

PLAYING REGULATION – GHAC VOLLEYBALL (Boys and Girls)

- 1. AGES:** All competitors must meet the current OFSAA age requirements as per the OFSAA Age Classification Policy.
- 2. EVENTS:** There will be a competition for a GHAC Senior Champion in all Classifications in which both the HSSAA and the HWCAA are fielding teams. Each competition will consist of best 3 out of 5 sets. Sets 1 through 4 will be Rally Point up to 25 and the 5th set, if needed will be up to 15. In all sets there is no cap and you must win by at least 2 points.
- 3. Eligibility:** All competitors must meet the eligibility requirements as per the Article XI, Section I of the GHAC Constitution.
- 4. Entries:** As per the GHAC competitive structure, Appendix II of the GHAC Constitution.
- 5. Rule Book:** The rules and regulations of volleyball Canada will be followed unless otherwise specified below:
 - 1) a team may dress a maximum of 18 players for a match.
 - 2) Substitution Rule - For OFSAA competition teams are allowed a maximum of 12 substitutions in any one set. There is no limit to the number of times a player may leave or re-enter a set as long as the maximum number of substitutions is adhered to and they leave or re-enter for the same player. Once a player has a designated substitution partner in a set, that is the only player that they may leave or re-enter that set for. For example, player A for player B - player C may not enter into this rotation.
 - 3) Libero Player: The player that is designated as the libero for any set may be team captain or game captain.
 - 4) Game Procedures: When the first referee signals for the teams to change court at the end of a set, the teams may go directly to their bench and then proceed to the team bench on the other side of the court

6. Officials: Rated referees and linespersons will be assigned by the host convenor.

7. Uniforms: Uniforms shall have any one or two digit, legal-size, number on the front and back of the uniform. The numbers on the back must appear in the centre; the numbers on the front must appear in the centre or on the right or left side of the uniform.

8. Starting Time: To be determined in conjunction with the schools competing by the host convenor.

9. Awards: A GHAC Plaque will be awarded to the Champion of GHAC in each GHAC Championship game

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11. General Regulations:

A) Any player or coach ejected from a GHAC Championship game will be automatically prohibited from dressing for and participating in the next scheduled game