

## FURY Volleyball 2019-2020

### Playing Time Policy

At Fury Volleyball Club there is no equal playing time in a Travel League commitment. Individual playing time is influenced by:

- Player skill
- Player effort
- Player attitude
- The positional needs of the team
- Practice attendance

There is no requirement for coaches to play any athlete for a minimum amount of time during matches. **Players are not to approach the coach during game time to discuss playing time.** To do so may negatively affect the coach's decision.

Our teams are structured to optimize playing time for all team members. However, volleyball is a positional sport, meaning some positions naturally have more playing time than others. Fury Volleyball Club coaches determine which players substitute on and off the court, and will take into account individual, team and game dynamics.

Coaches will communicate any issues that impact playing time to the player. If a parent/guardian has concerns about playing time, they should ask their player to discuss the matter with the team coach **no earlier than 24 hours** after the tournament.

Parents/guardians are not to contact the coach before, during, or < 48 hours after a tournament regarding playing time. **Parents/guardian must wait 48 hours after a tournament before contacting the coach.**

Keep in mind that coaches are not required to deliver a minimum playing time -- that only exists in the recreation leagues, such as Fury Skillz leagues.

If additional concerns arise that are not addressed by the team coach, the Parent Advisory Board can be contacted. If necessary, the Fury Volleyball Director can be contacted after these avenues have been utilized.