## Entry Point Summary 4v4 Rallyball

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Eligible Birth Years	24 month eligibility - January 1st, 2011
Gendered Divisions	Male/Coed     Female
Tiering	No divisional splits
Recommended roster size	<ul> <li>Recommended roster size of 6+ Athletes</li> <li>Larger rosters are encouraged to be split into 2 teams for the 4v4 competition</li> <li>A team that is split up with be placed in the same event</li> </ul>
Event 1	<ul> <li>4v4 Rallyball</li> <li>Event sized based on registrations and venue availability</li> <li>Various round robin formats depending on tournament size</li> <li>Preferred format - 3 sets to 15 (however maybe adjusted depending on the number of teams at an event)</li> <li>Club hosted</li> </ul>
Event 2	<ul> <li>4v4 Rallyball</li> <li>Event sized based on registrations and venue availability</li> <li>Various round robin formats depending on tournament size</li> <li>Preferred format - 3 sets to 15 (however maybe adjusted depending on the number of teams at an event)</li> <li>Club hosted</li> </ul>
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Event 4	<ul> <li>4v4 Rallyball</li> <li>Event sized based on registrations and venue availability</li> <li>Various round robin formats depending on tournament size</li> <li>Preferred format - 3 sets to 15 (however maybe adjusted depending on the number of teams at an event)</li> <li>Club hosted</li> </ul>
Ontario Championships	2 Day - Challenge Event with medals
Ontario Championships Eligibility	Not Applicable
Designated Setting Position	Teams must designate the setting position and maintain it for the full set. The designated setting position must be front row. Refer to Regulation 6.8 of the <b>OVA's Youth Competitions Manual 2023-2024.</b>
Libero	No
Overhand Serve Receive	No

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Court Size	7m x 14m or as close as the facility has available / Badminton Double
Net Height	<ul><li>2.15m Female</li><li>2.20m Male/Coed</li></ul>
Playing Regulations	Players not on the court must rotate into the game upon completion of the Tripleball sequence that follows their serve. For example: Player A serves the ball and stays on court for the following 2 free balls to complete the Tripleball sequence. Once that sequence is complete, Player A rotates out of the court and player B takes their place on the court.  All team members must play in each set. The only exception to this rule is if a team has more than 10 players on their roster, in which case they can be split into two groups who each participate in a single set. If the match goes to a third set tiebreaker, the coach can play one of the groups a second time in the match.  • Teams can use a diamond or square (2 front, 2 back) defensive formation. (See below diagram)  • Teams must designate the setter position and maintain it for the whole set. The designated setting position must be front row.  NOTE: The server is always the player who has just rotated from the front row to the back row.  Example in box formation: the player who was just in the front row right side position (#1 in the diagram below) will be the server once they complete a rotation.  Example in diamond formation: the player who was just in the front row middle (#2 in the diagram below) and is rotating to the position on the right is now the server.  •The player(s) in the backcourt (serve receiver/server) are permitted to attack from anywhere on the court.  Front Row  Front Row  Front Row
	Backrow  Server  SQUARE  DIAMOND  Backrow  DIAMOND
Warm Up Protocol	First match of the day: 5 min - shared court 4 min - exclusive serving team 4 min - exclusive receiving team  All remaining matches: 2 min - shared court 4 min - exclusive serving team 4 min - exclusive receiving team NO shared hitting or travelling under net
Substitutions	Fairplay
Specialization	Not permitted

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Playing Time	Rotational play
Ranking Points	A team's set ratio from Bugarski Cup will be used to seed teams for Ontario Championships
Medals	No medals until Ontario Championships
Referees	Single referees provided
Athlete Membership Level	Recreational membership - upgrade to full competitive player required if participating in 6v6 Rallyball or Traditional Limited Specialized (TLS)
Coaching Eligibility	MANDATORY ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR OVA COACHES
	All individuals who sit on the bench at an OVA sanctioned event or who are involved with youth athletes in an OVA club training environment must complete the following requirements prior to their registration as an OVA member.
	<ul> <li>Abide by the OVA Screening Policy         o Submit a Level 2 Criminal Record &amp; Judicial Matters Check (CRJMC) or Enhanced Police         Information Check (E-PIC) completed within 3 years.         o Complete the OVA Screening Disclosure Form via MRS registration</li> <li>Complete the following training         o Making Head Way (Free)         o Coaches Association of Canada Safe Sports Training (Free)</li> </ul>
	All individuals in a Head Coach or Assistant Coach role and all individuals acting as a Head Coach or Assistant Coach during an OVA event must also complete the following training prior to their registration as a member of the OVA:
	o Foundations of Volleyball (\$89) o Making Ethical Decisions Online Evaluation (\$85 or free if course was completed)
	It is highly recommended that all coaches complete the NCCP Anti-Racism in Coaching e-learning module in The Locker. All coaches will be required to complete this module to be eligible in 2024-25.
	It is the responsibility of OVA Clubs to verify the eligibility of their coaches prior to having them register as members and listing them on their Club Information Form at the start of the season.
	Individuals who have not completed the above requirements are not eligible to be listed on an OVA event scoresheet. Ineligible individuals will be fined \$150 per occurrence and match results may be forfeited.



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