

# **NBGC Dodgeball Rules**

1. 6 players may play at one time.
2. Each team will play will play with a 45 minute running clock. A winner will be determined as the team with the most wins at the end of allotted time. All games that are in progress will finish after the time has run out. All matches that end in a tie, will remain a tie.
3. Match begins with 6 balls placed at mid-court. All players will be on the baseline. At the referees whistle players run for the balls.
4. Getting players out.
  - a. Hitting a player with the ball that is not caught by anyone else.
  - b. Catching an opponents ball
  - c. Stepping over center court.
5. If you catch one of your opponent's balls, one of your teammates may return to the match.
6. If you jump over the line to throw a ball at someone, the ball must hit an opposing player before your feet hit the ground.
7. If your team has more than 6 players, the players not starting the game must be the first players brought in.
8. You must conduct yourself in a sportsman like manner at all times, remaining respectful to your teammates, your opponents and the referee.
9. If you throw a ball and a player is hit, but the ball bounces in the air and is caught by another player on the fly, you are out.
10. There is no out of bounds, but players hiding behind bleachers or other objects, will be call out immediately.
11. All referee's decisions are final.
12. This league is designed for the kids to have fun. You will have more fun if the rules are followed at all times. If you get nicked with a ball, go out.
13. You can't get someone out if you don't throw the ball. So let it fly. The referee may call a penalty of a lose of the ball if you do not throw it.
14. You may only have one ball in your hand at a time.
15. A head shot counts, so be ready to move.
16. No standings will be kept, but we will have a tournament on the last day of the league. This tournament will be a random draw with a prize given to the winners.
17. Each day both teams will pick a player of the day. That player will receive a free drink and popcorn from the concession stand.
18. Remember we are here to have fun.