



THE TRAINING TRIBUNE

Edition - ONE

Welcome to The TrainingTribune!

I'm Chris Clemens, newsletter editor and volleyball trainer.

Welcome to the first of many high school training newsletters.

It is my hope and the hope of the Board to bring you regular training newsletters to keep us all sharp prior to & during the season!



Officiating in the age of COVID

Take a look at the video link below. This is a video from Colorado on volleyball reffing during the days of COVID.

I realize that each State decides its own COVID protocols, etc. This video is from a high school trainer in Colorado, but the information is extremely current and relevant for any volleyball referee !





What did you think of that video ?

None of us would have predicted that we would be talking about electronic whistles and face masks !

This certainly **REQUIRES** us to be like Gumby...very flexible !

For those of you who don't know who Gumby is, ask someone older !



In today's game, it is **CRITICAL** that we don't take the role of the R2 lightly.

By their actions (good or bad), they certainly have an impact on tempo, coaches, and even scorekeepers...to name only a few areas !

It is so **VERY** important that the R2 can *transition* seamlessly to the blocker's side during play, help a coach understand a call, or decipher a scoresheet gone wrong.

Here's a video for some R2 training:



How can YOU help make this newsletter even better ?

If you have comments or suggestions that you'd like to in The Training Tribune, please write to Chris Clemens:chrisclmens@live.com

I would love to hear from you about article suggestions, video topics that you'd like to see, etc.

SEMPER GUMBY - ALWAYS FLEXIBLE !