**Tournament Rules**

**Roster:** Teams can have maximum 11 players for 5 VS 5, 15 players for 7 VS 7, 18 players for 9 VS 9.

**Game Time:** Games 25-30 mins depending on the age group, 1 half.

**Substitution:** Substitutions are made on the fly for all age groups.

**Throw ins-** There are throw ins for all age groups but with the younger ages, the refs will not be strict with foul throws.

**Free kicks:** There are direct and indirect freekicks for all age groups

**Penalty kicks:** Penalty kicks shall be awarded if, in the referee’s opinion, a scoring opportunity was nullified by an infraction (the infraction does not automatically result in a red card).

**Slide tackling:** Players are allowed to slide tackle for all age groups.

**Forfeits:** Teams are given five minutes from scheduled game time, or from delayed start time due to unforeseen circumstances, before the referee issues a forfeit. The soccer tournament director must approve all forfeits before the game is considered an official forfeit.

**Red Cards:** Players that receive red cards will miss the rest of the game and may miss the following game on referees discretion. Team will be short for 5 mins then can put another player in.

**Standings/Playoffs:** If teams are tied in the regular games, standings will be determined in this order: Head to Head, Goal difference, Goals Forward. Goals Against, Coin toss.

**Multiple Teams:** Players can play in 2 different teams but only in 2 different age groups.

**The Tournament Committee’s interpretation of the rules is final. For any issues not covered in the above, a decision will be made by the tournament director.**