



EHF Course for Beach Handball Coaches

Summary of the course and matches

In this discussion Jiri Hruza from CZE pointed out that he was somehow disappointed to see a lot of handball in the sand rather than Beach Handball. He stated that very few inflight actions could be recognized only.

Zlatko Belancic / CRO supported this view and mentioned that the 360° action was overrepresented by far.

According to his statistics from the World Games and EGY he had the following figures:

WG	360	inflights	specialist
	35%	35%	30%
EGY	55%	35%	10%

This was compared with 3 men and two women matches of today that gave the following figures:

	Points total	360	inflight	specialist	Penalty	GK	1-pointer
Men	175	86	8	48	6	6	21
Wome	en 114	26	0	36	10	2	50

This was a clear issue and it was stated that there was a lot of lack of tactical knowledge and technical competence and as soon as possible another coaches course should be held in order to improve these deficiencies.

On the final day another statistics was taken from 3 men and 4 women matches (Zlatko Belancic, Mateja Brezic / CRO).

181	98	8	52	8	2	13
181	78	10	22	10	6	55

Here again we recognize overrepresentation of 360 and specialists which points to weak Beach Handball tactics. The same applies to the high number of 1-pointers in women matches.

The two final matches in contrary brought good Beach Handball but nevertheless it seems we have to start a good coaching programme.

As for the discussion around the 360 we suggested to recognise only 360 that are landed on the feet and dismiss all fall shots.





Short qualitative analysis of the matches of the final day (Jiri Hruza / CZE):

In the following sketches you can see the most common tactical moves the top teams used.



Many thanks to all the participating coaches for their contributions and efforts.

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