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A NATIONAL YOUTH HANDBALL COMPETITION *Registration under way for Junior 3-Wall Championships at Venice Beach*

LOS ANGELES – Registration is under way for the 2008 Junior 3-Wall Handball National Championships, to be held Friday, July 18, through Sunday, July 20, 2008 at Venice Beach Recreation Center, a City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks facility located at 1800 Ocean Front Walk.

There will be two co-ed divisions – age 9 and younger, and ages 10-11; separate competitions will be held for boys and girls in four other age categories –13 and younger, 14-15, 16-17, and 18-19. The double-elimination format tournament will be played using United States Handball Association rules, with awards going to the top two finishers in each division.

Event T-shirts and refreshments will be given to participants while supplies last. The competition is being presented by the Department of Recreation and Parks, together with the Southern California Handball Association.

The entry fee is \$15 per player; the deadline to register is Friday, July 11 at 5:00 p.m. For more information about or to sign up for the 2008 Junior 3-Wall Handball National Championships, call Venice Beach Recreation Center at (310) 399-2775.

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