

Volleyball Advisory Committee Recommendations

Fall 2023

- _____ 1. Recommend amending Section 2.I in the manual as follows: MODIFIED 3RD SET IN SUB-VARSITY MATCHES AND TOURNAMENTS: The MSHSAA Board of Directors approved a state association adoption per rule 1-2-1 of the NFHS Volleyball Rules Book to allow schools the option for sub-varsity level (i.e. junior high, freshman, junior varsity only) dual matches and tournaments to abbreviate the third set, when played, to be completed at 15 points or 25 points. Change from *“The modification should be specified in the game contract, the officials’ contract and agreed upon prior to the date of the match. If both schools do not agree to abbreviate the 3rd set, the set will be played to 25 points.”* to *“The 3rd set of a Junior High/Freshmen/C Level match shall be played to 15 points and the Junior Varsity shall be played to 25 points.”*
- _____ 2. Recommend placing an item on the annual *questionnaire* to amend By-Law 3.25.2.a to add the following: Varsity *Double Duals and Triple Duals*: Plays as either 2-out-of-3 Set Matches or as 3 out-of-5 Set Matches
- _____ * 3. Recommend the AD Advisory review By-Law 3.1.3.b & 3.14.2.c to allow school coaches to have contact with up to 33% of the possible players on the field/court of the respective sport for non-school competition during the school year outside of the designated sports season. (e.g. 2 volleyball players)
- _____ ** 4. Recommend the District Volleyball hosting procedures include all available options for tournament hosts such as hosting at higher seed throughout the tournament, hosting all at one site, hosting at split sites, or a hybrid of the options.
- _____ *** 5. Recommend the Board of Directors form an Ad Hoc Committee to study the district assignment process ~~potentially using a regional ranking system when assigning districts.~~

BOARD ACTION

*	DENIED
**	TABLED FOR FURTHER STUDY
***	APPROVED AS AMENDED
****	NO ACTION

ALL OTHERS APPROVED