UNIFORM FOR VOLLEYBALL OFFICIALS - REFEREES, LINE JUDGES, AND SCORERS

- **A PAVO/USAV polo-style shirt** that is one of the three (3) approved colors, with the following specifications:
  - Approved official designation on the left sleeve ("Volleyball Certified Official"), which is protected by copyright.
  - Long or short sleeves
- For matches played using USAV rules, the appropriate **USAV patch** is worn on the right side of the chest.
  - Regarding the variations of uniform colors:
    - Each region/tournament can determine whether the referees must be in the same color.
    - Line judges and scorers do not need to match each other in color, nor do they need to match the referees.
    - The white shirt is the default, so all officials must own a white shirt.
- Dark navy blue **slacks** that are pressed and in good repair (not faded).
- Black or dark navy blue leather **belt** (if slacks are made for a belt).

**Shoes and socks** that meet the following specifications:
- Clean, white athletic shoes
- Non-marking rubber soles
- No exposed "coils" (for example, the "Z-Coil" style)
- All white socks, at least crew length

**Optional outerwear** that may be worn while officiating a match, if permitted by the region or head referee:
- **Sport-Tek ¼ Zip Sweatshirt** - white, with approved official embroidered designation on the left sleeve ("Volleyball Certified Official").
- **Alo lightweight Jacket** - white, with approved official embroidered designation on the left sleeve ("Volleyball Certified Official").

**Guidelines for wearing outerwear.**
- Both the fleece-cadet and the jacket will be worn with the uniform shirt following these guidelines:
  - If a certification patch is worn, it should be affixed in the right chest area.
  - Line judges and scorers do not have to match the referees regarding outerwear.
  - A uniform shirt must be worn underneath.
  - Zipper should be placed in an appropriate location to allow the collar to be worn "polo-style" (not zipped to the top).
  - Sleeves will not be pushed up.
  - Nothing stored in the pocket.

**Other equipment for referees:**
- Whistle attached to a lanyard
- Red and Yellow sanction cards concealed from view
- Timing device that can track seconds and minutes
- Ball gauge
- Ball pump
- Net measuring device
- Tossing coin
- Current USAV DCR
- Current copy of the USAV Case Book
- Flags, when officiating with junior crew

- **Other equipment for line judges:**
  - Flags, in case tournament does not provide

- **Other equipment for scorers:**
  - Blue/black pens and pencil
  - White out/eraser
  - Extra scoring paperwork
  - Watch/timing device