



LUNCH TIME SPORTS

6 a side mixed volleyball

Team Size

1. Each team shall name a side not exceeding 8 players (6 on court & 2 subs)
2. The minimum number of players that can be fielded without incurring a forfeit is 4.
3. All teams must be mixed. At least one minority gender player must remain on the court for the entire game. If the team is not mixed a penalty score equivalent to a forfeit score will be awarded against them.
4. Where a minority gender player has to leave the court (eg due to injury) only a player of the same gender may replace that player.
5. No bonus points are awarded for additional minority gender players

Game Duration

6. Each game is 20 minutes duration (running time) with no half time
7. Play commences at the scheduled time
8. A forfeit may be claimed if the opposing team has failed to turn up not less than 5 minutes after the scheduled start time

Rules

9. Touching the net is totally illegal whether or not the ball is being played. Loss of point or loss of serve.
10. Placing one's foot on the opposing team's side of the centreline is illegal and DANGEROUS. Loss of serve or point away.
11. Use of the open palm to play the ball up from the shoulder height is a carry. Loss of point or loss of serve.
12. A maximum of three consecutive hits by a team is allowed before the ball crosses the net. A block is not considered a hit in this respect, so a team may play the ball more than three times.
13. On the line is in. The line is considered part of the court.
14. If any rule is breached by both teams simultaneously or a ruling is unclear between the two captains a re-serve is an equitable and socially acceptable thing to do.
15. Team captains must sign the scoresheet at the conclusion of each game.

Forfeit Score

16. Forfeit score is fifteen (15) to nil (0)
17. The first place will be decided by the team with the most win points. In the event of three or more teams having equal number of points at the end of the competition, final positions will be decided by percentages and the top two teams will play the grand final.

All teams please note: This competition is SOCIAL!! Any foul play, abusive language or intimidation will not be tolerated. The referee has the power to dismiss offending players or teams. In such circumstances no refund will be afforded to offending teams.