

## Week #7 – September 25, 2023

### Re-Serve Procedures

NFHS Rule 8-1-6: “A re-serve shall be called when the server releases the ball for service, then catches it or it drops to the floor. The first referee shall cancel the serve and direct a second and last attempt at serve. The server is allowed a new five seconds for the re-serve. A tossed ball that contacts a backboard or its supports hanging in a vertical position over the serving area is an illegal serve and not eligible for a re-serve.” If a player tosses the ball in the air with the potential to contact the ball for service and either catches the ball or allows it to drop to the floor, it shall be considered an attempt to serve.

### Screening

A few questions regarding screening have come up this past week. Refer to NFHS Rule 6-5-1 “Players on the serving team shall not take action to prevent receivers from seeing the contact of the serve or the path of the served ball” and NFHS Rule 6-5-2: “Potential screens exist, but are not limited to: a. When a player(s) on the serving team waves arms, jumps, moves sideways, or stands close to the server, and the ball is served over the player(s): b. When a group of two or more players on the serving team stand close together and the ball is served directly over them.” Screening is not a common issue, but it is important to be aware of what can be considered screening. The penalty for screening is a loss of rally/point.

### Legal Coaching Zone

REMINDER: The legal coaching zone has been clearly defined by NFHS Rule 2-1-9 (The coaching zone is the area defined as the libero replacement zone and the area beyond the end line and sideline extended) and NFHS Rule 12-2-5 (The head coach may stand in the coaching zone, defined as the libero replacement zone and the area beyond the end line and sideline extended to coach. During play, the head coach shall be no closer to the court than 6 feet from the sideline). One assistant coach may stand during DEAD BALLS in the legal coaching zone. It is also important for officials to remember where the coaches may stand and work to not encroach in the legal coaching zone, particularly during play.

### Hair Adornments Reminder


Rule Change

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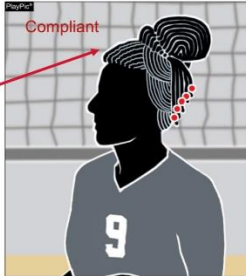
## EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES

### 4-1-6a



Non-compliant



Compliant



- Hair adornments that are **not** securely fastened or **do** increase the risk to the player, teammates or opponents should be addressed by the official with the coach.
- The player shall have the opportunity to make legal or remove.

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### **Update Scores**

Please be respectful of all coaches by updating your scores onto the KSHSAA website. Many coaches use this to monitor records and prepare for upcoming matches. It is each team's responsibility to make sure those scores are current. This is often assigned to an assistant coach who can do this on the way home from the games.

### **NFHS Fall Sports Officials Appreciation Week**

The NFHS has announced that Fall Sports Officials Appreciation Week will take place **October 1-7, 2023**. Participate in falls sports officials' appreciation week can be as simple or as extravagant as state associations and/or schools want it to be. This is a great service project for school student councils, spirit groups, KAY clubs, etc. Some ideas that have worked in the past: Appreciation banners/signage, gift cards/cookies/donuts/other items presented by teams, photo with officiating crew and recognize on school social accounts, read a PSA during the game, "Thank you" cards, etc. Help us show our officials how much we appreciate them!

### **Useful Websites**

KSHSAA Volleyball Website: [Volleyball \(kshsaa.org\)](http://volleyball.kshsaa.org)

KSHSAA Volleyball Manual: [Volleyball.pdf \(kshsaa.org\)](http://volleyball.pdf.kshsaa.org)

NFHS Volleyball Website: [Volleyball \(nfhs.org\)](http://volleyball.nfhs.org)

NFHS Learn: [NFHS Learn | Interscholastic Education, Made Easy](http://nfhs.org/learn)