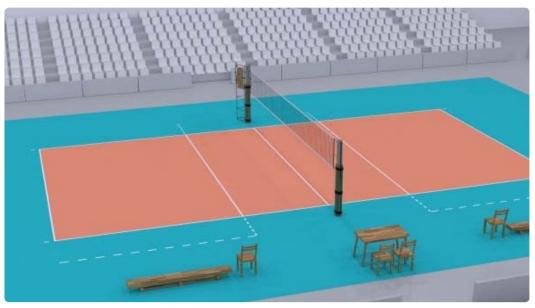


# **ACV Newsletter - July 2020**





#### **TASO Volleyball Annual Meeting**

Because the 2020 Volleyball Annual Meeting was cancelled due to the meeting restrictions and social distancing requirements, the meeting content will be delivered through your TASO Volleyball Member's Portal. The modules will be available for viewing the week of July 13. More information will be sent to all members at that time. If you have any questions please email our District Director Roni Downey.

## **ALR Meetings**

The ALR Meetings are the only **mandatory** meetings for returning members. Please be sure to attend on one of the following dates:

1. ALR #1 July 8th 2. ALR #2 July 22nd

If you have any questions please contact your ALR: Representative I (A-G) - <u>Patrick Kinast</u> Representative II (H-N) - <u>Tyler Latham</u> Representative III (O-Z) - <u>Chez Slayton</u>

Please remember to input your First and Last Name when joining Webex. No nicknames, email address, etc. We do track attendance for mandatory meetings and we want to make sure you get counted. <u>Click here</u> for a tutorial on how to change your name when signing into webex.





## **Assigner Reminders**

ou should have recieved an email from Janiece regarding Rule Book Distribution. If you haven't already done so please email <u>Janiece Nelson</u> to let her know which of these dates you can come pick up your books: 7/7 Tuesday 6pm-7pm @ Wiley MS 7/9 Thursday 6pm-7pm @ New Braunfels HS 7/14 Tuesday 6pm-7pm @ San Juan Diego HS 7/16 Thursday 6p-7p @ Delco Center

Also, your availability should updated in Arbiter, don't for get when your availability is completed online, mark ready on profile page to notify Janiece that you are ready for assignments.

In addition, scrimmages will be available for selfassignment for all returning Austin Chapter officials beginning on July 8th. (Any official new to the Austin Chapter will not be able to self-assign until released from training.) Remember self-assignment is open 30 days prior to the match/scrimmage date. Any returning ACV official who does not self-assign a scrimmage by July 30th will be assigned an open slot. So if you want to stay close to home, then self assign early. <u>New</u> <u>officials, transfers, and trainers will receive their</u> <u>assignments in the next week.</u> Click to update Arbiter



## WEBEX TRAINING SESSIONS

As you know we are doing ALL of our preseason training via Webex this year. Take advantage of these highly informative sessions:

- Mon 7/6 Match Night Procedures (Mandatory for 1st year members)
- Mon 7/13 Most Common Alignments (Recommended for all levels)
- Wed 7/15 TASO Test Prep (Back by popular demand, Recommended for all members)
- Tue 8/4 Line-up Card Training (Mandatory for 1st year members)

if you are an under 4 year official, you are requested to attend as many of our Webex Training modules as possible and highly encouraged to attend the following:

- Mon 7/27 Rules and Signals Overview
- Wed 7/29 R1 Signals, Mechanics & Responsibilities
- Mon 8/3 R2 Signals, Mechanics & Responsibilities

You can find all the Webex Training dates and links on the <u>Webex Page</u> as well as the ACV Calendar. Keeping in mind that things are subject to change. For up to the minute updates you can simply <u>subscribe</u> to the ACV Google Calendar.

Click for Calendar



## Additional Online Training Resources Available

Reminder to take advantage of some additional training resources that are available for free. We believe you will find these helpful. Please check these out. (*The NFHS Courses are only available for free until July 31st*) <u>NFHS Course on Alignment</u>. <u>NFHS Course on Ball Handling</u>



#### **CALLING ON OUR VETERAN OFFICIALS**

This season more than ever before has presented us with an unprecedented challenge due to Covid19 and has altered how we train and develop officials. The season is going to require flexibility and patience but also a great deal of understanding for our newer officials. We are asking our returning members to be willing to step up and be a mentor for, not just this year's newbies, but our 2nd and 3rd year officials as well. If you have new recruits this year, we ask that you be their mentor. Remember, ACV pays a recruiting bonus as well as a mentoring bonus. Please email <u>Christle-VP/Trainer</u> if you'd like to be added to our mentorship team. Also, plan on attending our **Mentorship Training on Thursday July 30th via Webex**.

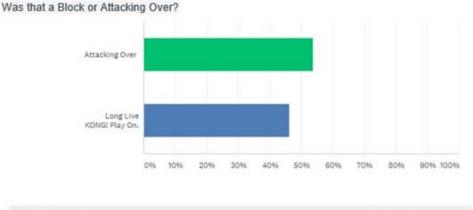


#### What's the Call

That was 2 hits! A. True B. False Click to answer

#### June What's the Call survey results.

This perfectly illustrates how each play and each official's judgement is different. The actual call made by the R1 was Reaching Beyond the net. Click the graph if you wish to view the video again.



ANSWER CHOICES	<ul> <li>RESPONSES</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Attacking Over</li> </ul>	53.85%
<ul> <li>Long Live KONG! Play On.</li> </ul>	46.15%

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