

Good morning!

This is a clip from a few years ago but is worth seeing again regarding a frontcourt baseline throw-in that ends up in the backcourt since I was asked about a play like this. Take a look [HERE](#).

The film does not CLEARLY show that the ball was touched by white 11, but the center official clearly gives a tipped ball signal. Remember that team control on a throw-in is used solely for fouls on the throw-in team.....so that there will be no free throws if the defensive team is in the bonus and the throw-in teams fouls before the throw-in ends.

Since white never gained player possession in the front court, he MAY recover the ball in the back court after fumbling/tipping the ball last in the front court. This may only happen when the direct pass from the thrower-in is never possessed by a teammate in the front court.

Thursday extra: Do not lax in the pregame captains meeting. The PIAA Sportsmanship message *must be read before every game at every level*. We are now in the part of the season that good teams know they are good, bad teams know they are bad and we need to make sure were are aware of everything from the time we get into the building until we leave.

Have a great game tonight!

Tim