

Greetings All,

The **2026 JVA West Coast Cup** in Long Beach, CA, is sixteen days and a few hours away!

We're thrilled to have an amazing group of officials joining us for this event! Can't wait to see everyone in just a couple of weeks!

A couple of items for everyone to review and verify.

Look over the attached file to verify your information. Specifically, look at your **certification, hotel needs, and availability.**

- Certification is taken from AES. If you don't update your Referee Rating in AES, your pay will be affected.
- Hotels are almost done, and confirmation numbers will be sent to us later this week. We should be able to post at the beginning of next week.
- Availability – self-explanatory

If everything is correct, then no action is needed; if we need to change something, send us an email to joseph@jposports.com or hotel@jposports.com. Send me Certification and Availability information, and hotel changes to the hotel email address.

COMMUNICATION

If you need to get in touch with us, please email us rather than text. Also, we do not monitor the AES email function.

This year, we are using our website, **jposports.com**, to provide important information. You can find details about accepted officials, hotel information, schedules, and other important updates on the site.

OFFICIAL SUPPORT STAFF

JVA staff encouraged me to recruit excellent personnel this year. My wife, **Peg O'Neal**, is joining the team working on hotels. **Mike Trotter** will join me for on-site support as a Head Referee. Many know Mike from AAU Nationals, where he has been a Lead Official for several years and has attended the event since the early 2000s.

Mike Trotter
Peg O'Neal
Joseph O'Neal