

Section One Boys Volleyball Booklet 2021



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IMPORTANT DATES

Pre-Season Coaches Meeting TBD

First Practice permitted August 23rd, 2021

First Scrimmage/Game permitted after 6 days

Scoreboard reporting completed by October 29th, 2021 at 12:00pm

Last day to play October 30th, 2021

Seeding Meeting October 30th, 2021

Coaches Awards Meeting TBD

Maximum # of Games 20

Rules NCAA

Official Ball

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SECTION ONE TOURNAMENT

Division 1/Conference 1 Tournament

Round	Date	Site	Time
Semi Finals	Wednesday, November 3rd		
Finals	Friday, November 5th	Suffern HS	7:00 pm

Division 2/Conference 2 Tournament

Round	Date	Site	Time
Finals	n/a	n/a	n/a

REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

D1 Regional

Round	Date	Site	Time
Finals	Friday, November 12th	Clarkstown South	7:00 pm

D2 Regional

Round	Date	Site	Time
Finals	Friday, November 12th	Clarkstown South	5:00 pm

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BOYS VOLLEYBALL RULES - NCAA

Please see the NYSPHSAA sports specific webpage for all applicable [Rules Changes](#)

ENTERING THE SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

In order to be eligible for postseason play - all varsity and junior varsity teams must have rated their officials through the Sportspak website.

1. The following actions are the responsibility of the school/coach and need to be taken prior to the Seeding meeting. A link and reminders to complete these forms will go out through BOCES to your AD's:
 - a. Officials Ratings (submitted via Sportspak)
 - b. Non-Preferred Officials (submitted via Google Survey)
2. Schools must keep their schedule and game scores up-to-date on the Section One Score Board platform (www.section1athletics.org). For questions or concerns, please have your Athletic office contact Wanda Maffia in the Section One office at (914) 592-2526.
3. Please check with your Athletic Director if you are not familiar with the official Score Board platform as this will be considered the official records used for seeding.
4. Both schools must enter match results, as this helps ensure the accuracy of the results.
5. The "Section Result" sheet will be pulled by the Section One office on or around the last day to play and be considered the official record for the school. It is extremely important that the schedule and scores included on your "Section Result" page is accurate throughout the season because you will be attesting to it's accuracy for the purpose of seeding. This process has replaced the Game Result Sheet that was used in the past.

NOTE: All games to date must be entered in [Score Board](#) no later than Friday, October 29th. Schools are required to provide the sports chair(s) with the scores and results from games held after the submission of Score Board results.

NOTE: Tournament games do not count toward your "Section Result" records. Please do not include them in your Score Board reporting.

ELIGIBILITY

NYSPHSAA Handbook

#26 Representation Rule

Minimum Number of Contests To be eligible for sectional, intersectional or state competition, a team must have completed in **six (6)** school scheduled contests which occurred on **six (6)** different dates during the season.

Team Sports: An individual is eligible for the team if he/she has been an eligible participant on a team in that sport in that school for a minimum of **six (6)** scheduled contests during the regular season.

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TOURNAMENT RULES AND PROCEDURES

1. Official Female College USVB 2020-2021 rules (except for net height) will be strictly adhered to, as well as the NY State committee's modifications.
2. Each team must provide a scorer, Libero Tracker and linesperson for the semi-finals.
3. **PROTESTS:**
For all of sectional matches, protests must be lodged according to USVB rules. If the match officials deem that the controversy is protestable, a formal protest must be lodged (play will continue after the lodging of the protest); then the protest is called/delivered/faxed to the Section One Chair by 8 pm on the day of the protest. After reading the protest, the Section One Chair will confer with the Volleyball Official's Chair. The Section One Chair's decision will be final. If the protest is upheld, the match will be replayed on the next day, from the point of protest.

During **Finals play**, a Protest Committee will be established and all decisions of this Committee will be final. This Committee will be composed of the **1 coach not involved, League Chair** and the **3 officials** at the site.
4. All Sectional play is 3 out of 5, 25-point rally games. The use of flash cameras during play is prohibited. Flash pictures may be taken during warm-ups only. Please inform all spectators/media of this to avoid delay during the match. An announcement should be made after the introduction of the players.

SITES

1. Whenever possible, all matches up to and including the Semi-Finals will be played at the site of the higher seeded team. In the event that your site form is not completed and mailed, or the Volleyball Committee believes that you have illegal or unsafe court(s), the match will be played at a neutral site with the approval of the Sports Committee (as per Section One policy).
2. All sites should be available one hour before the scheduled start.
3. The coach whose gym is being used will be responsible for reserving the gym and having it ready for warm-ups one hour before play is scheduled.

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HOST SCHOOL INFORMATION - Championship Game

As the host school for the 2021 Volleyball Sectional Championship, there are several responsibilities we are asking you to fulfill in addition to the usual responsibilities that occur during seasonal play. The following is a list of these responsibilities and we ask that you get as many volunteers as possible. Also, it is assumed that your school will not charge any money for use of the facilities and any custodians that are needed for the event.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED AS A HOST SCHOOL

1. COLLECT MONEY AND SUPPLY TICKET TAKERS - Your Athletic Director should have a hand stamp to use on tickets to sell at the tournament. **For the Finals, \$8.00 will be charged for Adults; \$5.00 for children 12 & under and Senior Citizens (62 and over).** Athletic Directors will collect gate receipts and return to Section One.
2. HOSTS FOR TEAMS AND OFFICIALS - You will need a few people to greet the participating teams as well as officials and show them the locker room facilities and game courts. Protocol for all introductions will include announcing all players and coaches and playing the National Anthem.
3. Locker Room and lavatory access must be provided for participating teams.
4. EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS - Please have the phone number of your local ambulance and police available in case of emergencies.
5. AN ACCURATE BALL PUMP is required for all events and teams.

PRE-GAME INFORMATION

1. Host/participating schools will be provided with NYSPHSAA ball adoption balls from the Section One office. Upon conclusion of the contest, the balls are to be kept by the participating schools.
2. Each team will provide an experienced scorer, Libero tracker, and line judge for the semi-finals. Line Judges will be provided by the section for the finals. During the semi-finals the higher seed will provide these officials.
3. Each team will supply its own first aid equipment.
4. A Digital team photo must be sent prior to the Sectional Finals or your team will not be in the State booklet.

POST-GAME PROCEDURES

1. The **winning coach** of semi-final matches is responsible for calling in the game results by 8:00 p.m. on the day of the match to the Sports Chair.
2. **Publicity** - All coaches will be responsible for calling their own papers and radio stations with results and facts about their match.

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ALL LEAGUE AWARDS

This individual all league award is to be chosen by the coaches. Each school within the league has the ability to nominate athletes to this award. If a coach/rep is not present at the all-league selection meeting, appropriate all league selections will be reserved for that school. The number of all-league awards is obtained with the following formula:

<i>baseline</i>	In leagues of 4 or smaller:	$(\text{Double the number of starters} \times 1.25) \div 1.5$
	Leagues of 5:	$(\text{Double the number of starters})$
	In leagues of 6:	$(\text{Double the number of starters} \times 1.75) \div 1.5$
	In leagues of 7:	$(\text{Double the number of starters} \times 2) \div 1.5$
	In leagues of 8:	$(\text{Double the number of starters} \times 2.25) \div 1.5$
	In leagues of 9:	$(\text{Double the number of starters} \times 2.5) \div 1.5$
	In leagues of 10:	$(\text{Double the number of starters} \times 2.75) \div 1.5$

All League will be awarded as follows:

In leagues of 6:	$(\text{Double the number of starters} \times 1.75) \div 1.5$
	$6 \text{ starters} \times 2 = 12$
	$12 \times 1.75 = 21$
	$21 / 1.5 = 14$

Therefore:

All League - 14 Awards Allotted

1st place - 5	4th place - 2
2nd place - 3	5th place - 1
3rd place - 2	6th place - 1

ALL SECTION AWARDS

This individual award is chosen by the coaches within the Section. The Section provides the total number of All Section awards allotted to the sport but it is up to the Coaches Association to decide the criteria for those athletes to be chosen. An athlete must be chosen as an All League award winner to be chosen as All Section. Each school within the league has the ability to nominate athletes to this award. If a coach/rep is not present at the All Section selection meeting, appropriate selections will be reserved for the deserving recipients. The number of All Section awards is obtained using the following formula:

All Section will be awarded as follows: Sports with specialists

# of starters plus the # of specialists = ____	6 starters + 1 specialist = 7
____ times 2 = ____	$7 \times 2 = 14$
____ times # of leagues = ____	$14 \times 1 = 14$
____ divided by 4 = ____	$14 / 4 = 3.5$
____ plus 2 extra "wild cards" = ____	$3.5 + 2 \text{ "Wild Cards"} = \mathbf{6 \text{ All Section Awards}}$

Therefore:

All Section - 6 Total

1st place - 3
2nd place - 2
3rd place - 1

or

1st place - 2
2nd place - 2
3rd place - 1
4th place - 1

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1st place - 2
2nd place - 1
3rd place - 1
4th place - 1

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DIVISION 1 SCHOOLS:

Clarkstown South (Conf 1)
Scarsdale (Conf 1)
East Ramapo (Conf 1)
Suffern (Conf 1)
Clarkstown North (Conf 1)
North Rockland (Conf 1)

DIVISION 2 SCHOOLS:

Eastchester (Conf 2)