Addendum to Volleyball Rules

This is an addendum to the rules outlined for each age group.

SCORING:

- 1. Scoring is now "Rally Scoring." Rally scoring is where every point played end with a point to the winner of that rally regardless of who served.
- 2. The match includes 2 games to 25 and the third game to 15.
- 3. Matches start at the top of the hour. Allotment of 10 minutes for warm up, followed by 2 games to 25 and a third game to 15 if time allows. If time expires before the game is finished then whichever team is ahead will be credited with the win. Ties are allowed.

SERVING, FLOATING BASELINE:

The intention with this rule is to give the players as many touches with the ball as possible. Critical to that goal is getting the ball in play. To that end the Floating Baseline rule was instituted.

- 1. First Serve; will be from the baseline with either an overhand or underhand attempt.
- 2. Second Serve; if the first serve of that player's first point of that rotation is not in the field of play a second serve is allowed. For the second serve, if the chances of putting the ball in play are improved by the player stepping into the court, that is allowed.
- 3. The player may step into the court as far as necessary to accomplish the goal of getting the ball in play. When this option is chosen the serve must be an underhand serve and the ball must have an arc trajectory.
- 4. If the serving team wins the second serve point, that server can serve the next point of that rotation from their second serve location.

SERVING CONSECUTIVE SERVES:

- 1. The most points a server may serve consecutively is 3 points.
- 2. After a player serves three points consecutively the team rotates and a new server is up. This continues until there is a side out (serving team loses the point).

ROATATING PLAYERS INTO PLAY:

1. Incoming player will enter at the middle back row position.

KNEE PADS:

1. Are optional