

# Intramural Sports Rule Book

#### WHERE CHARACTER MEETS COMPETITION

# Wallyball

\*The following are general rules. Wallyball games will follow the rules outlined by American Wallyball Association rules.

#### Team:

A team consists of four players. Three players must be present to start the game.

### **Uniform/Equipment:**

- The following items are prohibited:
  - Cowboy boots, sandals, crocs or playing without shoes

#### Timing:

- Game start time is forfeit time
- Grace can be awarded to an opponent if and only if a representative of that team is signed in.
  - o Grace is 10 minutes
  - 5 points are awarded to the team who grants grace
- Games are played in 30-minute time slots

#### Scoring:

- Rally scoring: A team will score a point every serve, with the exception of a violation that leads to a re-serve
- Games are best two-out-of-three
  - The first two sets are played to 15 and the third is played to 11
  - Each set is first to 15 or 11 wins. Sets are NOT win by 2.

## **During Play:**

Must get the ball over the net and land on opponent's side within three hits

- A block is not included in one of your 3 hits
- A ball can hit the back wall and go over the net directly (when being played by your side), but if two walls are touched, another player must touch it before going over the net
- Contacting two or more walls is allowed only by the team in possession of the ball on their own side, provided a player on that team touches the ball first. After a multiple ball hit, the ball must also be touched by another player before going over.
- If the ball hits the antenna, it is out.

#### Common Foul:

- Double Hit: a single player cannot hit the ball twice in succession
  - A block does not count as a hit, so the same player who blocked can then make another hit
- Net Violation: at no time during a live ball may a player on either team, whether playing the ball or not, touch the net
- Center Line Violation: no part of a players' body may cross the center line (net line) under the net during play

#### **All-University Tournament Format:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place division winners will advance to playoffs
- Single-elimination tournament
- Must have a sportsmanship rating of 2.0 in order to advance
- The games will have a supervisor but will be self-officiated. Any discrepancies or concerns must be addressed with the supervisor prior to leaving the sports complex.