

## Rule 6 quiz

1) Team A's ball on their own 5 yard line, 4th and 12. Team A punts out of their own EZ. R80 makes a fair catch at K's 30 yard line. R/A elects to free kick instead of snap. Kicker K10 shanks the free kick towards the sideline. While the kick is in flight, K45 interferes with R15's opportunity to catch the ball and the ball goes out of bounds, untouched, at R's 15 yard line. What are Team R's options?

2) Dixie High School only has 13 players. In the first half, 2 players get hurt and cannot return. Late in the 3rd quarter, Dixie scores a TD to put them down 77-6 and two more players are hurt and cannot return. After a successful try, two Dixie players do the jump chest bump coming to the sideline and one comes down and breaks his ankle, leaving Dixie with 8 available players and now they have to kick off. Ruling?

Circle all available options that could be true in the following:

3) Team K kicks off from their 40 yard line. The ball is rolling on the ground when R20 at his 18 yard line intentionally kicks the ball and it goes out of bounds at the R 12. a) First and 10 for Team R at the 12. b) First and 10 for Team R at the 9. c) 15 yard penalty against Team R at the previous spot; Team K will re-kick from the R 45. d) Double foul; Team K for a free kick out of bounds and Team R for illegally kicking the ball. e) None of the above.

4) On 4th down, K45 attempts to punt the ball, but to avoid tacklers he runs three yards beyond the NZ and punts from his 33 yard line. K89 touches the ball at the 50 and R36 recovers it at his 45 yard line where he is downed. a) The ball is dead when K45 kicks it. b) Team R may elect to put the ball in play at the 50. c) Team R's ball at its 45 yard line. d) Team K will repeat 4th down following enforcement of the 5 yard penalty. e) The penalty for K45's illegal kick includes loss of down. f) The penalty is enforced from the spot of the foul. g) None of

the above.

5) On 4th and 10, K3 punts the ball toward receiver R27. After the ball hits the ground, R27 gives a fair catch signal. He is then blocked above the waist by K20, causing R27 to touch the ball. K76 recovers and is downed at Team R's 32 yard line. a) K20 has committed a kick-catching interference foul. b) First and 10 for Team K at the 32 yard line. c) K76 is guilty of first touching. d) Illegal fair catch signal by R27. e) Team R will be penalized 15 yards from the previous spot. f) The clock starts on the snap. g) None of the above.

6) Team K's free kick from their 40 yard line is untouched before it goes out of bounds at Team R's 27. During the kick a Team R player inadvertently went out of bounds and returned inbounds before the ball was dead. a) Double foul. Replay the free kick. b) No foul against Team R. c) Team R may elect to have the ball put in play at its own 35 yard, at its own 27 yard line, or have Team K re-kick following a 5 yard penalty from the previous spot. d) The clock started when the ball was kicked.

7) Team K attempts a field goal from R's 32 which is unsuccessful. The ball is rolling at the 12 yard line when K83 is the first to touch it. The ball goes out of bounds at the R 10. a) Team R's ball at the 20. b) The result of the play is Team R's ball at the 10. c) Team R could take the ball at the 12. d) Team R's ball at the previous spot, R's 32.

8) Team R's free kick line may expand into the end zone.

9) On a punt, all 11 R players give a valid fair catch signal. All of them are afforded protection but none of them may block until the kick ends.

10) It is NOT necessary to be in a scrimmage kick formation to execute a legal scrimmage kick.

11) On a free kick kicked out of bounds by K, untouched by R, R always has the 3 options of accepting a 5 yard penalty and have K rekick, decline the penalty and put the ball in play at the inbounds spot and put the ball in play 25 yards beyond the previous spot.

- 12) R may not block after he has given an invalid fair catch signal until the kick ends.
- 13) K punts on 3rd down and 25 from his 40. The kick is blocked and goes out of bounds at the K 30. Ruling: K's ball 4th and 25 from his 30.
- 14) R33 catches K's punt at the R 20 and begins to advance. As R 33 gets to the R 22, teammate R35 gives a fair catch signal at the R 25. R33 is downed at the R30. Ruling: first and ten for R at the R 20 after the 5 yard penalty.
- 15) K80 kicks off from his 40. During the kick, K38 clips R70 at the R45. R10 returns the kick for a TD. Ruling: R will obviously decline the foul and keep the score. The penalty can NOT be carried over to the try or kick off.
- 16) After the ball is marked ready and until the ball is kicked, if any K player is touching the yard line 5 yards behind K's free kick line, it is encroachment.
- 17) If K first touches a scrimmage or free kick and during the down, R touches the kick and thereafter commits a foul, the spot of first touching is canceled.
- 18) K cannot be the first to touch a free kick which is in flight.
- 19) It is legal for R to make a fair catch of a free kick in the NZ.
- 20) If R gives an illegal fair catch signal, the covering official should blow the play dead as soon as any player gains possession of the ball.
- 21) On the opening kickoff, K2 places the kicking tee and the ball at the 39 1/2 yard line. He tells the U the white yard line messes with his vision of the ball. This is legal as long as K2 kicks the ball within one step of K's free kick line.
- 22) Team K is in team possession during a kick.
- 23) K's punt is blocked and is on the ground behind the LOS where there is joint possession by opponents. The ball belongs to R, no matter if it is on 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th down.
- 24) It is a touchback if a field goal attempt touches a K player in flight in R's EZ.

25) A pop-up kick is a dead ball foul for a free kick infraction and should be blown dead immediately and penalize K 5 yards and re-kick.

26) Any K player may catch or recover any scrimmage kick while it is in or behind the neutral zone and advance.

27) K's opening kickoff goes out of bounds at the R 5 yard line. K elects to take the ball 25 yards in advance of where it was kicked. They can then add the 5 yard penalty to this spot.

28) K free kicks from his 40 and the ball goes out of bounds at the R 30. What are K options?

29) An illegal fair catch signal is a live ball foul and is a 5 yard penalty from the spot.

30) 2 R players are back to receive a punt. R45 signals for a fair catch but his teammate, R80 catches the ball and starts to advance. The BJ should sound his whistle immediately and kill the play.

31) K kicks off and the ball goes into R's EZ and out of bounds. R can get the ball at their 20 and then add the new 5 yard penalty for kick out of bounds.

32) After a series of dead ball fouls on R, K will kick off from the R 24. The ball is kicked OOB at the R 2. R can use the option of taking the ball 25 yards from where the ball was kicked.

Rule 6 Quiz Answers:

1- Multiple Foul. K will have all of the free kick out of bounds penalty options or the options for kick catching interference.

2- Forfeit. Score of the game will stand.

3- a and c

4- c and f

5- c and f

6- b and c

7- b and c

8- T

9- T

10- T

11- F

12- T

13- F

14- F

15- T

16- F

17- T

18- T

19- T

20- F

21- F

22- T

23- T

24- T

25- T

26- F

27- F

28- K has no options but, R's options are: Back K up 5 yards and re-kick. Take the ball 25 yards in advance of where it was kicked. Decline the foul and put the ball in play at the 30 or take the ball where it went OOB and accept the new five yard penalty which will give R the ball at the 35.

29- T

30- T

31- F

32- F