



Game management Leadership as a referee

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Beach handball referees

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Presentation topics

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Personal presentation

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- EHF since 2014
(Thessaloniki, EBT Finals)
- IHF since 2017
(The World Games 2017)
- What about private life...? 😊



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Fair play

The philosophy of Beach Handball is based on the principles of “**FAIR PLAY**”. Every decision has to be taken in accordance with these principles.





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Fair play

Fair play means:

- Respect the health, integrity and body of players
- Respect the spirit and philosophy of the game
- Respect the flow of the game, but never tolerate an advantage taken by violating the rules

**KEEP
CALM
AND
PLAY
BEACH
HANDBALL**



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Game management

Before the game

Personal behaviour BEFORE the game:

- Be on time – at least 30min before the game
- Hello to delegates, officials, time/score keeper – create court atmosphere
- Warm up (!!!)
- Follow your routine
- Coin toss with small talk: „We expect your team to PLAY FAIR, agree?“







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Game management

During the game

How to manage the game well with the positive attitude?:

- Football referees say: „First 20 min”
- Indoor handball referees: „First 10 min are the most important”
- **Beach handball referees:**

„ BE PRESENT from the FIRST SECONDS”

In first 2 minutes you need to have a game under your control!

Hard work starts immediately.



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Game management & Leadership

During the game

What can you show from the first seconds?:

- Express your leadership
- Your understanding of the game
- Clear line for both teams in every part of the game – 6m throws, spin shots, progressive line

Make it easy to understand for everyone – players, officials, delegate, spectators, media.





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Leadership as a referee During the game

- ✓ Be mobile – work and move
- ✓ Build and hold your clear line
- ✓ Look nice – NOT arrogant
- ✓ Smile, when something special happens 😊
- ✓ Clear body language in every situation
- ✓ Cooperate with delegates, time/score keepers
- ✓ Show that you are working also during a break







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Game management

After the game

- ❖ Always shake hand with your partner
- ❖ Then the players who coming to you – don't go to them first
- ❖ Shake hands with officials
- ❖ Take care of the match report
- ❖ Big talks – ask kindly to talk later, after you finish your duties, OUT OFF the court
- ❖ Analyze the game with your partner Before you will talk with the delegate





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What makes us good referees?





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Can we really say we're good?

How should referees judge themselves or be judged?

Good refereeing speeds up the flow of the game - bearing in mind that the result of the match depends on the tactics and skill of the players.

Inefficient refereeing spoils the enjoyment of the game for players, technicians and fans.

The referee's decisions are always subject to public opinion, which means that they are often criticized and questioned in terms of errors committed.



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What makes us good referees?*

*all the answers based on our experience, you take your own responsibility when applying ;)





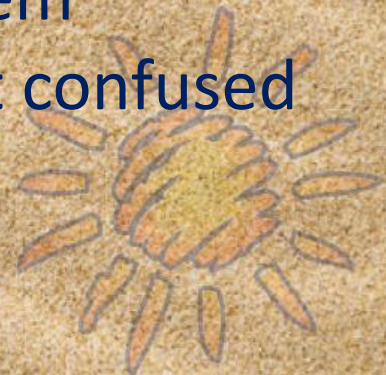
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Rules & Reliability

Our main job is to ensure that the game is being played according to the rules and regulations.

- Same for both sides
- Be clear! Don't let them (players&officials) get confused





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Experience

- TIME!
- Indoor & beach
- EBT tournaments!





Motivation & being „in” the game

- What handball means to You?
- Passion? Hobby? Money?
- Do You enjoy the game?

Game:

- Before the first whistle
- After the last whistle
- In between

Be present





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Personal behavior

- Savoir vivre during the event & on the court
- Outside – social media (we are visible)

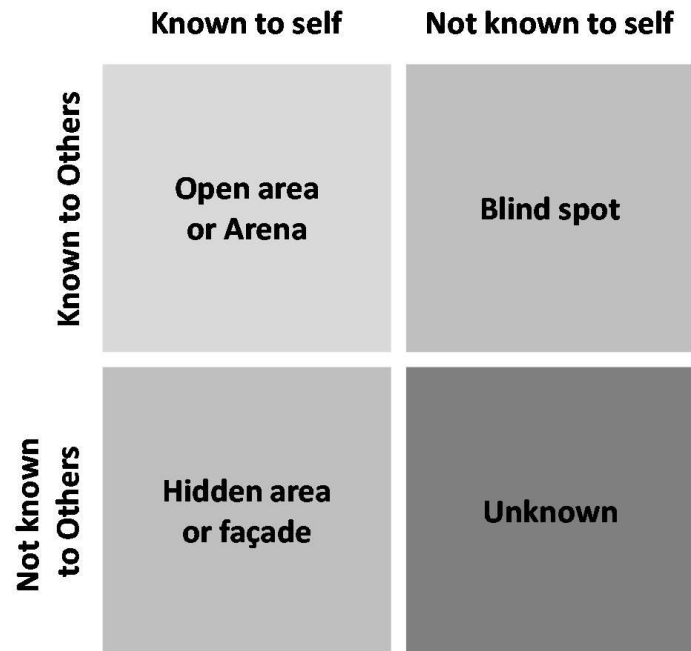




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Your attitude toward learning

Love your delegate ;)



The Johari Window Model





Mental preparation

- **Concentration** - don't be frightened of making mistakes or upsetting the crowd
INSTEAD concentrate fully on the task in your hands
- **how to recover from bad games as fast as from the good ones?**
- **self-confidence vs arrogance** - Referees who have confidence in themselves do not lose control in the face of difficult situations. This does not mean that they never have any feelings of doubt but it does mean that they do not lose their self-confidence because they have made a **wrong decision**



Mental preparation

- **confrontational situations** – self-control
- **dealing with mistakes** – not letting them to blow away your confidence
- **staying calm** – you don't need to control emotions of others, control your own emotions without being influenced by the situation, whatever it is
- **dealing with mistakes**





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„Invisibility”

If the game is running smoothly, very few people are even aware of the referee's presence.

Intervene as little as possible.
Don't interrupt the game if it's not necessary.

Predict what's going to happen, who is getting the advantage?
READ THE GAME – KEEP THE FLOW!





With your referee partner

- Be clear - don't poison your relationship – good communication not only on the court
- Find your routines





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Don't look for new friends on court





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Do the best You can!

Stay fit, look nice

What do You think we're talking about? ;)





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Remember - Code of conduct

You are EHF now – remember some tasks:

- Behavior – on the court and outside the court
- Be well prepared for all events – not only ECh, EBT Finals and Champions Cup.

You cannot imagine how many people are watching on you during EBT tournaments also ;)





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ENJOY the EHF CHAMPIONS CUP



„It always seems impossible until it's done”



Thank you for
attention

