

Officiating as a Team

Four Officials Four Views of the Match
Heirarchy of Officials
Do Your Job – Bill Belichick

FHSAA vs Club Matches

- FHSAA – 1st referee, 2nd referee, line judges, score keepers
- Club - 1st referee, 2nd referee, line judges, score keepers
- United League - 1st referee, line judges, score keepers

1st Referee

- Leader of the Pack
- Synergizes Various Decisions into ONE Decision
- Primary Decisions
Initiates Play & Ball Handling
- Secondary Decisions
Every Other Part of Match
- Final Authority on all Matters

2nd Referee

- Serve and Protect
- Boots on the Ground
- Referees' Diplomat
- Primary Decisions THE NET
- Substitutions, Time outs, Injuries, Floor Wipes, Score Board, Administration, Deciding Set Coin Toss
- May Request but NOT Give Sanctions
- May Request to Conference with 1st Referee

Line Judges

- May call Foot Faults, Touches, Ball In or Out
- Reports Bad Behavior to 2nd Referee
Team Benches or Crowd
- Is Not a Diplomat for the Referees

Scorer / Assistant Scorer

- Maintains Visible Scoreboard
- Maintains the Official Score sheet
- Communicates Directly with 2nd Referee
- Reports on what happens NOT what is about to Happen

Toot and Scoot

- Match Over
- Get off the court ASAP
- Leave as a Team
- Post Match Debrief
- Leave the Gym Together

Game Mechanics

- Formal Hand Signals
- Informal Hand Signals