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2016 Minor Rule Changes for Provincial Championships (Please Place on Scorer's Table)

- Minor Officials Table: Constant harassment by head and assistant coaches going to scorer's table is a major issue and is causing further distractions as the game continues. Coaches are no longer permitted to go to scorer's table until a stoppage of play occurs and then only the Head Coach is permitted to go to table.
- Hosts are to have an adult at the scorer's table at all times.
- Conveners cannot coach and convene at the same time.
- Unruly Fan Behavior Process: Hosts sites can only eject fans if the incident impacts the game. (Negative loud comments, vulgarity etc. impacts the game).
 - ❖ Convener or officials to identify unruly fan(s).
 - ❖ Convener or officials to approach fan(s) with warning.
 - ❖ If behavior persists convener or official may stop the game and remove fan.
 - ❖ If fan refuses to leave the facility the game will remain stopped and local authorities will be called to remove the fan(s).
 - ❖ A report on all removed fans coaches or athletes must be submitted to NLBA office within the 3 day period immediately following event.