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Rules and Regulations

Calgary Cup

Game Format

Teams are guaranteed **3 games**. Teams placing 1st - 4th will play a final championship game. There are **NO** consolation games.

1. U10 & U11 age groups will play 7 v 7
2. U12 age groups will play 9 v 9
3. U13 and older age groups will play 11 v 11

Duration of Games

1. U10 - U12 round robin games will be 2 – 30 min halves.
2. U13 to U19 round-robin games will be 2 – 35 min halves.

Roster Size

1. U10 – U11 maximum roster size 14
2. U12 maximum roster size 18
3. U13 – U17 maximum roster size is 20

Ball Size

1. U10 - U12 age groups – size #4
2. U13 and older age groups – size #5

The game balls are to be supplied by the home team unless the referee chooses the away team's ball as being the more satisfactory.

Goal scorers

Please make sure you mark down the proper goal scorers as there is a golden boot award at the end of the tournament



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Uniform and Equipment

Teams must wear numbered jerseys. If colors clash, the home team changes to an alternative color. The referee alone decides if the colors clash. Shin guards **MUST** be worn – players will not be permitted to play without shin guards. The wearing of rigid casts or splints will not be permitted.

Game Sheets

Game sheets will be given to the referees prior to the start of each game by staff at tournament headquarters. **Coaches must sign the game sheet** and give the referee any information they need at the end of each game.

Discipline

The Tournament Chairperson will rule over all discipline for the tournament. Expulsion from a game due to a red card, two yellow cards in one game or 3 yellow cards accumulated throughout the tournament carries an automatic one (1) game minimum suspension. Additional penalties are subject to the tournament chairperson's ruling.

Inclement Weather

Tournament organizers will determine if the fields are unsafe to play due to inclement weather. Teams are expected to check in at the field for their regular scheduled game whatever the weather conditions may be. The decision to play the game will be decided at game time.

If a game has been played more than 50% before being called, the game shall be considered complete and the score at that time shall be the official outcome of the game.

If a game cannot continue and less than 50% of the game has been played, the game will be rescheduled based on field availability. Should no fields be available, outcomes will be decided by shoot out or coin toss.

Game Results and Standing

1. Points will be awarded as follows: 3 pts for a win, 1 pt for a draw, 0 pts for a loss.



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2. For all games that must produce a winner (MONDAY final games only), penalty kicks shall be used to determine the winner, if the game is tied at the end of regulation time.

	Score			Tie Breaking Rules			Placement
	Opponent			Rule a. Total Pts	Rule b. Goal Diff.	Rule c. Goals Conceded	
	Team 1	Team 2	Team 3				
Team 1	0 pts (0-1)	3 pts (4-1)		3 pts	4-2= 2	N/A	1st
Team 2	3 pts (1-0)	0 pts (1-5)		3 pts	2-5= -3	N/A	3rd
Team 3	0 pts (1-4)	3 pts (5-1)		3 pts	6-5= 1	N/A	2nd

- a. **Previous Match Results:** The most points gained in the match(es) between the teams concerned shall be used to determine the final standings.
- b. **Goal Difference:** For any teams still tied, by deducting goals against from goals for, in the match(es) between the teams concerned. The highest goal difference shall be used to determine the final standings.
- c. **Fewest Goals Conceded:** For any teams still tied, the fewest goals conceded in the match(es) between the teams concerned, shall be used to determine the final standings.
- d. For any teams still tied (this applies if there are more than two teams who remain tied), steps one, two and three in turn shall be re-applied to the match(es) between the teams concerned to determine the final standings.
- e. For any teams still tied, methods two and three respectively shall be re-applied using goals scored and conceded in **all** games against **all** teams within the respective grouping.
- f. For any teams still tied, co-champions or equal placing shall be declared.