



Texas Southmost Volleyball Officials' Association

TSVOA

A TASO Gold Star Chapter



Pre-Match Responsibilities

- ✓ Arrive to court in uniform *30 minutes prior* to scheduled match time.
- ✓ Check equipment: padding, net height and tension, ball pressure and referee platform.
- ✓ Check players' uniforms, braces, hair devices, and jewelry.
- ✓ Meet with Line Judges, Scorer, and Libero Tracker to explain duties.
- ✓ Conduct pre-match conference and coin toss prior to timed warm-ups.

Pre-Match Conference

- ✓ R1 and R2 stand on sideline near score table. (R2 on left side of R1)
- ✓ R1 summons Captain(s) and Head Coach: **Referee sounds a double whistle and raise a coin in the air.**
- ✓ Introduction of captains to each other and officials introduce themselves.
- ✓ Review/discuss new rules and regulations.
- ✓ Review rules regarding equipment and uniforms, including hair devices, braces, jewelry, etc.
- ✓ Remind that floor captain is the only one who may address officials.
- ✓ Stress the use of sportsmanlike conduct.
- ✓ Ask if there are any Questions.
- ✓ Coin toss – Home team establishes their bench area.
Visiting team calls toss. Winner chooses Serve or Receive.
- ✓ Wish each team good luck.
- ✓ Report results of coin toss to scorer.