



**Quiz #3 (Week #1)- 2013**  
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**NFHS Rules**

1. A 1/10 @ A's 30 YL. A3 comes onto the field and enters the huddle. A1 immediately leaves and goes to his team box. After the ready for play signal, the **U** stops the GC as he notices B1 is bleeding. B1 leaves the field for medical attention. During this time period A1 re-enters the field and A3 goes back to his team box. **Ruling: Illegal substitution on A (DB foul). During the same dead ball interval. No substitute can be become a player and then withdraw and no player shall withdraw and re-enter as a substitute unless a penalty is accepted, a DB foul occurs, there is a charged TO or the period ends. If the Wings notice this, use preventive officiating to prevent these fouls.** *Rule: 3-7-3 and case play 3.7.3 Sit. C.*
2. A1's pass it tipped behind the LOS by B2. The ball continues downfield where eligible A2 attempts to catch the ball but before the pass reaches him he's is interfered with by B3. The **BJ** and **LM** throw a flag and signal DPI to the **R**. **Ruling: Incorrect, this is not pass interference. Pass interference restrictions end for both teams when a pass is touched by any player.** *Rule: 7-5-9a & c*
3. A 2/30 @ A's 5 YL. A1 is carrying the ball and his facemask is grabbed and twisted at A's 10 YL. A1 fumbles the ball and B1 recovers the fumble at A's 15 YL. **Ruling: A will accept the PF- facemask penalty. The penalty will be enforced from the end of A1's run (where he fumbled the ball). After enforcement it will be A's ball 2/5 from A's 25 YL.** *Rule: 9-4-3h, 10-3-2 and 10-3-3b*
4. A 4/8 @ B's 40 YL. A1 runs toward the SL and is hit and driven OOB @ B's 33 YL. B2 then hits A1 OOB. The **LJ** throws a flag for a late hit. The **R** announces the foul for the late hit will be enforced and it will 1/10 for A @ B's 18 YL. **Ruling: Incorrect. A1 did not reach the line to gain on 4<sup>th</sup> down so there will be a COP. B2 is still guilty of a personal foul -- late hit. However, after enforcement of the penalty it will be B, 1/10 at the B18 YL.** *Rule: 5-2-6*
5. Late in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter A2 (#80) is injured and has to leave the field for one play. A's coach sends A3 in for the one play. A3 is a JV player who is also wearing #80. Right before the snap the **U** blows his whistle and throws a flag for illegal numbering. **Ruling: Incorrect. This is a live ball foul. In order A to be penalized, both players wearing #80 must participate during the down.** *Rule: 7-2-5c and case play 7-2-5 Sit. C*
6. A 3/6 @ B's 45 YL. A1 is carrying the ball downfield and spins out of a tackle. He sees B1 in front of him. A1 lowers his body and head and delivers a blow to B1 in the chest with his helmet. **Ruling: This is a foul for illegal helmet contact. If in the covering official opinion he lowered his head and used it in a spearing type move this could be considered flagrant and A1 could be disqualified for spearing.** *Rule: 9-4-3i and case play 9-4-3 Sit. D.*
7. A 3/6 @ B's 20 YL. Team B has 12 players on the field throughout the down. A flag is thrown and the **R** signals illegal substitution. **Ruling: Incorrect. The penalty is illegal participation and it is a 15 yard penalty. The result of the play would be 1/10 for A on B's 10 YL (half the distance). Remember all replaced players have 3 seconds to leave the field. This is for both offense and defense. If a replaced player does not leave within 3 seconds then it's a foul for illegal substitution. Of course preventative officiating should play a part here also. A good recommendation is to verbalize "1 in, 1 out" if one substitute enters the field.** *Rule 9-6-4c*

## OHSAA Mechanics

8. On a run play the **R's** IP is on the wide side of the field. The **U's** IP is always on the opposite the **R**. Ruling: **Incorrect. The U's IP is between the TE's and 7 yds. from the LOS. The U needs to vary his IP laterally, irrespective of the R's IP.** *Gold book: page. 20- #29.B.2*
9. The **BJ's** initial IP always 17 yds. from the LOS no matter what. **Ruling: Incorrect. This is true unless B is in prevent defense. Then the BJ will adjust his IP to be slightly behind the defensive backs.** *Gold book: page 16- #24.B.4*

## OHSAA Regulations

10. The **LJ** assesses a UNS foul against the HC in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter. In the 2Q the **LJ** throws a second flag for UNS against the Assistant Coach. Is the HC now disqualified, or does the foul go against the assistant coach? **Ruling: UNS that are assessed to asst. coaches, trainers, replaced players or any other non-players are not charged to the HC.** *Gold Book: Pg. 32 #5.B*

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*Lou Holtz*