoon Armory)
1. Garden City CC
2. Vernon College
3. New Mexico Military Institute
4. Casper College
5. Otero Junior College

Pool B (Godfrey AC)
1. Dodge City CC
2. Yavapai College
3. Lee College
4. Air Force Academy Prep.
5. Frank Phillips College

The schedule for the pool play follows:

Friday, August 28th	
Time	Teams
9:00am	2 vs. 5
10:30am	3 vs. 4
12:00pm	1 vs. 5
1:30pm	2 vs. 3
3:00pm	1 vs. 4
4:30pm	3 vs. 5
6:00pm	2 vs. 4

Saturday, August 29th	
Time	Teams
8:00am	1 vs. 3
9:30am	4 vs. 5
11:00am	1 vs. 2

The championship bracket play begins at 12:30 pm on Saturday, August 29th, with the championship match being held at 4:30 pm in the Cahoon Armory gym. A full schedule of bracket play follows:

Cahoon Armory Court
Game 1, 12:30pm: 3 rd Seed Pool A vs. 2 nd Seed Pool B
Game 3, 2:30pm: Winner G1 vs. 1 st Seed Pool A
Championship, 4:30pm: Winner G3 vs. Winner G4

Godfrey AC Court
Game 2, 12:30pm: 3 rd Seed Pool B vs. 2 nd Seed Pool A
Game 4, 2:30pm: Winner G2 vs. 1 st Seed Pool B

Last year's tournament was won by Frank Phillips College, who needed only three games to defeat Eastern Arizona College in the championship match. New Mexico Military Institute, after a perfect performance in pool play (4-0), lost to EAC in four games in the semifinals.

This year's tournament includes two teams ranked in the National Junior College Athletic Association's top 25 preseason poll: #7 Frank Phillips College from Borger, TX, and #15 Casper College, from Casper, WY.

There is no charge for admission, and the public is welcome and encouraged to come and see some exciting, fast-paced and excellent volleyball.