Water Volleyball Rules

4 Person Teams
Every match consists of the best 2 out of 3 games
Scored by rally scoring (a point is scored on every serve)
Games are played to 25 points
Tie breaking games will be played to 15
All games must be won by 2 points
A coin toss will decide who serves first
The team that doesn’t serve first, will serve first in the second game
Teams must switch sides of the court every game
Each team has two time outs per game
Each team has a maximum of 3 contacts to return the ball
A ball that hits below the waist line is considered “dead”
Double-hitting is considered illegal play (two hits in a row from same person)
A ball that hits the net on a serve but still goes over is a “live” ball
A ball that is served but doesn’t clear the net is “dead”
Any contact with the net during a play is considered a foul
Anyone who intentionally interferes with a player making a play will get fouled
The server has 5 seconds to make the serve