

GENERAL AVA COMMUNITY EVENTS GUIDELINES

- A. Unless otherwise explicitly stated in this and following subsections, all event sanctioning procedures and guidelines detailed in Section 4.0 apply to an ACE. This includes, for example, deadlines for event submission and participation data entry, brochure content, approval of events, approval of brochure and other publicity materials, the requirement that event participants sign an AVA Athletic waiver, archiving of event materials, etc.
- B. There is no IVV stamp or credit provided for participants in an ACE.
- C. Clubs may create event brochures for AVA Community Events, but an event brochure is NOT required.
- D. ACE brochures, event directions or other promotional materials must not contain an IVV logo or reference the IVV.
- E. IVV minimal distance requirements do not apply to an ACE.
- F. AVA Special programs do not apply to an ACE. (No event stamp is available to imprint Special Program books.)
- G. Clubs may provide awards for an ACE; but the award should not include any reference to the IVV.
- H. Clubs may collect event participation fees (even more than the limits specified for IVV events), but all paid participants shall be categorized as “non-credit” (or paid) participants. The AVA will assess the Traditional Event Paid Participant Fee (See Appendix B) per non-credit/paid participant.
- I. An ACE cannot be designated as a PPSF event.

ACEs fall into the four classifications: Youth Community Events (ACE-Y), Private Community Events (ACE-P), Traditional Community Events (ACE-T) and Weekday Guided Community Events (ACE-WG) as detailed in the following sections, 5.03 through 5.06.