

## 2020 Volleyball Guidelines

Due to the COVID 19 the following Guidelines and changes have been put into place moving forward:

### General Guidelines

- All athletes, spectators, and coaches must always wear a facemask (officials aren't required to wear masks when on the stand during officiating). The home team will have a PIC (person in charge) and coaches that will monitor this as well as health screen the spectators.
- Each coach shall bring a list of spectators, 2 per athlete, that will be attending. These spectators will be screened by a representative of the home team. Tell your parents to wait in / at their vehicles outside until they are waived in, AFTER the teams are both checked in. This list/form will be kept on file by the home team, along with the COVID Coach Monitoring form.
- **Clock and bookkeeper shall be provided by the HOME Team.** Each team will still provide one line-judge.
- There are NO concessions allowed this year so please have kids bring their own water bottles marked with their names.

### Warm-ups and Game Play

- Each team should be providing their own volleyballs for warmups. This will reduce the sharing of equipment. A sanitized game ball and back-up ball will be available at the scorer's table for gameplay.
- Time permitting, warm-ups should consist of 5 minutes of ball handling with each team on their own side of the net. 5 minutes of serving and hitting time for the home team (visiting team is off the court) and 5 minutes of serving and hitting time for the visiting team (home team is off the court).
- There will be no gathering at the net for a pregame coin toss. Visiting team will serve first for the first and third game.
- Coaches should review the court lines, serving line and any other rules with the officials. Please remember to social distance when possible.
- Hand sanitizer shall be used by players as they enter the court during substitutions.

- After the match there will not be any hand shaking. Please have the teams line up on the line and to a “good game” wave to their opponents.
- Between each game the equipment, bleachers, chairs, and touch points need to be sanitized. Once the gym is empty the hosting team will have responsibility of completing this task. Once everything has been sanitized, players for the next game will be let into the gym followed by spectators.
- Each team should be paying the official \$20/game. This is an increase from last year to account for increased down time between games for the officials.
- Due to the possibility that some teams will only have five players, we will allow teams to play with five and we will not have a side out when the missing sixth player comes up to serve.

Some reminders....

A league will have rally scoring and net serve is allowed. There is NO Libero. A league plays 3 games to 25 points (yes, game 3 is always to 25).

B league will have side out serve (traditional) serving. They do not have net serve and they do not have a Libero. B league plays three games to 15.

B league servers may serve five feet in front of the serving line. The home team should have this identified.

B league, every player who is in a full uniform must play in two games.

B league also must rotate server after five successful points by one server.