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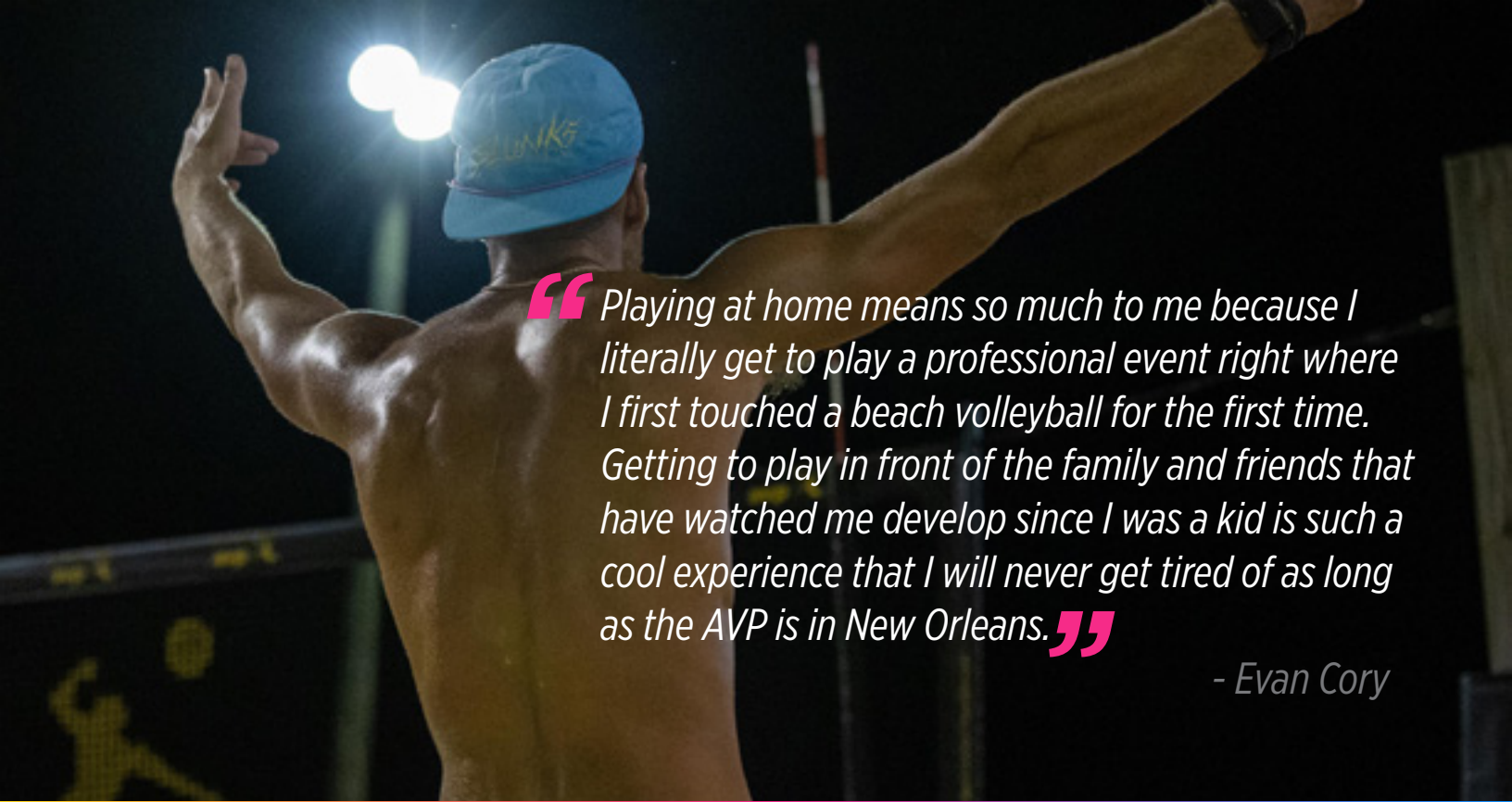
THE 2023 AVP PRO SERIES

THE 2023 SEASON IS HERE!

Founded in 1983, the AVP is the Gold Standard of Beach Volleyball in the U.S., facilitating tournaments nationwide, developing new talent, invigorating communities through sport, and promoting the beach volleyball lifestyle across the country.

For 40 years, we've attracted the best players, hosted entertaining events, and ran the most exciting matches. It's our 40th Birthday—we're going to celebrate as only the AVP can. On our sands, we'll make legends, and we'll make history. We are the AVP. We are beach volleyball.





“Playing at home means so much to me because I literally get to play a professional event right where I first touched a beach volleyball for the first time. Getting to play in front of the family and friends that have watched me develop since I was a kid is such a cool experience that I will never get tired of as long as the AVP is in New Orleans.”

- Evan Cory

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“Laissez les bon temps rouler!”

AVP NOLA
Athlete Bracket

New Orleans is renowned for its extravagant Mardi Gras celebration, jazz, and 18th-century architecture. The AVP is the perfect way to keep the party going with a twist... Watch the AVP's best make the trip to showcase their talent in hopes of coming away with the esteemed NOLA Pro Series Championship.

Coconut Beach: 100 Coconut Beach Ct, Kenner, LA 70065





THE **EVENT** **SCHEDULE**

FRIDAY APRIL 14, 2023

Main Draw: Day 1 (*Elimination Rounds*) 12PM - 10PM (Central US)

Friday is when all the magic begins, a perfect bracket waiting to be upset. We've got top dogs facing underdogs, the evenly-matched 8 vs. 9 seed battle, and everything in between. We stay in the Winner's Bracket all day Friday, sending the losers to Saturday, where they'll fight to keep their tourney alive. Friday sets the weekend's stage, from unpredictable Cinderella stories to total domination from the usual suspects.

SATURDAY APRIL 15, 2023

Main Draw: Day 2 (*Elimination & Quarterfinals*) 12PM - 10PM (Central US)

Whether you call it Elimination Saturday or Survival Saturday, the second day of an AVP weekend is win or go home. Teams fight tooth and nail to advance, laying everything out on the court. Winners advance; losers go home. That is until the afternoon when Stadium Court sees the best of the weekend face off for a spot in the Semifinals. Every court on Saturday boasts incredible volleyball, from the heart and hustle on the outer courts to the spectacle on Stadium.

SUNDAY APRIL 16, 2023

Main Draw: Day 3 (*Finals*) 10AM - 5PM (Central US)

Championship Sunday—what every AVP athlete dreams of. We start the day with a battle for the Semifinals between the scrappy team who fought through the Contenders Bracket and the team who fell on Saturday afternoon in the final round of the Winner's Bracket. Then the high-stakes Semifinals with the best teams of the weekend, and finally—the last hurdle before hoisting the AVP trophy—the Finals.





WHERE TO **WATCH**



ESPN+ will live stream Stadium Court play on Friday–Sunday. Stream starts at 12pm (Central US) Friday and Saturday, and at 10am on Sunday, and runs all day long!

Replays will be available for all tournament matches following each tournament's Finals broadcast. ESPN+ requires a subscription. Download and set up your account now to catch all the AVP action!

Finals will be replayed on ESPNU, Monday April 17 at 8pm (Eastern US)



Bally Live will stream Courts 1 and 2, across two different channels. Replays will be available for a limited after the event concludes on Sunday.

Bally Live—a FREE watch and earn app—offers 24/7 sports coverage. The AVP has its own dedicated channel with nonstop beach volleyball.

Fans are rewarded with Bally Bucks for signing up, inviting friends, playing trivia, and watching the AVP. Bally Live's engagement platform offers fans a place to redeem Bally Bucks for incredible experiences, unique merchandise, and Gift Cards! Download the app today and share it with fellow AVP fans.



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