

## 14's Division

3-Jan-09

Dear Club Director's,

### **PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

We want to welcome you to the 2009 Great Lakes Power League. Please read all the enclosed information carefully and if you have any changes or questions please contact Joe Jablonski immediately at: [vball10015@yahoo.com](mailto:vball10015@yahoo.com)

Best wishes for a great season for your program in 2009.

Rick Butler, Cheryl Butler, Joe Jablonski & the staff of the Great Lakes Center

**Note, for the January 10-11 (14's) seeding weekend we are at the following facilities:**  
**(1) The Great Lakes Center in Aurora ([www.greatlakescenter.com](http://www.greatlakescenter.com))**  
**(2) The Fusion Volleyball Center (FVC)**  
**(3) Illinois Basketball Academy (IBA)**  
**(4) Palos Courts**

### **PLEASE READ CAREFULLY:**

- For the 14's seeding weekend all teams will be in pool play format on Saturday. For Sunday the top two teams from Saturday's pools will move into 8 team Gold brackets for seeding and the remaining teams will move into Silver pools.
- For the 1st league weekend most or all teams will be in 8 team bracket format with teams moving up, down or staying in the same bracket based on their bracket finish.
- Warm up will be 2-4-4 (teams must attack and serve within their 4 minute time period)
- Playing formats:

<u>4 team pool</u>	<u>3 team pool</u>
1v3 (2)	1v3 (2)
2v4 (1)	2v3 (1)
1v4 (3)	1v2 (3)
2v3 (1)	
3v4 (2)	
1v2 (4)	

NOTE: 3 team pools will play 3 games to 25 pts.  
and pool record will be decided on overall  
game record with point % being the second  
criteria.

### **IMPORTANT (New Rules for 2009)**

- Teams scheduled to ref that do not have whistles:**
  - Will be penalized one point per minute until a whistle is in possession
  - Report to GLR office after third offense.
- Teams late to their work duties:**
  - Teams must be courtside and ready to ref when the LAST four minutes of the warm up begins.
  - One point per minute penalty if teams are not ready to ref on time.
  - All teams must supply (1) down ref (2) line judges (3) score keeper (4) libero tracker
  - No more than 3 people at the score table unless your team is training a score keeper or libero tracker
- Teams that do not know how to keep score:**
  - Coach must score for the entire day and remain at the score table for every match.
  - Report to the GLR office after third offense.
- Coaches near court when teams ref:**
  - Coach must be near court when team is refing.
  - If coach is not near court, must inform ref & captain where he or she will be.
  - Report to GLR office after third offense.
- Score table issues:**
  - No food or drinks (except water) at score table.
  - No I-pods / Cell Phones / Texting at score tables or by line judges
  - 1st offense will be 5 point penalty / 2nd-10 points / 3rd-15 points
  - Report to GLR office after third offense