MCMINNVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION CO-ED VOLLEYBALL RULES

RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PARTICIPANTS

- PARTICIPANTS MUST KNOW THE OFFICIAL VOLLEYBALL RULES AND ABIDE BY THEM. A COMPLETE SET OF USVBA RULES IS AVAILABLE AT: https://usavolleyball.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/2023-2025-USAV-Indoor-Rules-Book.pdf
- > PARTICIPANTS MUST ACCEPT REFEREES' DECISIONS WITH SPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT AND WITHOUT DISPUTE. IN CASE OF DOUBT, CLARIFICATION MAY BE REQUESTED THROUGH THE GAME CAPTAIN.
- PARTICIPANTS MUST BEHAVE RESPECTFULLY AND COURTEOUSLY IN THE SPIRIT OF FAIR PLAY, NOT ONLY TOWARD THE REFEREES, BUT ALSO TOWARD OTHER OFFICIALS, THE OPPONENTS, TEAMMATES AND SPECTATORS.
- PARTICIPANTS MUST REFRAIN FROM ACTIONS OR ATTITUDES AIMED AT INFLUENCING THE DECISIONS OF THE REFERES OR COVERING UP FAULTS COMMITTED BY THEIR TEAM.
- > PARTICIPANTS MUST REFRAIN FROM ACTIONS AIMED AT DELAYING THE GAME.
- > THE TEAM CAPTAIN IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE OF THEIR TEAM MEMBERS.

RULE CHANGES & MODIFICATIONS FOR REC LEAGUE

- > RALLY SCORE FOR ALL GAMES. MATCHES ARE BEST 2 OUT OF 3 GAMES TO 25 POINTS (PROGRAM SUPERVISOR MAY DECLARE 3RD GAME IS TO 15 POINTS IF TIME IS AN ISSUE). TEAMS MUST WIN BY AT LEAST 2 POINTS. RECORD SCORE ON SCORESHEET AFTER EACH GAME.
- > ONE SERVICE TOSSING ERROR IS PERMITTED FOR EACH SERVICE.
- > THE NET SERVE IS NOW AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE GAME.
- A MINIMUM OF ONE AND A MAXIMUM OF FOUR MALES ARE ALLOWED ON THE FLOOR AT ANY ONE TIME. A MINIMUM OF ONE AND A MAXIMUM OF FOUR FEMALES ON THE FLOOR AT ANY ONE TIME. SUBSTITUTIONS ARE MALE FOR MALE AND FEMALE FOR FEMALE ONLY.
- > TEAMS MUST HAVE FOUR ROSTERED PLAYERS ON THE COURT WITHIN 10 MINUTES OF SCHEDULED START TIME, OR MATCH WILL BE FORFEITED.
- > YOU MUST ORGANIZE TEAM IN SUCH A MANNER THAT 2 MALES ARE NOT PLAYING NEXT TO EACH OTHER, UNLESS THERE ARE UNEQUAL NUMBERS.
- ➤—ONE FEMALE MUST TOUCH THE BALL IF THERE IS MORE THAN ONE CONTACT OF THE BALL. A BLOCK DOES NOT COUNT AS A TOUCH.
- ➢ IF A DISPUTE ARISES DURING THE MATCH, THE DISPUTE MUST BE RESOLVED BEFORE THE GAME CONTINUES. JUDGEMENT CALLS <u>CANNOT</u> BE QUESTIONED (i.e., BALL IN OR OUT). THREE NON-PARTICIPATING PLAYERS, FAMILIAR WITH THE RULES, WILL DISCUSS THE RULES WITH THE REFEREE ONLY. <u>THE REFEREE WILL RENDER A FINAL DECISION.</u>
- ALL TEAMS MUST SHOW UP AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME TO REF THE GAME THAT THEY ARE SCHEDULED TO REF. IF YOUR TEAM IS UNABLE TO REF, YOU MUST GET A HOLD OF ANOTHER TEAM AND ASK THEM TO SUBSTITUTE FOR YOUR TEAM.
- THIS IS A CO-ED "RECREATIONAL" LEAGUE, PLEASE KEEP YOUR TEAMS UNDER CONTROL AND TRY TO WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE THIS LEAGUE WORK. HAVE FUN!!
- > THE FIRST TEAMS SCHEDULED TO PLAY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ARRIVING EARLY ENOUGH TO SET UP COURTS. THE LAST TEAMS SCHEDULED ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR TEARING DOWN AND STORING COURT EQUIPMENT.