

ZOOTOWN VOLLEYBALL

Spring Foolin' U12s

Saturday, May 1, 2021

Frenchtown High School & Middle School

17620 Frenchtown Frontage Rd.

- **Building opens at 8:00.** Enter high school doors - left of flag poles. **First match starts at 8:30.**
Coach – check in at Barb’s table in Commons for info and sign roster.
- **Bring** whistles, balls (volley-lites) for warmups/game, water bottles (drinking fountains not available but bottle refill station is - next to bathrooms in Commons), and great sportsmanship!
- **Masks** on when not playing. Please exit gym when team is not playing (spectators, too).
- **Court Protocol** - No coin toss. 1st team listed (see score sheet) has first serve. 2nd chooses bench. Coin toss for serve in 3rd set only. Start match – “good luck” from 10’ line. End match “thanks” from 10’ line. No change of courts/sides in any matches.
- **Written line-up** – when it’s serve receive – “back it up” in writing (not verbal to scorekeepers). Line-up sheets & score sheets provided. No Libero tracking.
- **Warmups** - 4-4 (no combined serving) first match. After that 2-2. No ball handling when off. 1st serve has 1st warmup. Be ready to start warmup when previous match ends.
- **Pool play** - Two sets, starting at 5-5, first to 25 pts. One 30 second timeout per set.
- **Bracket play** – After last pool match – bracket printed for coaches at Barb’s table.
Two match guarantee. 2 of 3 sets, 25-25-15, win by 2, cap of 27/17. One timeout each set.
- **Players** – one team only unless injury. Transfer final for remainder of the day.
- **Jewelry** allowed if not a concern for safety - small studs, short necklace, friendship bracelets OK.
- **Officiating** – No cell phones, iPods, etc. while officiating. In MS gym, we encourage the girls to Up ref and Coach is Down ref. HS gym – Coach is Up ref (because of ref stand location).
- **12s rules** – Volley-lites, 7’ net, and 24’ service line for 5 serves in a row – then move back to 30’ (each time up to serve). **Coach keeps track and informs referee on 5th serve.**
- **Drop serve** – allowed one on each serve – must drop. 5 seconds to serve. No foot faults allowed.
- **Play up to other court sideline.** Player or ball crosses that line, it is out.
- **Net violation** – Contact with net, between antennae, **while playing the ball** IS A FAULT.
- **Center line** – May cross (any body part in contact with line). Violation if **interference or dangerous.**
- **Libero** – Two allowed (Libero, Reserve Libero). Only one on the court at a time. Each Libero may serve but only from one position in the service order.
- **Fair Play** – Participants behave respectfully and courteously towards referees...opponents. Yelling during the serve or during play may be deemed unsportsmanlike. Warn...then penalize.
- **Food** – **No food in the gym.** Tables in Commons will be assigned to teams. Please clean up your team area at the end of the day. Parents - coffee in gym – travel mugs PLEASE.
- **Admission fee** for all spectators **\$5.00.** **No \$50 or \$100 bills before 11 AM!**
Four (4) spectator limit per player. Masks on, please.
- **PLEASE** - Do not bounce/hit volleyballs in halls. - No pets in building.
- Clean up bench, team area/table, bleachers. - HAVE FUN!
- **REMEMBER: ROOTS (Respect for Rules, Opponents, Officials, Teammates, Self)**