Racquetball Singles Basics

Intramural Rules and Explanations

⇒ You must be serving in order to score a point.

⇒ The server has to be between the serving lines at time of serve.

⇒ The receiving person must be at least 5 feet behind the serving line and stay there until the ball bounces off the serve.

⇒ The serve must hit the front wall first and bounce behind the short serve line (second line from the front wall) in order for it to be a legal serve.

  o A serve is considered “long” if the serve hits the back wall before it hits the floor on the serve and is a fault.

⇒ Two successive faults lose the serve.

⇒ The return may be taken by hitting the ball into the air off the serve or after the ball has bounced behind the short service line off the serve.

⇒ A player is NOT allowed to hinder, on purpose, the sight or path to the ball in any way.

⇒ Matches are won by winning 2 out of 3 games (11 points)

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