

## City of Saint Paul Municipal Athletics League

2025 Youth Volleyball Rules - Misconduct

## CARDS CAN BE GIVEN TO PLAYERS OR COACHES.

YELLOW CARD	RED CARD
Yellow cards are used as a warning - additional problems will result in a red card or disqualification.	Red cards are used for serious offenses and result in a point/side-out to be awarded.
<ul> <li>Yellow cards should be given to a player or coach who is:</li> <li>Continually questioning calls.</li> <li>Disrespectfully addressing, baiting, or taunting anyone involved in the contest.</li> <li>Attempting to influence a decision by a referee.</li> <li>A coach entering the court while the ball is in play.</li> <li>Showing disgust with referee's decisions.</li> <li>Wearing jewelry.</li> <li>Making any excessive requests designed to disrupt the set.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Red cards should be given out to a player or coach who has committed:</li> <li>Making any contact with an opponent which is deemed unnecessary or rough.</li> <li>Foul or abusive language towards anyone in the gymnasium.</li> <li>Second yellow card in the match for a person in question.</li> </ul>

Please Note - when coach receives a card, they are no longer permitted to stand for the rest of the match.

## YELLOW CARD AND RED CARD

Both cards should be used together when a coach or player is disqualified from the contest. No additional points are awarded, and the disqualified person must exit the gym immediately.

Unsupervised minors under the care of their coach may remain in the gym but must move to the spectator side of the court for visual supervision.

When a player is disqualified, a substitution may be made (for NFHS rules) or the rotation is closed up, meaning the next player in rotation enters the center back position.

A forfeit results when the coach is disqualified and no other certified adult is available to take the bench &/or team refuses to play when directed to do so by the referee.

Yellow & Red cards should be given out to a player or coach who has committed:

- Intentional violent conduct towards anyone in the gym, including hitting/kicking, fighting, spitting.
- Second red card in the match for the person in question.

## Red cards and Disqualification do not require previous cards.

NOTE: Report all <u>disqualifications</u> to <u>Municipal Athletics</u> – <u>muni@ci.stpaul.mn.us</u> or 651-558-2255 Disqualified persons are out for the remainder of the game, the next scheduled game, and any practices between the two games.