



## Week 4 Recap

## Week 5 Focus

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## What's Happening?

As we approach the halfway point of the regular season, I have still not received many of the Crew Chiefs schedules that should have been requested of you by your local board leadership to submit to me for playoff consideration. Please get those to me ASAP.

Eye black is still a problem statewide, especially at Middle School levels. Middle school games play by the same rules as Varsity, and this is an instructional time for these players so they learn how to do it right. Take this level of game seriously as this level is very important to the participants.

## Needs:

If you hear electronic megaphones/bull horns being used by spectators, get with game administration so they can be removed. These are not allowed at football games.

Remember, if you disqualify a player for an excessive act (personal foul or unsportsmanlike conduct foul), make sure the word "Flagrant" is put in your Special Report. This is very important from an Administrative process.

Language is still a focus if it is Excessive or directed at the opponent. Penalize for unsportsmanlike conduct only. Do not disqualify unless it is the players 2<sup>nd</sup>

UNS Foul



## Week 5 POE

**Celebration Dances By  
Players (Needs Flagged)**

**Eye Black (ALL Levels)**

**Professionalism With Game  
Administration**



### Question:

2<sup>nd</sup> & 8 for Team A at A's 45 yard line. A1 catches a pass and runs to Team B's 9 yard line where he is downed. After the catch, A1 does a dance and is flagged for UNS conduct prior to the RFP. What is the down and distance after enforcement?

### Ruling:

Since the foul occurred prior to the ready for play signal, the 15 yard penalty will be enforced making it 1<sup>st</sup> and 10 from the 24 yard line. If the UNS foul would have occurred after the ready for play, it would have 1<sup>st</sup> and goal from the 24 yard line.

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As we have had a lot of lopsided games statewide at the Varsity level, we must stay focused on every play. Every play is being watched by somebody, so stay focused both mentally and physically. Many times the one sided games are the most difficult to officiate.

Make sure to communicate on the field with crewmates on FG attempts that if the kick gets blocked, the ball will remain live. Good to put this in your head prior to the snap

**Good luck this week!**

**Have Fun! Safe Travels!**