

# CHAMPLAIN VALLEY ATHLETIC CONFERENCE

## VOLLEYBALL BY-LAWS

(Approved 3/6/2018)

### I. SPORT

Volleyball

### II. PREFACE

The Volleyball league shall operate within the constitution of the CVAC.

### III. RULE BOOK

The NCAA Volleyball rulebook will be used.

### IV. TIME OF CONTEST

**A.** Modified matches will be scheduled on different days from V/JV matches when possible

**B.** JV teams should be prepared to start at the designate time of 4:30 PM. A ten minute warm up on each team's side of the court will occur prior to the 6-6 full court warm up.

**C.** At the conclusion of the JV match the Varsity teams will have ten minutes of shared court time before beginning the 6 -6 warm ups.

### V. OFFICIAL EQUIPMENT

Official game balls must be a specified on the "official ball" listing provided by the Council of Athletic Directors. See General By-Laws (**page 12.2**)

### VI. UNIFORM

NCCA rules will be followed INCLUDING ANY WAIVERS APPROVED BY NYSPHSAA.

### VII. ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION

**A.** Those students who have met NYSPHSAA standards and those who have met the Athletic Placement Process are eligible. Junior Varsity players are permitted to move between JV and Varsity teams throughout the season.

## **VIII. HOME TEAM RESPONSIBILITIES**

Home team shall be responsible for furnishing:

1. Chairs or benches for each team's use.
2. Score Keeper and Libero Tracker
3. Some form of visible scoreboard for team and spectator use.
4. Each school is responsible for their own security. However, visiting coaches are responsible for their own team and use of opponents' facilities.
5. Locker room facilities for visiting team.

## **IX. POSTPONEMENTS AND CANCELLATIONS**

- A.** Home schools are responsible for notifying the visiting school as early as possible before game time if a postponement is necessary.
- B.** Home schools are responsible for notifying the assignor and game officials of postponements and games.

## **X. OFFICIALS**

- A.** Officials will be assigned according to arrangements currently contracted under Section Seven.

## **XI. TIE BREAKERS**

See General By-Laws **(page 12.5)**.

## **XII. DIVISIONS**

- A.** Teams will be divided into Divisions as specified by the CVAC Council of Athletic Directors. VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE HAS 9 SCHOOLS REPRESENTED, THEREFORE NO DIVISIONS ARE IN PLACE.

## **XIII. PLAYOFFS**

See General By -Laws- **(page 12.5)**.

## **XIV. LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS**

See General By-Laws **(page 12.3)**.

## **XV. AWARDS**

Distribution- See General By-Laws **(page 12.6)**.

## **XVI. ADDITIONAL**

- A.** A varsity match will consist of the best 3 out of 5 games. A JV match

will consist of the best 2 out of 3 games. At the JV level 3 games will be played

**B.** Home team will submit scores/stats to the press. If coaches agree, each team can submit own team's scores/stats.

**XVII. MEETING OF COACHES**

**A.** A pre-season and post-season meeting will be held annually in the fall in order to review the schedule, by-laws and discuss new rules changes. Along with any related issues for the upcoming season.

**XVIII. METHOD OF SELECTING CVAC ALL STAR TEAMS**

**A.** See General By- laws (**page 12.7**).

**B.** Currently volleyball selects and MVP and a 1st and 2nd team with 8 players per team. Each coach may submit up to 4 nominations from their TEA. Every school will also have an honorable mention from those 4 nominations unless all four nominations are placed on a team.

**XIX. METHOD OF REVISING BY-LAWS**

See General By- Laws (**page 12.8**).