

# CITY OF FLORISSANT

## VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE RULES

**AGE:** Players must be 18 years of age or older.

**WEBSITE:** Schedules and standings will be posted on the website. [www.florissantmo.com](http://www.florissantmo.com). Go to Departments, Parks & Recreation, then click on leagues & field permits. For league cancellation info call our hotline at (314) 266-7335 or download the app Rainout Line and search City of Florissant.

**ROSTER:** A full roster must be turned in before the start of the first game. The maximum roster size is 10. The deadline for any roster change is prior to the start of the third league game.

**NON-ROSTER PLAYERS:** Are illegal and cause for removal from the game.

### SCORING:

- Teams will play three games per match.
- All three games will be played using rally scoring.
- All three games will be played to 21 points. (Third game to 15 in playoffs)
- All games must be won by two points. 23 point scoring cap. (17 point cap in playoffs)

**RALLY SCORING:** The team winning a rally scores a point (Rally Point System). When the receiving team wins a rally, it gains a point and the right to serve, and its players rotate one position clockwise. A point is scored on every possession with no side-out.

**TIES:** In the event of a tie occurring at the end of the season, the following criteria will be used to break the tied teams:

- A. Most matches won
- B. Most games won
- C. Wins in head to head competition
- D. Point differential in head to head competition
- E. Toss of coin

**TIME OUTS:** Each team is allowed a maximum of two time-outs per game. A time-out is a maximum of 60 seconds, although play may resume sooner if both teams are ready prior to 60 seconds. Extra time-outs are not granted during rally scoring, nor are time-out accumulative during a match.

**LET SERVE -** The "let serve" is a ball that when served, hits the net without touching the net antenna and continues across the net into the opponent's court. The let serve is a playable live ball. The let serve is a strategy used to keep the game moving with fewer interruptions in play.

**COED RULES:** There must be at least 4 players present for a team to begin play. A team may start with 2 male & 2 female but no more than one male than female will be allowed to play.

**SUBSTITUTION:** A player must enter as a substitute at the server position only.

**FORFEITS:** Any team not having enough players to begin has a five minute grace period and then the referee will make the first game official. After a ten minute grace period then the referee will make the entire match official. Please call the Eagan Center ahead of time at 921-4466 if your team will have to forfeit.

**TIME LIMIT:** There is a 60 minute time limit for each match (50 mins for leagues with 10 teams). The team that is in the lead when the time limit has been reached must have a minimum of 15 points to be deemed the winner.

**SPORTSMANSHIP:** Team members shall exhibit appropriate behavior toward officials, other players and spectators.

Unsportsmanlike conduct from team members and/or associates, including spectators, may result in ejection from any game or the remainder of the league.

**B.Y.O.B. –** Teams are allowed to bring coolers of adult drinks into the gym for pregame, post game, or in game refreshments. **Please make sure to clean up after your team in order to keep this privilege.**