

SUE'S NEWS

Thursday July 4, 2024

SHIRT of the DAY

Thursday July 4 – New Black polo or a red/white/blue patriotic shirt

HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY TO ALL! I hope you get to see some fireworks.

Things are going great! Thanks to everyone who has hung in there for all 6 sessions. We are on the downill side. Only 4 more days to go.

Even though we are almost finished, the teams are coming fresh and expect the best out of you. Let's give them the best we have.

Every referee **MUST** wear your credentials at all times. It is not up to someone at the entry point to ask you for it. It must be visible **EVERY** time you enter the playing space. If you are coming off the escalators, you **CANNOT** by-pass the entry points. You must walk around the barriers and enter as the rest of the public does. Anyone not following the correct entry procedures will be sent home.

You must treat all support staff (bus drivers, security guards, hotel staff, AAU staff, convention center staff) with respect and adhere to anything they tell you or request of you. Anyone disrespecting, calling someone ugly names, cussing, etc, will be sent home.

Just because you have a certification patch of a different level than your partner does not give you the right to disrespect your partner and tell how much better your level of certification is than theirs. Again, that can be grounds for dismissal.

There are plenty of risers/steps for anyone who needs one. If there is not one at your desk, ask the desk referee to check with the other side.

RESPONSIBILITY finds a way. Irresponsibility makes excuses!

Gene Bedley