



Week 4 Recap
Week 5 Focus

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What's Happening?

Things statewide were pretty quiet in Week #4 which is always a welcome site. We are receiving several unsportsmanlike and disqualifications in subvarsity contests, so please be professional in these games and stay on top of player and coaching behavior. As we approach the mid point of the regular season, many programs in certain areas of the state are very frustrated with the new transfer rule so as mentioned earlier in the year, understand these frustrations that might be underlying, but officiate the game just as you always would. Just be aware that tensions might be a bit higher on certain nights. 3 WV Counties had 47 players transfer to different schools for football just a

FYI

Needs:

As only 4 visors that aren't 100% clear have been approved for wear by the SSAC office, remember, eye shields must be totally clear. The smoke eyeshields are illegal and are not allowed to be worn. Removal must occur before participation is allowed. It does not matter if when you look through, you can see the player's eyes. The rule states that the eyeshield must be clear without the presence of any tint.

Remember when submitting reports, unsportsmanlike fouls are Non Contact fouls. Personal fouls involve contact, so shoving someone to the ground is not an unsportsmanlike foul.



Week 5 POE

Entering Special Reports Correctly

Necklaces/Bracelets

Rules Study/Getting In The Books



Play Of The Week:

2nd & 10 at B's 30 yard line. 20 seconds left in the game with Team A trailing by 4 points. After a run up the middle on 2nd down for no gain, Team A is hurrying to the line to spike the football prior to the clock expiring. A30 who was in on the 2nd down play is trying to get back on his team's side of the ball prior to A12 snapping the ball for the spike. However, after the umpire is positioned, and at the snap, A30 is still on the defensive side of the ball. What do you have?

Ruling This is dead ball encroachment foul. Since A30 participated on the previous play. Clock would start on the

Ready For Play.

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As we are approaching the mid point of the regular season and Fall is right around the corner, remember with the weather changing, communicate with your crew on if short sleeve or long sleeve shirts will be worn for all games. All officials must wear the same uniform no matter the level of play. Communicate during the week and maybe start putting in both shirts for your games so you will have both at the gamesite.

Appreciate the professionalism that is taking place in all games, especially with the emphasis on subvarsity games in your local areas. Remember to provide Introductory Cards at All Levels.

Good luck with your games this week!

Have Fun! Safe Travels!