

Hermosa Beach Miscellaneous Notes from Sunday

MEN

- The AVP has held 7 tournaments so far this season between the Tour Series and the Pro Series, and there have been 7 different teams and 14 different individuals
- A total of 9 of the 29 matches in the tournament went to a third set
 - For the weekend, teams winning the first set are 23-6 (79%)
- A total of 10 of the 29 matches were upsets
- 2 men's players this weekend had a hitting percentage of at least .500 (Theo Brunner, 62 kills, 7 errors, 99 attempts, .556 hitting percentage and Tri Bourne (65 kills, 13 errors, 97 attempts, .536)
- Paul Lotman had the most aces (9) as well as the highest average (1.00 aces / set)
- Taylor Sander chalked up a tournament-most 32 blocks while Billy Kolinske had the highest average at 3.67 blocks per set
- Three players averaged at least 6.00 digs per set (Chase Frishman 7.17, Timothy Brewster 6.14, Avery Drost 6.08)... Avery Drost had the highest total with 73

Women

- In the 7 tournaments this season (Tour Series plus Pro Series), 6 different teams have won, with only Kelly Cheng and Sara Hughes winning twice
- 12 different individuals have won and 7 have won for the first time on the AVP (Alaina Chacon, Kylie Deberg, Macy Jerger, Corinne Quiggle, Megan Rice, Sarah Schermerhorn, Brandie Wilkerson)
- A total of 16 of the 29 matches went to a third sets
 - Teams winning the first set were 23-6 (79%)
- 16 of the 24 matches were upsets... 8 of the 14 matches in the winner's bracket were upsets
- The semifinals had the 3rd highest sum of seeds in the final four in AVP women's history
 - In Hermosa Beach 2019 the total was 64 (seeds 1, 18, 21, 24) in a 24-team draw
 - In Manhattan Beach 2017 the total was 41 (seeds 1, 2, 15, 23) in a 32-team draw
 - In Hermosa Beach 2023 the total was 40 (seeds 6, 7, 13, 14) in a 16-team main draw
- The two finalists were seeded 6th and 13th, and the total of 19 ties for the highest ever in AVP women's history... the other tournament that happened was in Ft. Lauderdale 2022 when seed #8 defeated #11
- Lexy Denaburg led the field in hitting percentage (106 kills, 24 errors, 169 attempts, .485 in her 6 matches)

- Carly Kan has had 11 aces to lead the field... Katie Dickens had the highest average (.83 aces / set)
- Sarah Schermerhorn led all players with 24 blocks and in average (2.00 blocks / set)
- Four players averaged at least 7.00 digs per set; Molly Turner 8.29, Corinne Quiggle 7.58, Savvy Simo 7.27, and Geena Urango 7.00)... Molly Turner led the field with 116