

Kick offs

Receiving a kick off ;

you must be behind the 10 metre line (ie, 10 metres from the halfway line) if the ball lands short of this line you can play on (accepting the kick) that's totally up to you or if you leave it, then your captain can choose;

- get them to re-kick the ball to you or;
- have a scrum on halfway in the middle of the pitch with your put in.

You can have the same choices as above if the ball is kicked straight out to touch or if the ball is kicked long and goes over your try line without anyone touching it you must touch the ball down immediately (don't pick the ball up and take a few steps) once again you then have the scrum or re-kick choice.

If the ball travels over the 10 metre line in the air, from the kick off, but then is blown back, this is ok and therefore **play on**.

Your kick off;

you must be behind the kicker as he takes the kick.

- If not there will be a scrum on halfway with oppositions put in.

Remember even if the ball doesn't go 10 metres but the opponents touch the ball, **play on!**

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