

I hope that as we near the end of tournament week #2 that each of you have enjoyed this season and are taking the proper precautions necessary to take care of your body as we enter February.

Postseason applications are due on Sunday, February 2. We encourage all officials who met the requirements to apply for postseason assignments. This will be your last reminder as we urge everyone who is eligible to apply.

Only the official scorer should wear a black and white striped garment. I've been to a few games this year where the official scorer is not wearing a black and white striped garment. I've been to other games where the shot clock operator is wearing a black and white striped garment, but the official scorer is not. I've been to games where there are multiple people sitting at the table wearing black and white striped garments. All of the scenarios above can be confusing to an official trying to figure out who to report the foul to. If you are in this situation again, please mention to the AD that only the scorer should be wearing a black and white striped garment.

We've stressed FBF a lot this year. We don't need to go looking for it, but when it happens remember if it is called on the offense, blow the play dead immediately. If it is on the defense, withhold the whistle until the ball is dead or the offending team gets the ball.

Situation: Following the free throws for a technical foul, A1 makes a throw-in from out of bounds at the division line opposite the table. The throw-in pass is deflected at A's free throw line by (a) A2 or (b) B1 and it goes directly through A's basket. Ruling: Score two points for Team A in both (a) and (b). The throw-in ended when the ball was touched by an inbounds player and the live ball subsequently passed through the basket. The fact it was not a try or tap for field goal does not affect the scoring of the two points.