

Central Pennsylvania Basketball Officials Association
November 14th, 2004, 6:30 p.m., Susquehanna Township High School

President, Jim Morey, called the meeting to order at approximately 6:30 p.m. Sunday evening. He announced that the meeting minutes are posted on our website. He asked the members how we wanted to handle the payment for the C5 Fitness Center games. They wish to pay us by giving us free memberships. The members were polled to see if they would be willing to work with this arrangement. No one raised their hand indicating they would be interested in this deal. He reminded the members that raffle tickets are due by December 19th, 2004 and that your PIAA and chapter dues are presently due to be paid. He also stated that assigning games is not allowed by members unless you have special permission from the executive committee.

Next, Mid-Penn and non-PIAA assignor, Donnie Eppley addressed the membership. He stated that scrimmage schedules will be released tonight. Scrimmage assignments will need to be confirmed. He specifically stated that if you have a complaint in regards to your schedule that you need to contact him. He reported that 2 schools, Cumberland Valley and Hershey, have sent out contracts. There is a w-9 form that needs to be filled out if you are assigned to Carlisle and Scotland. He told the membership to update their availability if they are interested in working CYO and other non-PIAA games. This needs to be current through December 31st, 2004. He reminded us that non-PIAA information gets emailed to eppleyt@comcast.net. He also reminded us to use only approved mechanics. He had one complaint so far this season.

The 50/50 amount was \$35.

Next Craig Bradley, Interpreter, spoke concerning the following topics: free-throws, correctable errors, and legal equipment. See his notes below.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara Eppley
Secretary

CPBOA MEETING NOV. 14, 2004

TOPICS:

FREE THROWS

CORRECTABLE ERRORS

UNIFORMS

MEASURABLE OUTCOME: rule 8

An official will...

- identify legal player positioning for free throws.
- name violations
- determine whether violations are single or double.

LESSON:

Positions/ responsibilities:

- Shooter
 - Must be in free throw circle
 - Shoot within 10 seconds
 - Make shot or hit the rim
 - Stay FT circle until ball hits rim
- Marked lane spaces.
 - 4 defense / 2 offense maximum
 - first position mandatory – defense
 - no player in 4th lane space
 - Stay in marked space until ball hits rim

- All other players behind FT-line and 3-pt arc
Stay behind lines until ball hits rim

Violations:

Marked spaces

- In too early
- Faking coming in
- Disconcertion

Violation by 2 or more:

First to violate assessed with violation

- Delayed call on defense (reshoot)
- Immediate call on offense (wipe off)

Double violations:

- **Simultaneous violations**

or

- **violation by B** in marked lane space
followed by

violation by A shooter or **A** out of marked lane
space

Result: First free throw = lost shot

Last free throw = alternating possession

SUMMARY:

- 4/2
- first space mandatory
- first in
- d – held / o – immediate
- doubles – simultaneous or d - in marked and o-out

QUESTIONS:

Who shoots?

Shooting fouls, intentional personal, flagrant personal or bonus fouls – whoever is fouled shoots.

Technical – anyone, including subs.

Different players may shoot the 2 shots.

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TEST:

A1 = shooter B1 and B2 = first lane space

FS1-As A1 shoots the first free throw, B1 steps into the lane. Official immediately calls a violation. Is the official correct?

FS2-B3 disconcerts and A1 shoots an air ball. The official rules a violation only by B3, and awards A1 a replacement shot. Is the official correct?

FS3-A2 is in the first lane space and B2 is in the second lane space. The lead official recognizes the violations

- (A) prior to bouncing the ball to A1,
- (B) while A1 has the ball at his disposal,
- (C) while the free throw by A1 is airborne,
- (D) after the ball hits the rim.

The official calls a double violation and goes to the AP arrow to resume play? Is the official correct?

FS4-A1 shoots. B1 steps in early. In a marked lane space, A2 follows B1. The official calls this a double violation. Is the official correct?

FS5-While A1's free throw is in the air, A2, then B4 run in from behind the 3-pt line to get the rebound. The official uses a held whistle to see if the shot goes in. Is the official correct?

FS6-A1 is fouled and injured by B3. B3 is then called for a technical foul. Coach A subs A7 for A1. A7 shoots the two shots for A1. A8 subs for A7 to shoot the technical foul shots. After missing the first shot, Coach A subs A9 for A8 to shoot the second technical shot. The official rules this legal. Is the official correct?

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Answers

FS1 No. This is a held whistle situation.

FS2 Yes. Disconcertion caused the air ball.

FS3 a. No. Reset the players

b. Yes.

c. Yes.

d. No. The free throw has ended.

FS4 No. Only B's violation should be called since both players are in marked lane spaces. This should have been a held whistle.

FS5 No. A2's entry kills the play immediately. Call the violation.

FS6 Yes. (not in NCAA)

MEASURABLE OUTCOME:

Official will:

- **Name the 5 errors that may be correct.**
- **State the time limitation to correct an error.**
- **Name how the game should be restarted.**

LESSON:

There are only five errors that may be corrected.

1. **Failure to award** a merited free throw
2. Awarding an **unmerited** free throw
3. Permitting a **wrong player** to attempt a free throw
4. Attempting a free throw at the **wrong basket**
5. **Erroneously counting or cancelling** a score.

Play resumed at the **POINT of INTERRUPTION**

EXCEPT

for **Failure to award** a merited free throw.

If team A was supposed to shoot, obtained and kept possession after the ensuing throw-in. Play would resume with A1 getting her shot(s) and players lined up in the marked lane spaces.

Time Factor:

ERROR

**FREE THROWS
OR SCORE**

DEAD

LIVE

CLOCK starts

DEAD

LIVE ~ too late!

CLOCK is running

ERROR

3 for 2

2 for 3

DEAD ~ ball
enters the basket

LIVE

DEAD

Maybe a shot
entering the
basket

LIVE ~ too late!

SUMMARY:

merited

unmerited

wrong player

wrong basket

counting or cancelling a score.

FREE THROW

Play resumed at the **POINT of INTERRUPTION**

Except

Team that didn't get **merited** FT still has **possession**

QUESTIONS:

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TEST:

CE1-A1 is fouled by B3. Team A is in the bonus. The official erroneously gives the ball to A for a throw-in. A legally inbounds the ball and the clock is started. The error is recognized (a) with A4 holding the ball, or (b) after B2 has stolen the pass. In both cases the official awards A1 a one-and-one and players lined up. Is the official correct?

CE2- The officials do not award A1 a one –and one. After the Team A's inbound is completed and the clock starts, B2 fouls A2. The official rules that the foul should not count and resumes play with A1 shooting. Is the official correct?

CE3- A1 is fouled while dribbling. This was team B's sixth foul. The officials erroneously award A1 a one-and-one, and A1 makes both. Before B completes the throw-in, the officials are notified that the last foul was B4's fifth. During the 30 second replacement period, both B4 and Team B coach are assessed direct technicals for profanity. Team A shoots four free throws. During A's throw-in from the division line, the scorer notifies the officials of the previous error. The official rules that it is too late to correct the error. Is the official correct?

CE4- A5 is awarded 2 erroneous free throws. While the ball is in the air on the second free throw, B1 holds A2. The ball goes in, the foul is called on B1, and A2 intentionally shoves B1.

Coach B then asks for the error to be corrected.

The official erases the points from the free throws, charges B1 with a holding foul and A2 with an intentional technical. The correct shots are taken and B resumes play with a throw-in from the division line. Is the official correct?

CE5- The official erroneously awards the throw-in to the incorrect team B after a time-out. Team A's coach goes to the table and asks for the error to be corrected. The official says that the error is not correctable and charges team A with a full timeout. Is the official correct?

CE6- The trail official counts a 3-pt basket for team A when it was clearly a 2-pt attempt from the lead's area. B's throw-in is stolen immediately by A5 who buries another 3-pt attempt. B is granted a time out. After the time-out, the error is brought to the official's attention (a) before the ball is placed at B1's disposal, (b) while B1 is running the endline with the ball, or (c) while the ball has been released on the throw-in by B1. The official rules that it is too late to correct the error in all cases. Is the official correct?

Answers:

- CE1-** (a) Yes.
(b) No. After the free throws, play should have been resumed with B's throw-in at the nearest point of interruption
- CE2-** No. B2's foul should be penalized. A1 should attempt the one-and-one, followed by A2 attempting her fouls shot(s) with players lined up.
- CE3-** No. Even though there were 6 live balls after the error, the clock never started. The two points should have been removed from A's score, and play should have resumed with A's division line throw-in.
- CE4-** No. While the error is correctable, the personal foul by B1 should also be erased because it occurred during an unmerited, correctable free throw. A2's technical should still be enforced.
- CE5-** Yes.
- CE6-** (a) No. Until the ball becomes live again, this error can be corrected.
(b) Yes.
(c) Yes.

MEASURABLE OUTCOME:

Official will:

- **identify legal / illegal uniform parts.**
- **name punishment for uniform violations.**

LESSON:

Logo - 1 on pants, headband, headband,
sweatband, and compression shorts
2 ¼ sq. in

NO LOGO on shirt or undershirt

Scoks – no restrictions

Shirt - body one color below neckline

Numbers in center

Names or lettering above or below – no nearer
than one inch

Commemerative patch - above neckline or in

Inset

4 sq. in.

NO NUMBERS

Flag OK – do not interfere with number

#'s up to 5

0 or 00 - not both

Shirts TUCKED IN

Pants PULLED UP

Tee shirt - one color , same color as shirt
same sleeve length – no frayed edges
no logo

Compression shorts – above knee, same color as shorts

Head gear - headbands and hair ties of cloth, rubber or leather – ok

No other head gear unless religious or medical note from PIAA and / or doctor - it must be fastened so that it cannot come off easily
-no rough edges

Shoes – no lights
No height advantage

Punishments –

Illegal shirt / short = technical -one/ game/ player

If caught before the ball becomes live

Others =have them change or no play!

- no excuses ~ personal liability too great

***try to take care of this in pregame**

Medical Items:

- **Nothing hard below the elbow**
 - **Hard items on upper arm or shoulder must be padded**
 - **Knee braces – exposed hinges must be covered**
 - **Ankle monitors – covered, padded if necessary**
- *REFEREE has the final decision**

SUMMARY:

Situation	Outcome	Situation	Outcome
Commemorative patch in neckline	Legal	Multicolored headband	Cannot play until corrected
Many different colored rubberbands in hair	Legal	Tee shirt / compression shorts wrong color	Cannot play until corrected
Commemorative patch in inset	Legal	Logo on a Tee shirt	Cannot play until corrected
Name written on socks	Legal	Sleeves with ragged edges	Cannot play until corrected
Logo on shirt jersey	Technical foul one /player/game	Tee shirt sleeves uneven length	Cannot play until corrected
Commemorative patch on jersey body	Technical foul one /player/game	Multicolored scrunchies	Cannot play until corrected
Logo too large on shorts	Technical foul one /player/game	Name written on head band	Cannot play until corrected
Commemorative patch is a number	Technical foul one /player/game	Jewelry	Cannot play until corrected
Pants worn too low	Pull up or leave game	Beads in hair	Cannot play until corrected
Shirt untucked	Tuck in or leave game	Barrettes	Cannot play until corrected
Medic-alert bracelet	Secure with tape	Hazardous fingernails	Cannot play until corrected
Religious items	Taped inside uniform	Hazardous pony or pig tails	Cannot play until corrected
Exposed hinges on a knee or ankle brace	Must be covered	Tattoos / body art	Non-offensive or covered

QUESTIONS:

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TEST:

