

Fastbreak League Officials' Code of Conduct

1) Table and referees Officials shall

- Arrive at games at least 15 minutes before the scheduled tip-off time.
- · Be physically and mentally prepared
- Be dressed neatly and appropriately
- Conduct themselves in a manner consistent with the high standards of the Fastbreak Basketball League

2) Table official shall

- ensure all table equipment is in working order
- help referees to check the licenses of all participants
- check all players are playing in the correct age group

3) Referees Officials will perform pre-game duties, including

- Select a suitable game ball
- Communicate with both coaches in a respectful and empathic manner.
- Officials shall not communicate or show impartiality, which could lead to accusations of favouritism or question their integrity

4) Referees shall

- Not wear any form of jewellery.
- Once all officials and teams are on the court, put away their mobile phones
- Mobile phones may not be accessed until the score sheet has been signed at the end of the game.
- Leave the court together and avoid confrontation with participants or spectators.
- Report any issues verbally to the League Secretary within 24 hours of the end of the game with a written submission within seven days.

5) Officials shall

Be knowledgeable of the rules of the game and mechanics

- Apply the rules fairly and consistently
- Exercise authority in an impartial, assertive and controlled manner
- Be familiar with Fasbreak Basketball League game rules
- Uphold the honour and dignity of officiating in all interactions with young players, coaches, colleagues and the public.
- Display excellent communication skills, both verbal and non-verbal
- Uphold high principles of officiating towards all participants, which include integrity, neutrality, respect, sensitivity, professionalism, discretion and tact