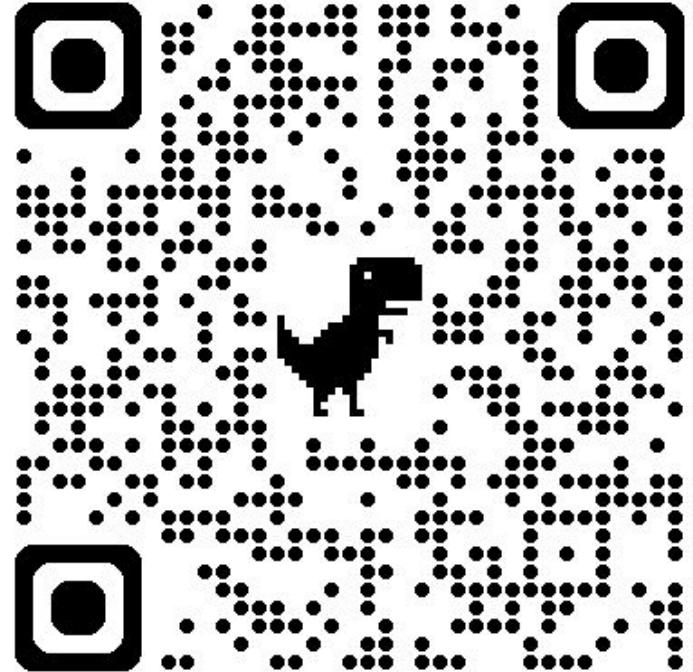




GVLOA Meeting

Monday - March 10th, 2025

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Agenda

- Introduction - New Members
- Shot Clock Quiz
- Youth Schedule
- Working with “Younger” Officials
- Sportsmanship
- Blitz!



New Members

Adam Barrett

Anthony Rodriguez

Brian Harding

Brian Wise

Craig Nairn

Lauren Groth

Shawn Marshall



NYS Shot Clock Quiz



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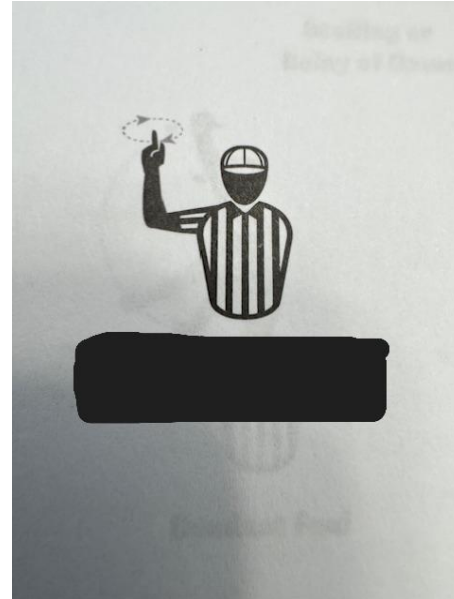
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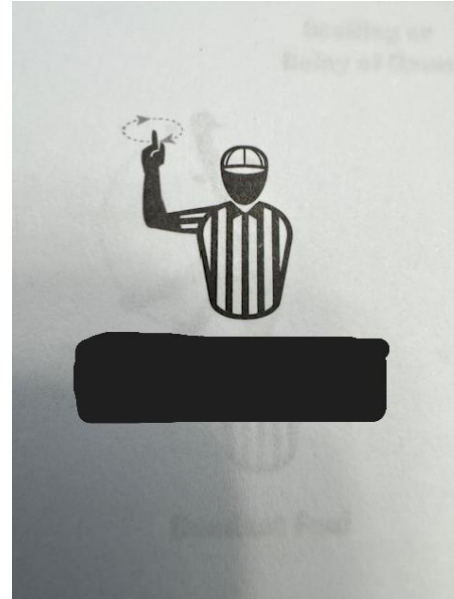
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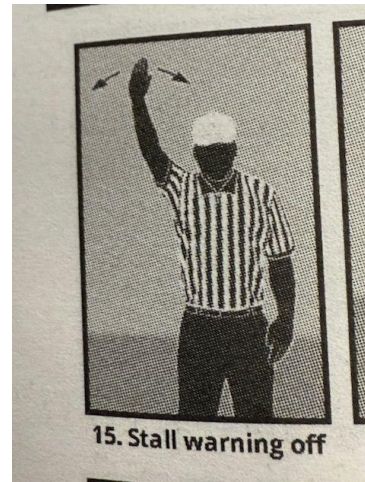
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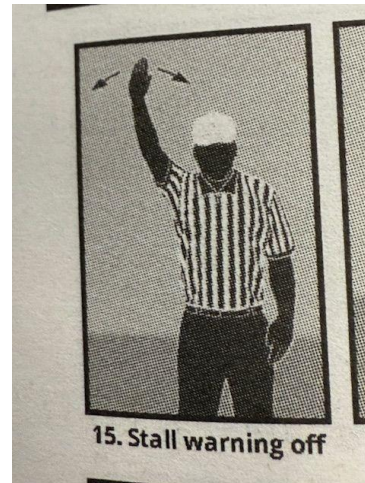
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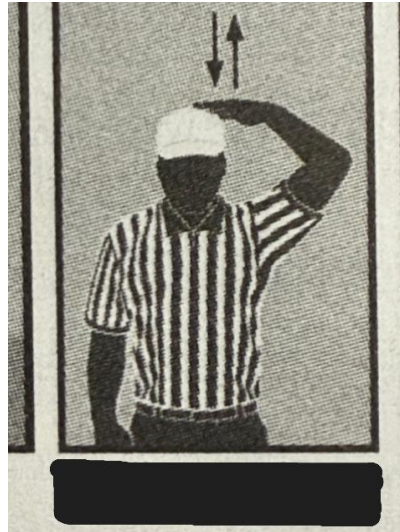
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Sportsmanship

- Page 106 and 107 of the rulebook
 - Code of Ethics for both coaches and officials
- Professionalism goes both ways!



Sportsmanship

Reporting Unsportsmanlike Conduct and Ejections:

GVLOA.org → Click on the USC and Ejection tab

www.gvloa.org/usc-and-ejection

Username: officials

Password: unsportsmanlike



Sportsmanship

Sportsmanship Ratings for Schools

GVLOA.org → click on the “Sportsmanship” Tab

Allows you to rate two games at a time. Must enter in teams for both

If away team is out of section... leave Team 2 blank



Sportsmanship

Good article to read:

<https://hollerangetsitwrite.com/2025/02/17/after-36-games-ref-has-fill-of-unruly-fans-snow-icy-roads/>



Sportsmanship

- **Pregame:** Where are you meeting and how are you handling the day
- Help your brother officials if a coach is on them:
 - You can always rotate if needed
- **Answer Questions! Ignore Comments.**



Sportsmanship

Stepladder:

Conduct → Unsportsmanlike → Ejection

Lower Level Games:

Don't put up with it!



Sportsmanship

Preventative Measures:

- Stay together once you arrive.
- Stay together as you leave. Don't get separated and don't separate yourself!
- Leave the field as a group.
- Leave the school as a group. Don't leave someone changing by their car if the game was hostile.



Sportsmanship

October 24th, 2009

https://www.syracuse.com/sports/2009/12/rochester_man_charged_in_attac.html

Sportsmanship

Any and all issues with teams, coaches, fans need to be reported ASAP

- Fill out the form, but call Pete with major issues.

Report “lack of security” to Pete.

- Security is mandatory as per our contract
- Don't brush them off if they are offering help

Sportsmanship - Consistency





Dues Updates

If you have not paid dues

- Please see Tommy D at the end of the meeting to get things squared away
- Issues with payment - please see Tommy or Pete



Test Score Submissions

- No score... no games!
- Assignors see who is eligible in the Arbiter

Most Creative Score Award - 2025

Rob
Cantabene





Assignors + Working with New Officials

We need feedback on guys you work with...

The more feedback we get on “younger” officials, the better off this organization will be in the long run.

- We need to be able to move guys up to cover games...
- Your information not only helps guys get assignments, it helps the assignors balance crews.



Hudl Update

- Coaches Meeting tomorrow night
- If you are not on the platform and you need/want to join...
Send an email to Paulus & Curley and we can add you in



Youth Schedule

Town Youth Saturdays:

April 26

May 3

May 10

May 17

**Don't block on Arbiter to
only ref youth games!**

Tournaments (Sundays):

April 27 - Canandaigua

May 4 - Cinco de Laxo

May 18 - Fairport Classic

June 1 - Irondequoit

June 7 - Geneva

(Battle on the Seneca)



Closing Questions...



Blitz Bar Room - Wings + Beer

***6720 Pittsford Palmyra Rd
Fairport, NY 14450***

