

VOLLEYBALL (20.16)

Volleyball Canada Rules will be used unless special playing rules are put forth by the NBIAA. In this case the NBIAA rules will take precedence over any other rules.

NBIAA Modifications:

1. The Libero Player and the NBIAA 12 Man Substitution Rule* will be used.
2. Unlimited number of players may be recorded on the score sheet and there shall be no limit on the number of players dressed.
3. The Tachikara SV-5WI ball will be used for all NBIAA competitions.

***NBIAA 12 Man Substitution rule:** For NBIAA competitions, each team shall be allowed a maximum of 12 substitutions in any one set.

- a) There is no limit to the number of times a player may leave or re-enter the set as long as the maximum number of 12 substitutions is adhered to and as long as they leave or re-enter for the same player.
- b) Once you have a designated partner, that is the only player that you may leave or re-enter that set for. This may change between sets.
- c) These substitutions may occur at any point in the set as long as the play is stopped.
- d) All other substitution rules must be followed according to Volleyball Canada rules. These rules concern exceptional substitutions, substitutions for expulsion or disqualification, illegal substitutions, injury substitutions for the libero and non libero players and incomplete teams.

Special Provisions:

1. Number of Games Permitted - A senior team shall be limited to **36** matches (including all exhibition, controlled scrimmage, tournament and league play). All matches in the regionals and provincials shall not be counted in the 36 match limit. A junior team shall be limited to **30** matches (including all exhibition, controlled scrimmage, tournament and league play). All games in the regionals and provincials shall not be counted in the 30 match limit.
2. The net height for volleyball shall be as follows:

a) Junior Girls-	2.20 M
b) Senior Girls -	2.24 M
c) Senior Boys -	2.43 M
d) Junior Boys -	2.35 M
3. League play **MUST** take place at the conference or regional level in order to advance to Provincial Playoffs.
4. In *Junior* Regional Tournaments, where numbers permit (7 or more) consist of a round robin format with two divisions to be played on one day. First place in each division play each other for 1st & 2nd seed. Second place of each division will play for third & fourth seed.
The Regional host will be the #1 ranked team in their conference.

<i>Junior</i> Volleyball Regional		
Format with 7 teams (round robin with cross over)		
Saturday	COURT 1	COURT 2
9:00 AM	1 vs 2	3 vs 4
10:15 AM	5 vs 6	1 vs 4
11:30 AM	3 vs 2	7 vs 6
12:45 PM	1 vs 3	2 vs 4
2:00 PM	5 vs 7	
3:15 PM	1 vs 1	2 vs 2

<i>Junior</i> Volleyball Regional		
Format with 8 teams (round robin with cross over)		
Saturday	COURT 1	COURT 2
9:00 AM	1 vs 4	2 vs 3
10:15 AM	5 vs 8	6 vs 7
11:30 AM	1 vs 3	2 vs 4
12:45 PM	5 vs 7	6 vs 8
2:00 PM	1 vs 2	3 vs 4
3:15 PM	5 vs 6	7 vs 8
4:30 PM	1 vs 1	2 vs 2

Please Note: The make-up of Pools.
 These tournaments will be numbered based on the following host conference:

Regional hosted in the North		Regional hosted in the East	
Pool A	Pool B	Pool A	Pool B
1. #1 North	5. #1 East	1. #1 East	5. #1 North
2. #2 East	6. #2 North	2. #2 North	6. #2 East
3. #3 North	7. #3 East	3. #3 East	7. #3 North
4. #4 East	8. #4 North	4. #4 North	8. #4 East

Regional hosted in the South		Regional hosted in the West	
Pool A	Pool B	Pool A	Pool B
1. #1 South	5. #1 West	1. #1 West	5. #1 South
2. #2 West	6. #2 South	2. #2 South	6. #2 West
3. #3 South	7. #3 West	3. #3 West	7. #3 South
4. #4 West	8. #4 South	4. #4 South	8. #4 West

5. In Regional Tournaments where there are less than 7 teams, seeding will be determined after a round robin schedule is played.

Volleyball Regional		
Format with 6 teams (round robin and no cross over)		
In order to prevent teams from playing three or more games back to back, the following format should be used for schools hosting regionals with 6 teams in a facility that has two courts.		
Saturday	COURT 1	COURT 2
9:00 AM	1 vs 2	3 vs 4
10:15 AM	2 vs 5	3 vs 6
11:30 AM	1 vs 5	4 vs 6
12:45 PM	1 vs 3	2 vs 4
2:00 PM	2 vs 6	3 vs 5
3:15 PM	1 vs 4	2 vs 3
4:30 PM	4 vs 5	1 vs 6
5:45 PM	5 vs 6	

6. Junior Volleyball Provincial Championships will be held on the first Friday and Saturday of May. All Junior Provincial Volleyball Tournaments will consist of **8** teams.

Pools are determined based on regional standings. Semi-Final play begins at 1:00 P.M. Championship match begins at approximately 3:00 P.M.

<i>Junior</i> Volleyball Provincials		
Format with 8 teams over two days		
Friday & Saturday	COURT 1	COURT 2
4:00 PM	1 vs 4	2 vs 3
5:15 PM	5 vs 8	6 vs 7
6:30 PM	1 vs 3	2 vs 4
7:45 PM	5 vs 7	6 vs 8
<u>10:00 AM</u>	1 vs 2	5 vs 6
<u>11:15 AM</u>	3 vs 4	7 vs 8
1:00 PM	1A vs 2B	1B vs 2A
3:00 PM	Championship Game	

7. Senior Volleyball Provincial Championship will be held on the third week of May.

8. Pools for volleyball shall be:

Regional – Eight (8) teams:

North East – Pool A: 1 & 3N, 2 & 4E

Pool B: 2 & 4N, 1 & 3E

South West – Pool A: 1 & 3S, 2 & 4W

Pool B: 2 & 4S, 1 & 3W

Provincial –Eight (8) teams:

Pool A: 1 & 3NE, 2 & 4SW

Pool B: 2 & 4NE, 1 & 3SW

All Matches are Best of Three for Junior & Senior Regionals & Junior Provincials and Best of Five for Senior Provincial Showcase.

Please Note: The make-up of Pools.

These teams in the pools will be numbered as below:

Provincials involving 8 teams:	
Pool A	Pool B
1. #1 North East	5. #1 South West
2. #2 South West	6. #2 North East
3. #3 North East	7. #3 South West
4. #4 South West	8. #4 North East

9. Any changes to the tournament formats must be approved by the Executive Director.
10. All Regionals and Provincial Championships must charge admission fees, please refer to O.R. 6.3.
11. Teams must have a minimum of six (6) players to compete in competition, but the NBIAA strongly recommends competing with eight (8) or more players.
12. Suspensions / Ejections - All names of players and coaches suspended or ejected must be reported to the school principal. Players and coaches ejected from a match shall be suspended from the remainder of the match and the next scheduled match (exhibition, conference, regional or provincial). If the ejection takes place during a semi-final regional or provincial event, the player(s) or coach(es) is suspended from the final of that event.
13. Financial: The host school will divide net profits as follows: 10% to the NBIAA, 30% to the host school and 60% to the participating schools. The Financial Rebates must be sent to the NBIAA office within two weeks of the Regionals and Provincials.