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**BEACHES AND HARBORS TEAMS UP WITH AVPCF  
TO PROVIDE YOUTH VOLLEYBALL CAMPS**

MARINA DEL REY, CALIF. – July 8, 2010 – Beaches and Harbors has partnered with the official charity foundation of the AVP NIVEA Pro Volleyball Tour, the AVP Cares Foundation (AVPCF) to hold a free five-week long summer beach volleyball program from July 9<sup>th</sup> – August 12, from 12 p.m. – 4 p.m. at the Dockweiler Youth Center located at Dockweiler State Beach, 12505 Vista del Mar, Los Angeles.

The Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors approved the agreement with AVPCF to provide youth volleyball camps to Los Angeles County–based children’s organizations, representing over 320 children between the ages of 13-17 from diverse socio-economic backgrounds.

The Summer Kids Club is designed to get children out on the beach and encourage physical activity to combat the negative affects of childhood obesity by playing beach volleyball in a healthy and nurturing environment with AVP pros. The children will receive 2 hours of volleyball instruction and 1 ½ hours of water time. Participants will also take part in 30 minutes of interactive instruction from volunteers at HEAL THE BAY. The program will focus on simple steps people can take to protect the coastal environment

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