

MEN – #1 Tim Bomgren / Troy Field – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	6/20-23/2019	Seattle Open	2	5	450	\$5,200.00
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	7	2	1408	\$22,000.00
AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	5	3	540	\$7,000.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	7	3	756	\$8,400.00

- Duo is playing together for the 5th time on the AVP Tour and for the 5th time overall, and has reached the semifinals in 3 of the previous 4 events
- Last year these two players faced off against each other just one time, in Hermosa Beach... Bomgren won that match after winning first set then Field / Chase Frishman had to forfeit at the technical timeout of the second set
- Entering Hermosa Beach the duo has a 16-8 match record, with 17 of the 24 matches coming against teams seeded in the top 10

Tim Bomgren – age 32 – 6'4" – hometown Woodbury, Minn. – currently Golden Valley, Minn. – Wisconsin-Eau Claire

- Bomgren has a younger brother, Brian, who also plays on the AVP Tour... The brothers were partners for 28 AVP events from 2013-17, with their best finish in the 2015 season opener in New Orleans (3rd place after winning three qualifier matches)
- Bomgren is married to Lindsey, who played volleyball collegiately... They have a son (Brody)
- Bomgren is playing in his 41st AVP tournament, with a best of 2nd three times (Austin 2018 with Taylor Crabb, Chicago 2018 with Chaim Schalk, and New York City 2019 with Chaim Schalk)
- Beginning in the last open event of 2018 in Chicago, Bomgren has had to play 14 top four seeds in his last 5 tournaments... in those 14 matches against teams seeded 4th or better, he has a 7-7 record
- Bomgren advanced to 1 AVP semifinal in his first 29 AVP tournaments (28 of those came alongside younger brother Brian), then since the start of 2018 he played in 6 AVP semifinals in his 11 events with 4 different partners
- This will mark the 3rd time Bomgren has played an AVP event in Hermosa Beach, finishing 5th in 2017 with Curt Toppel after upsetting #1 seed Billy Allen / Stafford Slick, then 7th in 2018 with Chaim Schalk

Troy Field – age 25 – 6'4" – hometown Laguna Beach, Calif. – currently Mission Viejo, Calif. – Saddleback Community College

- Field is playing in his 14th AVP Tournament, with a best of 3rd in his first two 2019 events (Huntington Beach and Austin) before placing 2nd in New York City... prior to that his best was 9th 3 times
- In 2017-18 Field had won 7 main draw matches, and 5 of them came against teams that advanced from the qualifier... The other 2 wins came versus the #10 seed in Austin and #18 seed in Manhattan Beach... then in the first four events of 2019 he chalked up 16 wins, including 5 wins over top 4 seeds
- Last year Field advanced from the qualifier in the season opener, was eliminated in the qualifier in the next 3 tournaments, then was seeded directly into the main draw for the last 3 events
- Field made his pro beach volleyball debut in Hermosa Beach in 2017 with Justin Johnson, finishing 33rd... last year he placed 9th with Chase Frishman

2019 Season Stats								<u>Service</u>
<u>Player</u>	<u>Attacks</u>	<u>Kills</u>	<u>Errors</u>	<u>Hit %</u>	<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Digs</u>	<u>Aces</u>	<u>Errors</u>
Tim Bomgren	624	355	85	.433	4	259	24	47
Troy Field	593	334	124	.354	82	63	31	87

MEN – #2 Jeremy Casebeer / Chaim Schalk – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	6/20-23/2019	Seattle Open	3	1	750	\$15,000.00
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	3	5	990	\$10,000.00
AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	4	2	640	\$10,000.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	4	5	630	\$6,200.00

- Duo is playing together for the 5th time on the AVP Tour and for the 5th time overall... duo collected the first ever victories for both players by winning the title in Seattle
- In the past 2 years these two players faced off against each other 5 times, with Schalk eliminating Casebeer from 3 tournaments while Schalk got past Casebeer in the semifinals in Chicago 2018 to reach his first AVP championship
- The duo has a 13-5 match record in 2019 entering Hermosa Beach... 4 of their 18 matches have come against Tim Bomgren / Troy Field (2-2 record), as Schalk has faced his former teammate Bomgren in 3 of the past 4 tournaments this year

Jeremy Casebeer – age 30 – 6’5” – hometown Santa Barbara, Calif. – currently Santa Barbara, Calif. – UCLA

- Casebeer is married to fellow pro beach volleyball player Maria Clara Salgado from Brazil, who won two FIVB gold medals with her sister Carolina Salgado... They have one son (Joaquim)
- This is Casebeer’s 49th AVP event, and he has 1 win (Seattle 2019 with Chaim Schalk) and placed 2nd twice (New York 2016 with Sean Rosenthal and Austin 2019 with Chaim Schalk)
- In 2018 Casebeer and his partner Reid Priddy were 2 of just 8 players to reach at least 4 semifinals
- In Hermosa Beach 2018, Casebeer teamed with Olympic Gold Medalist Eric Fonoimoana (finished 15th), and their first round match meant that Fonoimoana became the oldest men’s player to ever win a main draw match (49 years, 1 month, 20 days), bettering Karch Kiraly’s mark by almost 2 ½ years
- Casebeer had 26 aces in the first 3 events of 2019 (13 matches), then had 25 in Seattle (5 matches)
- Casebeer finished 5th in Hermosa Beach in 2017 with John Mayer, and was 15th in 2018 with Eric Fonoimoana

Chaim Schalk – age 33 – 6’5” – hometown Red Deer, Alberta, Canada – currently Gardena, Calif. – Trinity Western / Red Deer College

- Schalk is married to fellow pro beach volleyball player Lane Carico, and they have a newborn daughter (Koa)
- Schalk is playing in his 17th AVP Tournament, with 1 win (Seattle 2019 with Jeremy Casebeer) and has placed 2nd twice (Chicago 2018 with Tim Bomgren and Austin 2018 with Jeremy Casebeer)
- In the last open event of 2018, in Chicago, Schalk and Tim Bomgren had to play each of the top four seeds (defeated #1 and #3, lost to #2 and #4)
- Schalk played on the FIVB Tour from 2010-2017, primarily with Ben Saxton, winning a silver and three bronze medals
- In New York 2017, Schalk played with Ricardo Santos and he advanced to his first ever AVP main draw... in Schalk’s first main draw match he defeated top-seeded Phil Dalhausser / Nick Lucena en route a 3rd-place finish
- Schalk has played in Hermosa Beach just once before, finishing 7th in 2018 with Tim Bomgren

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Jeremy Casebeer	425	257	67	.447	72	34	51	95
Chaim Schalk	393	218	45	.440	1	146	17	26

MEN – #3 Chase Budinger / Casey Patterson – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
FIVB	7/17-21/2019	Edmonton Three Star	6	5	360	US\$3,000.00
FIVB	7/8-13/2019	Gstaad Major Series	29, Q9	25	360	US\$4,000.00
AVP	6/20-23/2019	Seattle Open	4	3	540	\$7,000.00
FIVB	6/11-16/2019	Warsaw Four Star		CQ		US\$0.00
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	8	5	990	\$10,000.00
FIVB	5/29-6/2/2019	Ostrava Four Star	Q8	33	160	US\$0.00
FIVB	5/22-26/2019	Jinjiang Four Star	19, Q2	17	320	US\$3,000.00
FIVB	5/15-19/2019	Itapema Four Star	24	5	480	US\$6,000.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	6	2	896	\$14,000.00

- Duo is playing together for the 4th time on the AVP Tour and for the 13th time overall... they finished 2nd in Huntington Beach in their first AVP tournament together, 5th in New York City, then 3rd in Seattle
- Last year these two players faced off against each other twice, with Budinger winning both times (New York and San Francisco)

Chase Budinger – age 31 – 6'7" – hometown Encinitas, Calif. – currently Hermosa Beach, Calif. – Arizona

- Budinger has an older brother, Duncan, who also plays on the AVP Tour... The brothers have played against each other twice, in the 2018 Manhattan Beach Open, when Chase defeated Duncan 17-15 in the third set, then in Seattle when Chase won in a sweep
- In high school Budinger was rated the No. 4 basketball player and the National Volleyball Player of the Year
- Budinger played basketball at Arizona, then played seven seasons in the NBA with four different teams... He competed in the 2012 NBA Slam Dunk Contest
- Budinger is playing in his 10th AVP tournament, with a best of 2nd twice (San Francisco 2018 with Sean Rosenthal and Huntington Beach 2018 with Casey Patterson)
- Last year Budinger started the season doing well in first sets (11-3) but from that point on he went just 2-8 in first sets
- This is the first time Budinger has competed in Hermosa Beach on the AVP Tour

Casey Patterson – age 39 – 6'6" – hometown Manhattan Beach, Calif. – currently Camarillo, Calif. – Arizona

- Patterson is married to Lexi ... They have two sons (Cash and Guy) and one daughter (Ray)
- Patterson is playing in his 96th AVP Tournament, with 14 wins (13 with Jake Gibb and 1 with Ty Loomis)... He also has 2 FIVB wins (both with Jake Gibb)
- Patterson has advanced to at least one AVP semifinal in each of the past 7 years (from 2013 and including 2019)... He has a 14-4 record in AVP finals and has also finished 3rd 13 times
- In each of the 4 years from 2013 to 2016, Patterson had the most wins of any individual on the AVP Tour (along with Jake Gibb... In that span, he advanced to the semifinals in 23 of his 26 AVP tournaments
- Patterson was a 2016 Olympian, finishing 19th with Jake Gibb
- This marks the 7th time Patterson is playing on the AVP Tour in Hermosa Beach... in 2003 he made his pro beach volleyball debut with Mike Daniel, finishing 57th... the last time he played an AVP event here was in 2010 with Kevin Wong, placing 7th

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Chase Budinger	285	165	39	.442	50	14	17	45
Casey Patterson	373	236	43	.517	1	110	19	29

MEN – #4 Billy Allen / Stafford Slick – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Coach: John Mayer (Played 124 tournaments over 16 years on the AVP, winning 4 titles with 3 different partners;
also won 2 FIVB events)

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	6/20-23/2019	Seattle Open	7	3	540	\$7,000.00
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	10	7	814	\$7,600.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	5	7	518	\$4,400.00
AVP	8/31-9/3/2017	Chicago Championships	4	3	864	\$9,500.00
AVP	8/17-20/2017	Manhattan Beach Open	2	5	720	\$6,700.00
AVP	7/20-23/2017	Hermosa Beach Open	1	7	370	\$3,800.00
AVP	7/6-9/2017	San Francisco Open	1	2	640	\$10,000.00
AVP	6/22-25/2017	Seattle Open	5	1	750	\$15,000.00

- Duo is playing together for the 13th time on the AVP Tour and for the 24th time overall... They have 1 win (Seattle in 2017)... In 2019 the duo has an 8-6 match record entering Hermosa Beach
- Together they have advanced to the semifinals in 6 of their 12 AVP tournaments, with 1 win, 2 2nds and 3 3rds
- On the AVP Tour they played in the 2016 season opener in New Orleans when Slick injured his eye (and has worn protective goggles when playing ever since) and then the entire 2017 season (8 events)... their 5 semifinals in 2017 tied for the most of any team that season
- Slick's first career AVP semifinal came in Santa Barbara 2013 when he and Adrian Carambula defeated Billy Allen / Braily Halverson to reach the semis

Billy Allen – age 37 – 6'2" – hometown Fallbrook, Calif. – currently Redondo Beach, Calif. – Cal State-Northridge

- Allen is married to fellow pro beach volleyball player Janelle (Ruen) Allen ... They have one child (Ketch)
- This is Allen's 106th AVP event with 2 wins (Seattle 2016 with Theo Brunner and Seattle 2017 with Slick)
- In his AVP career Allen advanced to 5 semifinals in his first 88 tournaments, but has since has been in 9 semifinals in his last 17 events entering Hermosa Beach
- Allen set a record in his first ever AVP tournament, in Huntington Beach 2004... He and Ty Trambie became the lowest seeded qualifier team (66th) to ever advance to the main draw... That record would only last a week though, as in Manhattan Beach Chuck Donlon / Chris Young advanced after being seeded 72nd
- Allen has previously played in 7 AVP tournaments in Hermosa Beach, with his best finish coming in 2018 with Ryan Doherty when they placed 2nd

Stafford Slick – age 34 – 6'8" – hometown Andover, Minn. – currently Hermosa Beach, Calif. – Minnesota-Duluth / Minnesota

- Slick is married to Julie Motz, a former middle blocker at Michigan Tech who set the school season record for blocks and left with 3rd best career hitting percentage... They have a son (Edison) and a daughter (Delaney)
- Slick is playing in his 47th AVP Tournament, with 1 win (Seattle 2017 with Billy Allen)
- Slick has advanced to at least one AVP semifinal in each of the past 7 years (from 2013 through 2019)... 8 of his 12 career AVP semifinals have come since suffering a partially detached retina in his left eye in the 2016 season opener in New Orleans
- Slick has previously played 2 AVP tournaments in Hermosa Beach 17th in 2010 with Dain Blanton and 7th in 2017 with Billy Allen)

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Billy Allen	358	202	46	.436	0	149	3	21
Stafford Slick	332	204	51	.461	50	23	33	62

MEN – #5 Ed Ratledge / Roberto Rodriguez – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	6/20-23/2019	Seattle Open	5	9	300	\$2,500.00
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	5	13	528	\$4,000.00
AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	3	5	450	\$5,200.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	3	7	518	\$4,400.00
AVP	8/30-9/2/2018	AVP Gold Series The Championships	4	3	972	\$10,500.00
AVP	8/16-19/2018	AVP Gold Series Manhattan Beach	7	5	810	\$7,500.00
AVP	7/26-29/2018	AVP Hermosa Beach	5	3	540	\$7,000.00
AVP	7/5-8/2018	AVP San Francisco	6	1	750	\$15,000.00
AVP	6/21-24/2018	AVP Seattle	10	9	300	\$2,500.00
AVP	6/7-10/2018	AVP Gold Series NYC	12	9	420	\$3,400.00

- Duo is playing together for the 11th time on the AVP Tour and for the 11th time overall... The pair has won 1 AVP title (San Francisco 2018)
- The duo began playing together in the 2nd event of the year last season, finishing 9th in their first two outings (1-2 match record in both)... Then in the 3rd tournament as partners the pair went 5-0 in winning in San Francisco, including eliminating four teams seeded 7th or better (3 by sweeps)
- Last season the pair had a 18-8 match record on the AVP, reaching the semifinals in 3 of their last 4 AVP tournaments... They began the 2018 season with a 2-4 match record, then ended with a 16-4 record... In 2019 the duo has a 5-8 match record entering Hermosa Beach, going 1-6 in their last 7 matches

Ed Ratledge – age 42 – 6’8” – hometown Fountain Valley, Calif. – currently Huntington Beach, Calif. – UCLA

- Ratledge is married to Jessica Graham... They have two kids (William and Adeline)
- This is Ratledge’s 154th AVP event, and he has 1 win (with Rodriguez in San Francisco 2018) ... He has had 27 different partners on the AVP Tour
- In San Francisco 2017, Ratledge advanced to his first career AVP semifinal... Prior to that he had played 138 AVP events without reaching a semifinal, the second most in history
- With his victory in San Francisco 2018, Ratledge became just the 5th different individual to win an AVP title after turning 40 (he was 41 years, 6 months, 22 days old), joining Karch Kiraly, Mike Whitmarsh, John Hyden, and Jake Gibb
- Ratledge is playing an AVP event in Hermosa Beach for the 12th time... his best finish here was in 2018 when he placed 3rd with Roberto Rodriguez

Roberto Rodriguez – age 32 – 6’3” – hometown Guaynabo, Puerto Rico – currently Temecula, Calif.

- Rodriguez is playing in his 28th AVP Tournament, with 1 AVP win (San Francisco 2018 with Ratledge)
- The first time Rodriguez advanced to an AVP main draw, in Seattle 2016, he and Kevin McColloch won their first main draw match against the top-seeded team and went on to finish in 5th place
- In his AVP career, Rodriguez owns a 3-3 match record against teams seeded number one
- Rodriguez has played 2 AVP events previously in Hermosa Beach, advancing to the semifinals each time (3rd in 2017 with Piotr Marciniak, and 3rd in 2018 with Ed Ratledge)

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Ed Ratledge	381	219	55	.430	43	32	3	29
Roberto Rodriguez	269	135	49	.320	1	119	22	27

MEN – #6 John Hyden / Piotr Marciniak – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

- Duo is playing together for the 1st time ever
- Before Hermosa Beach, these two players were on the sand at the same time twice... In Austin 2018 Marciniak (and Ty Loomis) eliminated Hyden (and Ryan Doherty) while last event in Seattle Hyden (and Doherty) eliminated Marciniak (and Chase Frishman)

John Hyden – age 46 – 6’5” – hometown San Diego – currently Franklin, Tenn. – San Diego State

- Hyden is married (Robyn), and they have a daughter (Samantha) and a son (Jackson)
- Hyden is playing in his 147th AVP Tournament, and has 13 AVP wins with 5 different partners... His 2017 victory alongside Ryan Doherty was his first AVP title with a player from somewhere other than Hawai’i
- Hyden is a two-time Indoor Olympian (tied for 9th in 1996, tied for 11th in 2000), and he was the MVP of the 1996 team
- Hyden is the oldest player to ever win an AVP tournament, with his last win in Hermosa Beach 2018 when he was 45 years, 9 months, 22 days old... It was his fifth AVP victory since turning 40
- Hyden’s first ever AVP tournament came in Hermosa Beach in 2001 alongside Jeff Nygaard, and the duo lost in the qualifier, finishing 29th... that was one of just two AVP tournaments in his career in which he failed to make the main draw... in Hermosa Beach 2002 he and Chip McCaw advanced to the main draw, Hyden’s first ever main draw (and has been in the main draw ever since)

Piotr Marciniak – age 32 – 6’6” – hometown Kedzierzyn Kozle, Poland – currently Boca Raton, Fla. – Webber International University

- Marciniak is married to Karolina (Sowala) Marciniak, who also plays on the AVP Tour... They have a son (Michael), born in March 2019
- Marciniak grew up in Poland, played for the Polish National Team in 2005-06, then moved to the U.S. in 2012 to get his Master’s degree in Sports Business Management
- Marciniak is playing in his 20th AVP Tournament, with a best of 3rd (Hermosa Beach 2017 with Roberto Rodriguez)... Before that career-best finish, Marciniak had a 1-6 record in AVP main draw matches, then won 4 straight matches in Hermosa Beach to reach the semifinals
- In the 2018 season’s last open event in Chicago, Marciniak finished 5th with Eric Zaun after defeating two top-5 teams (#5 Billy Allen / Ryan Doherty and #1 Phil Dalhausser / Nick Lucena)
- Marciniak has played 2 previous AVP tournaments in Hermosa Beach, placing 3rd in 2017 with Roberto Rodriguez and 13th in 2018 with Eric Zaun

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Ryan Doherty	227	128	34	.414	41	24	12	29
John Hyden	119	76	10	.555	1	65	17	17

MEN – #7 Avery Drost / Chase Frishman – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	7/5-8/2018	AVP San Francisco	9	9	300	\$2,500.00
AVP	6/21-24/2018	AVP Seattle	8	9	300	\$2,500.00
AVP	6/7-10/2018	AVP Gold Series NYC	11	7	518	\$5,000.00
AVP	5/17-20/2018	AVP Austin	11	9	300	\$2,500.00
FIVB	5/1-6/2018	Huntington Beach Four Star	32	33	100	US\$1,000.00
FIVB	2/1-4/2018	Shepparton One Star	14, Q4	1	200	US\$1,000.00
AVP	8/31-9/3/2017	Chicago Championships	10	13	384	\$2,500.00
AVP	8/17-20/2017	Manhattan Beach Open	10	9	480	\$3,225.00
AVP	7/20-23/2017	Hermosa Beach Open	8	3	540	\$7,000.00
AVP	7/6-9/2017	San Francisco Open	6	5	450	\$5,200.00

- Duo is playing together for the 9th time on the AVP Tour and for the 11th time overall, with a best of 3rd in Hermosa Beach 2017
- The duo played together the last half of the 2017 season and the first half of the 2018 season before splitting up
- In February 2018 Drost and Chase Frishman won a FIVB one-star event in Shepparton, Australia... In getting that victory the pair defeated 5 of the event's top 7 seeds, sweeping the top 3 including the top-seeded Australians on their home sand

Avery Drost – age 32 – 6'5" – hometown Redlands, Calif. – currently Redondo Beach, Calif. – Westmont College

- Drost is married to Alyson... They have a daughter (Blake) and a son (Micah)
- Drost is playing in his 59th AVP tournament, with a best of 3rd 4 times (New York 2015 with Billy Kolinske, Seattle 2016 with Gregg Weaver, New York 2016 with Kolinske and Hermosa Beach 2017 with Chase Frishman)
- Drost has played with 21 different partners on the AVP Tour, and Frishman is the only player he has had for at least 6 events
- This will be the 5th time Drost has played an AVP event in Hermosa Beach with a best of 3rd in 2018 with Chase Frishman

Chase Frishman – age 28 – 6'0" – hometown Laguna Niguel, Calif. – currently Laguna Niguel, Calif. – California-San Diego

- Frishman is playing in his 27th AVP tournament, with a best of 3rd (Hermosa Beach 2017 with Avery Drost)... In getting his first career AVP semifinal, Frishman and Drost had to overcome a loss in their first match, requiring 5 elimination match wins before losing in the semifinals
- This spring Frishman competed on the FIVB Snow Volleyball World Tour... In the first event in Austria in March, Frishman (along with teammates Travis Mewhirter, Chris Vaughan and Eric Zaun) finished in a tie for 5th place... The next week in Italy that same team tied for 9th place... The next event scheduled is in August in Argentina
- Frishman has played 2 previous AVP tournaments in Hermosa Beach, placing 3rd in 2017 with Avery Drost and 9th in 2018 with Troy Field... the 2017 Hermosa Beach event marked the first ever semifinal for Frishman

2019 Season Stats								Service
Player	Attacks	Kills	Errors	Hit %	Blocks	Digs	Aces	Errors
Avery Drost	325	172	55	.360	32	33	20	27
Chase Frishman	427	201	89	.262	0	130	19	40

MEN – #8 David Lee / Sean Rosenthal – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

- Duo is playing together for the 1st time ever
- These two players have never faced each other

David Lee – age 37 – 6’8” – hometown Alpine, Calif. – currently Alpine, Calif. – Long Beach State

- Lee was a three-time indoor Olympian, winning a gold in 2008, placing 5th in 2012, and winning a bronze in 2016
- Lee is playing in his 11th AVP Tournament, with a best of 13th in Seattle last event with Raffe Paulis
- This will mark the 4th ever AVP main draw for Lee, who has an 0-6 record in main draw matches... in each of the previous 3 main draws, he has played one of the Crabb brothers in his first match
- Lee’s only previous experience playing in Hermosa Beach came in 2018 with Paul Araiza, finishing 33rd

Sean Rosenthal – age 39 – 6’4” – hometown Redondo Beach, Calif. – currently Redondo Beach, Calif.

- Rosenthal is married to Kayce Matthess, who played volleyball at UC-Santa Barbara as well as briefly on the AVP... They have a daughter (Tate) and twins Skyler and Sawyer
- Rosenthal is playing in his 161st AVP tournament, with 12 wins (8 with Jake Gibb, 2 with Larry Witt and 2 with Phil Dalhausser)... He has played in 44 AVP championship matches and advanced to 69 AVP semifinals
- Rosenthal has also claimed 10 gold medals on the FIVB Tour (6 with Phil Dalhausser and 4 with Jake Gibb)
- Since 2003, when Rosenthal played in his first AVP title match, he has played in at least one AVP championship match every year except for 2011 (there was just one AVP event and Rosenthal did not play in that)
- Rosenthal is a two-time Olympian, finishing 5th with Jake Gibb in 2008 and fifth in 2012 with Gibb
- Rosenthal has played 13 AVP tournaments previously in Hermosa Beach, with his best finishes here being a 2nd in 2017 with Trevor Crabb, and 3rd place finishes in 2005 (with Larry Witt) and in 2009 (with Jake Gibb)

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David Lee	45	19	10	.200	9	6	1	6
Sean Rosenthal	401	234	67	.416	2	155	15	32

MEN – #9 Michael Brunsting / Ty Loomis – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
VP	6/20-23/2019	Seattle Open	11	7	370	\$3,800.00
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	14, Q3	13	528	\$4,000.00
AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	10	9	300	\$2,500.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	13	13	336	\$2,200.00
AVP	8/30-9/2/2018	AVP Gold Series The Championships	13	13	432	\$2,800.00
AVP	8/16-19/2018	AVP Gold Series Manhattan Beach	13	9	540	\$3,500.00
AVP	7/26-29/2018	AVP Hermosa Beach	10	9	300	\$2,500.00

- Duo is playing together for the 9th time on the AVP Tour and for the 10th time overall... their best on the AVP Tour was 7th place in Seattle last event
- Before teaming up these two players had faced each other just one time, in a qualifier in Huntington Beach in 2016... Brunsting won that match, advancing him to his 2nd career AVP main draw while that marked the last time in Loomis' career that he was eliminated in a qualifier
- Last season the duo ended with a 7-6 match record on the AVP... entering Hermosa Beach the duo has a 2019 season record of 8-8 (including 3-0 record in the qualifier in New York City)

Michael Brunsting – age 27 – 6'5" – hometown San Diego – currently Lake Forest, Calif. – California-San Diego

- Brunsting is playing in his 30th AVP tournament, with a best of 7th three times (New York 2016 and Austin 2017, both times with Chase Frishman, Seattle 2019 with Ty Loomis)
- Brunsting has played with 9 different partners on the AVP Tour... Played 11 times with Chase Frishman, then his second most events have come with Loomis
- Brunsting has played 2 AVP tournaments in Hermosa Beach previously, finishing 9th in 2017 with Jeff Samuels, and 9th in 2018 with Ty Loomis

Ty Loomis – age 40 – 6'3" – hometown Warner Robins, Ga. – currently Laguna Beach, Calif. – California-Irvine

- Loomis is playing in his 119th AVP Tournament, with 2 wins (Brooklyn 2009 with Casey Patterson and San Francisco 2017 with Maddison McKibbin)
- In his AVP career Loomis has played with 33 different partners... he has a ways to go to catch Justin Phipps, who played 101 AVP events with 60 different partners
- Loomis made his AVP debut in Huntington Beach in May 2002, when Brunsting was just 9 years old
- Loomis got a 3rd place finish in San Francisco in June 2016 (with Marty Lorenz) and since that point has only had to play in 2 AVP qualifiers, with both of those times occurring in New York City... in 2018 he and Piotr Marciniak advanced after being the number one seed in the qualifier, then in 2019 he and Michael Brunsting were seeded 3rd in the qualifier and advanced
- Loomis has played 10 AVP tournaments in Hermosa Beach previously with a best of 5th in 2009 with Casey Patterson

2019 Season Stats								<u>Service</u>
<u>Player</u>	<u>Attacks</u>	<u>Kills</u>	<u>Errors</u>	<u>Hit %</u>	<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Digs</u>	<u>Aces</u>	<u>Errors</u>
Michael Brunsting	247	135	39	.389	34	16	11	28
Ty Loomis	258	143	46	.376	1	75	11	40

MEN – #10 Ryan Doherty / Miles Evans – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

- Duo is playing together for the 1st time overall
- These two players have met 4 times on 3 different tours... Doherty won the only AVP meeting in Huntington Beach 2016, and won both FIVB meetings in 2018... the Last meeting came in September 2018 on p1440, when Evans claimed the win

Ryan Doherty – age 35 – 7'1" – hometown Toms River, N.J. – currently Hermosa Beach, Calif. – Notre Dame

- After being an All-American pitcher at Notre Dame, Doherty became the tallest pitcher in minor league history
- This is Doherty's 47th AVP event, and he has 3 wins (in Seattle 2015 with John Mayer, in New Orleans 2016 with John Mayer, and in Chicago 2017 with John Hyden)
- Doherty has played with 11 different partners in his AVP career including Evans, including 6 partners with whom he played either once or twice... He has reached the title match with each of the other 5 players he has competed with
- Doherty played the 2018 season with Billy Allen, getting one 2nd and two 3rds in their 7 AVP events
- This season Doherty and John Hyden placed 9th in New York City and 7th in Seattle
- Doherty has played 2 AVP tournaments previously in Hermosa Beach with vastly different results... in 2010 he was 57th with Phil Silva and in 2018 he placed 2nd with Billy Allen... the 2010 event marked the last time Doherty played and lost in an AVP qualifier

Miles Evans – age 29 – 6'4" – hometown Santa Barbara, Calif. – currently Redondo Beach, Calif. – Santa Barbara City College

- Evans is playing in his 9th AVP Tournament with his 8th different partner
- Evans only previous AVP main draw was in Huntington Beach 2016 with Curt Toppel... the duo advanced from the qualifier, then Evans' first AVP main draw match came against Ryan Doherty (lost)... he did rebound to win against a couple of Olympic Gold medalists, defeating Phil Dalhausser (by forfeit) as well as Todd Rogers (in three sets), finishing in 5th place
- Evans and Billy Kolinske have played 23 FIVB tournaments together, including 7 this season
- This will mark the first AVP event Evans has played in Hermosa Beach

2019 Season Stats								<u>Service</u>
<u>Player</u>	<u>Attacks</u>	<u>Kills</u>	<u>Errors</u>	<u>Hit %</u>	<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Digs</u>	<u>Aces</u>	<u>Errors</u>
Ryan Doherty	208	123	30	.447	20	7	6	18
Miles Evans	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0

MEN – #11 Maddison McKibbin / Riley McKibbin – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	Q4	21	330	\$0.00
AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	11	13	240	\$2,000.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	14	9	420	\$3,000.00
AVP	8/30-9/2/2018	AVP Gold Series The Championships	16	13	432	\$2,800.00
AVP	8/16-19/2018	AVP Gold Series Manhattan Beach	16	17	342	\$1,000.00
AVP	7/26-29/2018	AVP Hermosa Beach	12	13	240	\$2,000.00
AVP	7/5-8/2018	AVP San Francisco	10	13	240	\$2,000.00
AVP	6/21-24/2018	AVP Seattle	12, Q1	9	300	\$2,500.00
AVP	6/7-10/2018	AVP Gold Series NYC	14, Q2	13	336	\$2,600.00
AVP	5/17-20/2018	AVP Austin	13, Q1	13	240	\$2,000.00

- The brothers are playing their 23rd AVP event together and 24th overall event
- The duo's best finishes on the AVP are 6 9th-place finishes, including in the 2019 season opener in Huntington Beach
- The McKibbins played 7 AVP events last year with a best finish of 9th at Seattle... they ended the year with a 14-14 match record and 33-33 set record... entering Hermosa Beach, the duo has a 2019 season record of 4-5
- They had to advance out of the qualifier in each of the first three events last year
- In their last 5 AVP tournaments played, they were eliminated in three-set matches

Maddison McKibbin – age 28 – 6'4" – hometown Honolulu, Hawaii – currently Santa Monica, Calif. – USC

- Has teamed with brother Riley for 22 of his 30 AVP events prior to Hermosa Beach
- Maddison has 1 career win, a 2017 San Francisco title with Ty Loomis... His next best finish on the AVP was 5th at Austin with Reid Priddy in 2017
- Maddison has played 3 AVP events previously in Austin (57th with Will Montgomery in 2008, 9th place in 2017 with Ty Loomis and 13th with Riley McKibbin in 2018)
- The 2008 Hermosa Beach Open marked the pro beach debut for Maddison

Riley McKibbin – age 30 – 6'2" – hometown Honolulu, Hawaii – currently Manhattan Beach, Calif. - USC

- Riley has partnered with brother Maddison for 22 of 24 AVP events prior to Hermosa Beach
- Riley's only other AVP tournament in Hermosa Beach was in 2018, finishing 13th with Maddison McKibbin

2019 Season Stats								<u>Service</u>
<u>Player</u>	<u>Attacks</u>	<u>Kills</u>	<u>Errors</u>	<u>Hit %</u>	<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Digs</u>	<u>Aces</u>	<u>Errors</u>
Maddison McKibbin	154	88	21	.435	33	22	14	29
Riley McKibbin	242	117	51	.273	0	71	5	11

MEN – #12 Bruno Amorim / Skylar del Sol – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

Tour	Date	Tournament	Seed	Finish	Points	Money
AVP	6/6-9/2019	Gold Series NYC Open	Q5	21	330	\$0.00
AVP	5/16-19/2019	Austin Open	14, Q3	7	370	\$3,800.00
AVP	5/2-5/2019	Huntington Beach Open	Q2	25	168	\$0.00
AVP	8/30-9/2/2018	AVP Gold Series The Championships	18, Q6	15	378	\$1,100.00
AVP	8/16-19/2018	AVP Gold Series Manhattan Beach	23, Q7	17	342	\$1,000.00
AVP	7/26-29/2018	AVP Hermosa Beach	Q8	49	82	\$0.00

- Duo is playing together for the 7th time on the AVP Tour and overall... Their best finish on the AVP Tour was a 7th in Austin 2019
- This marks the first time for each player to be seeded directly into the main draw on the AVP Tour
- This season the duo has an 8-4 match record (2-2 in main draws, with both wins coming in three-set matches)

Bruno Amorim – age 36 – 6'5" – hometown Irvine, Calif. – currently Richmond, Ind.

- Amorim is married to former AVP player Kim McConnaha, who is currently the head volleyball coach of Indiana University East... they have a daughter, Athena, born in 2013
- Amorim, who is fluent in Portuguese, English and Spanish, has played professionally overseas including in Tunisia
- Amorim is playing in his 17th AVP tournament, with a best of 7th in Austin 2019 with Skylar del Sol
- Amorim has played 2 AVP events previously in Hermosa Beach, finishing 17th in 2017 with Ozz Borges and 49th in 2018 with Skylar del Sol

Skylar del Sol – age 28 – 6'0" – hometown Elizabeth, Colo. – currently Parker, Colo.

- Satterfield is playing in his 20th AVP Tournament, with a best of 7th in Austin 2019 with Bruno Amorim
- Before beginning his current partnership with Amorim, del Sol played 13 events with 8 different partners
- Del Sol's only previous AVP tournament in Hermosa Beach came in 2018 with Amorim, finishing in 49th place

2019 Season Stats								<u>Service</u>
<u>Player</u>	<u>Attacks</u>	<u>Kills</u>	<u>Errors</u>	<u>Hit %</u>	<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Digs</u>	<u>Aces</u>	<u>Errors</u>
Bruno Amorim	97	56	15	.423	12	3	11	22
Skylar del Sol	93	46	16	.323	1	27	7	14

MEN – #21 Jake Rosener / Christopher Vaughan – Hermosa Beach – July 26-28, 2019

- Duo is playing together for the 1st time ever
- These two players have never played against each other

Jake Rosener – age 32 – 6'6" – hometown Cupertino, Calif. – currently Hermosa Beach, Calif. – Cal Santa Barbara

- Rosener is playing in his 36th AVP tournament, with a best of 9th in New York City 2015 with Raffe Paulis
- This tournament snapped a streak of 12-straight AVP events Rosener had played but lost in the qualifier... his last AVP main draw before this weekend was in Hermosa Beach 2017 with Garrett Wessberg
- Rosener has played 2 AVP events previously in Hermosa Beach, finishing 13th in 2017 with Garret Wessberg and 25th in 2018 with Travis Schoonover

Christopher Vaughan – age 25 – 6'4" – hometown Medford, N.J. – currently Medford, N.J. – Stevens Institute of Technology

- Vaughan is playing in his 12th AVP Tournament, with a previous best of 21st in New York City 2019 with John-Michael Plummer
- This tournament marks his first career AVP main draw, and in the match to advance to the main draw he defeated his partner (John-Michael Plummer) from his previous event
- Vaughan has played 4 AVP events with John-Michael Plummer, then his other 8 tournaments have come alongside 8 different partners
- Vaughan's only previous AVP tournament in Hermosa Beach came in 2018 with John-Michael Plummer, finishing in 25th place