



VIBHL Women's Division Spare Rules

Spring/Summer 2026

After the first 3 regular season games have been played, the Top 10 Rule goes into effect.

- The top 10 players and top 3 teams will be posted in the Women's GM chat for each week
- If you are using spares you can only have a **max of 13 runners**, no more.
- Spares must be entered in RAMP as an AP
- All players that are rostered on multiple teams (excluding the Wolves), are required to be reported to Karlie Scheifele, COO, no later than Monday May 18th (halfway through the season)
- Any multi-team players that are not reported by May 18th will not be eligible to play on multiple teams
- The list of multi-team players will be accessible to view on our website for transparency (link to be shared once names are submitted)

Top 10 Rule:

- Players in the Top 10 standings CANNOT spare UNLESS it is two Top 3 teams playing each other
- Top 10 standings will be determined by both regular and AP points combined
- If a spare is NOT in the Top 10 they can play for any team without restrictions
- *New:* Any team playing a top 3 team can pick up any spare even if in the top 10. The top 10 rule will only apply when non-top 3 teams play against each other.
 - ◆ Ex. Chicklets (5th place) play the Moose (1st place). Chicklets can pick up whoever they like but if Chicklets (5th place) are playing the Queens (7th place) then the top 10 rule is in effect.
 - ◆ The Wolves will be considered a Top 3 team

Playoff Eligibility:

- Players must have played a *minimum* of three regular season games to be eligible for playoffs (exceptions for emergency service workers/injuries are to be reported and approved to the women's board in advance of playoffs beginning).
- Rosters are locked when playoffs begin (no adding of additional/new players)
- Spares are NOT allowed in playoffs, only rostered players who have played a minimum of 3 regular season games are eligible
- Players on multiple teams are required to declare to Karlie Scheifele (COO) which team they are playing with for playoffs **before** stepping on the floor for playoffs (if in the same playoff division)
- Players on multiple teams cannot join their secondary team in playoffs if their first team gets knocked out (if in the same playoff division)
- If players on multiple teams are on teams in different playoff divisions, they can play for both teams as the teams are in separate divisions.