



# OHIO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

## THIS WEEK IN VOLLEYBALL | ISSUE 4

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**TO:** OHSAA Volleyball Head Coaches and Athletic Directors

**FR:** Michael Cornathan, Sport Administrator – Volleyball

**RE:** *This Week in Volleyball – Issue 4*

## VOLLEYBALL STATE RULES MEETING & TOURNAMENT ENTRY

### DATES & DEADLINES

If you have not completed the start rules meeting on **MyOHSAA**, you have obtained a late fee of \$50. The last date to watch that meeting without a fine was August 17<sup>th</sup> @ 11:59pm. **The final deadline is Monday, September 28 at 11:59 PM.** Beginning on Tuesday, September 29 at 12:00 AM, the Volleyball Rules Meeting is no longer available and the penalty shall apply.

The penalty for not viewing the Volleyball Rules Meeting by September 28 at 11:59 PM is **REMOVAL FROM THE POSTSEASON TOURNAMENT.**

The last day to enter/withdraw from the tournament **without an additional penalty** is September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 11:59pm.

Please communicate with your athletic directors to ensure you are properly entered into the tournament in **MyOHSAA**.

Per *General Sport Regulation 2*, all Head Volleyball Coaches are required to complete the State Rules Meeting. **The Volleyball Online Rules Meeting is now LIVE on MyOHSAA**—please see the Rules Meeting deadlines below. All rules interpretation meetings for coaches will be conducted online through your **MyOHSAA** account.

### HOW TO COMPLETE STATE RULES MEETING ONLINE

All coaches will access the State Rules Meeting through their **MyOHSAA** account\*. Once you have logged in (full directions below) and have accessed the Rules Meeting, please follow the prompts to complete the meeting to receive meeting credit. *Please see all dates and deadlines below.*

*\*Coaches should contact their Athletic Director if they do not have an account.*

### TO ACCESS ONLINE RULES MEETINGS

1. Login to your **MyOHSAA** account
2. On the dashboard, you will see any items that you may need to attend to.
3. Click on the “Rules Meeting” icon in the top right corner
4. Click on the “Find a State Meeting” on the left-hand side and choose the sport of “volleyball”
5. Once the meeting is completed, you will receive credit. You will know when the credit is earned when you are at the “timestamp” screen

**\*Note – you may leave the meeting and come back in at the same spot you left off. \***

## NFHS VOLLEYBALL UNIFORM REGULATION REMINDERS

There are two NFHS rule changes that will go into effect regarding uniforms in the near future. Please ensure that your uniforms meet the guidelines to avoid any uniform concerns.

**Rule 4-2-4b – Beginning of the 2028-29 school year, uniform numbers with a leading zero will be illegal (01, 02, 03, etc.)**

**Rule 4-3-4d, f – Beginning of the 2029-30 school year, the prescriptive measurements for number placement on the front of the uniform top will be eliminated.**

With any questions on these rulings or want to double check for clarity, please reach out to myself ([mcornathan@ohsaa.org](mailto:mcornathan@ohsaa.org)) and/or Jim Hammar ([jhammar@ohsaa.org](mailto:jhammar@ohsaa.org))

## **OHSAA VOLLEYBALL MAXPREPS/RPI SEEDING – SOUTHEAST DISTRICT ONLY**

The ability to input scores on MaxPreps **has begun!** Please ensure all information is up to date because that data will freeze on Friday October 9<sup>th</sup> at 11:59pm. With any questions regarding RPI, please reach out to Mark Rose ([rosem@claylocalschools.org](mailto:rosem@claylocalschools.org)) and Tony Williams ([twilliams@amanda.k12.oh.us](mailto:twilliams@amanda.k12.oh.us))

### **Important Date Reminder:**

**The last day to enter/withdraw from the tournament without a penalty is Monday September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 11:59pm.**

Please communicate with your athletic directors to ensure you are properly entered into the tournament in MyOHSAA.

**The tournament draw will happen Sunday October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Please reach out to your District Athletic Boards with any questions.**

Good luck to all teams as we start the closure of the regular season!

Thank you!



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