

PRO BEACH VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE 2010



SPIRIT POINTS

Spirit points play an integral role in promoting fair play and ensuring a fun experience for all. Spirit points are used as the tie-breaker if teams are tied at the end of the regular season. When awarding spirit points, give your opponent 5 points by default and subtract points for unsportsmanlike conduct. For any team that forfeits, an automatic 3 will be awarded for the defaulted team and 5 to the team that is defaulted against.

Here's a general guideline for awarding spirit points:

Spirit Rating System	
Rating	Explanation
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our opponent's knowledge of the rules was excellent and they followed Teamplay.ca rules. • All disagreements were handled in a friendly manner. • All of my team enjoyed playing this team - the game was fun. • The team showed up on time and ready to play with a full line. • They played fair at all times. • Our opponent's level of sportsmanship was excellent.
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our opponent's knowledge of the rules was acceptable, or they were willing to learn. • All disagreements were handled in a friendly manner. • Most of my team enjoyed playing this team - the game was fun. • The team showed up a few minutes late but had a full line. • They played fair at all times. • Our opponent's level of sportsmanship was better than average.
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our opponent's knowledge of the rules was poor, but they were willing and interested in learning. • All disagreements were handled in a friendly manner. • Most of my team enjoyed playing this team - the game was fun for the most part. • The team showed 10 minutes late but we did end up playing. • For the most part they played fair. • Our opponent's level of sportsmanship was average.
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our opponent's knowledge of the rules was very poor and they were not willing or interested to learn. • All disagreements were handled in a friendly manner. • Only some of my team enjoyed playing this team - the game was not fun. • The team showed up more than 10 minutes late but we did play. • They rarely played fair. • Our opponent's level of sportsmanship was poor.
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our opponent's knowledge of the rules was nonexistent and they were not willing to learn. • Any disagreements were not addressed in a friendly manner by our opponent. • None of my team enjoyed playing this team - the game was not fun. • The team did not show up or were very late. • They did not play fair at all and they cheated. • Our opponent's level of sportsmanship was nonexistent.