



5v5 Turkey Shoot Out - LAWS OF THE GAME

U6/U8/U12/U14 Divisions

Hosted by: FC Padre

Number of Players

Each team consists of 5 players, one of whom must be the goalkeeper (5v5), with the exception of U6 & U8 where each team will have 4 field players and **no goalie** (4v4). Any less than 4 players (U10-U14) and 3 players (U6 & U8) will be considered a forfeit. Game time is forfeit time. Only players on the roster may play. All eligible players must be listed on the roster. **No player is allowed to be rostered or play on more than one team.** Liability Waiver: All players must have a parent signature if the player is under the age of 18. <https://form.jotform.com/213004409147042>

Field Size

U6 and U8 divisions will play on a 25 yard x 35 yard field. (U8 sized field)
U10-U14 divisions will play on a 30 yard x 47 yard field. (U10 sized field)

Player Equipment

All players must wear the same colors as their teammates to distinguish themselves from other teams. Like color shirts or pennies is acceptable. If both teams are in like colors, the home team is responsible for changing. Shin guards and soccer cleats must be worn. Jersey numbers are not required. No jewelry is permitted. Bandages can not be worn over earrings. Tape can not be worn over bracelets. No hard cast, and no braces with exposed metal. Home team will supply game balls. (U6 & U8 size 3; U10 & U12 size 4; U14; size 5)

Referees

The referee is responsible for control of the games and his/her decisions regarding facts connected with play are final. All games will have one center referee.

Duration of the Game

Two day tournament (November 20th and 21st). All teams are guaranteed three games.

U6 Division: two 15 min halves; 5 min half time.
U8 Division: two 15 min halves; 5 min half time.
U10 Division: two 18 min halves; 5 min half time.
U12 Division: two 18 min halves; 5 min half time.
U14 Division: two 20 min halves; 5 min half time.

Substitutions

Substitutions, except for goalkeeper substitutions (see below) may be made on-the-fly without the referee's permission. A player must fully exit the field before the substitute enters the field. If a player entering the field touches the ball or is involved in the play before the player he/she is replacing has left the field, the substituting player will be shown a yellow card and a free kick will be awarded to the opposing team.

The Start of Play

A flip of a coin decides which team will kick off, and the "away" team will call it. The team that wins the coin-toss will get the choice of side, or kickoff. Prior to kickoff, each team must remain in their own half of the field (except for the player taking the kickoff) until the ball is in play. The defending players must be at least 8 yards from the ball during kickoff. After a goal, the team that conceded the goal will restart play with a kickoff. After halftime, the teams will change sides and the kickoff will be taken by the team that did not kickoff to start the game.

Tie Game

If the game is tied at the end of regulation, the game will be declared a tie. In the event of a tie in a final match there will be a 3-minute golden goal period of extra time. If the game is still tied at the end of extra time, the winner will be determined via a penalty shootout (kicks from the mark).

Shootouts

Shootouts will consist of 3 shooters from each team. Shooters do not have to have been on the field of play at the end of regulation or extra time to participate in the shootout. After the three shooters for each team have taken their kicks, the team with the most goals wins. In the event that the teams are tied after 3 shooters, the kicks will go 1 for 1. All players on each team must kick before any individual player kicks for a second time.

Offside

There is no offside. Unless a player is repeatedly "camping-out" or "cherry picking" in an offside position. If a player is found intentionally camping out, an indirect free kick will be awarded to the non-offending team.

Kickoffs

Kickoffs are Direct.

Ball In/Out Of Play:

Out of Bounds - KICK INS (not throw ins). A ball is considered out of play when the **ENTIRE BALL** crosses over the touch line. Restart will be by a kick in. If the team awarded the kick does not play the ball in 6 seconds, the other team will gain possession of the ball at the spot of the foul. Opposing players may approach no closer than five (5) yards. A goal **CANNOT** be scored off a kick in.

Goalkeepers

NO PUNTING IS ALLOWED. Goalkeepers can only distribute the ball via GK throws (except during a goal kick). A goal **cannot** be scored directly from a goalkeeper throw. GK throws must bounce or touch a teammate in the thrower's own half of the field, unless, before the ball has landed on the ground in the

opposing team's half of the field, the ball is touched by an opposing player. Violation of this rule will result in the opposing team being awarded a direct kick at the point the ball crossed the halfway line.

GK substitutions may only be made during a stoppage in play, and the referee must be notified of any such substitution.

Free Kicks

The referee will award a Direct Free Kick (from which a goal may be scored by the directly entering the defending team's goal) when a foul has been committed.

Defending players must be 8 yards from the ball before the kick is taken.

A player who takes a Free Kick, or puts the ball in play, may not touch the ball twice consecutively. Breaking this rule will be punished with an Indirect Free Kick for the opposing team at the point of the infraction.

Play stopped for an injury will be restarted with a dropped ball to the team last in possession, unless the ball was out of touch when play was stopped.

Penalty Kicks

A penalty kick will be given when a foul is committed by a defending player within their own penalty area. Except for the kick-taker and goalkeeper, all players must remain outside the penalty area and behind the ball until the kick is taken.

Once his/her run-up has started, the kick-taker must maintain a continuous forward motion throughout the kick.

The goalkeeper must keep at least one foot on or behind the goal line until the ball is kicked.

Corner Kicks

A corner kick will be awarded when a defending player plays the ball over their own goal line and outside the goal posts. The kick must be taken within one (1) yard of the corner of the field. **CORNER KICKS ARE DIRECT**. Defending players can be no closer than 8 yards from the ball before the kick. The attacking team must take the corner kick within 5 seconds of retrieving the ball, or the referee may award a goal kick to the defending team.

Goal Kicks

A goal kick will be awarded when an attacking player plays the ball over the goal line and outside the goal posts. The team taking the goal kick can place the ball anywhere inside the penalty area. Goal kicks are indirect.

Fouls and Infractions

Fouls: **ABSOLUTELY NO SLIDE TACKLING**. Slide tackling will result in an automatic yellow card; no verbal warning will be given. If any player commits any of the below infractions, there will be a DIRECT FREE KICK taken from the spot of the infringement. The referee shall allow play to continue when a team that has suffered the foul will benefit from such an advantage, and shall penalize the original offense if the anticipated advantage does not ensue at that time. It is considered a foul, and a Direct Free Kick is awarded to the opposing team, if a player commits any of the following offenses in a manner considered by the referee to be careless, reckless or using excessive force: Kick or trip an opponent; Grab, hold, push, charge or intentionally obstruct an opponent; Touch the ball intentionally with the hand or arm. This does not apply to the goalkeeper in his/her own area, if there is no intention of touching the ball with hand or arm. Any foul committed by the defending team within their own penalty area will be punished by a PENALTY KICK.

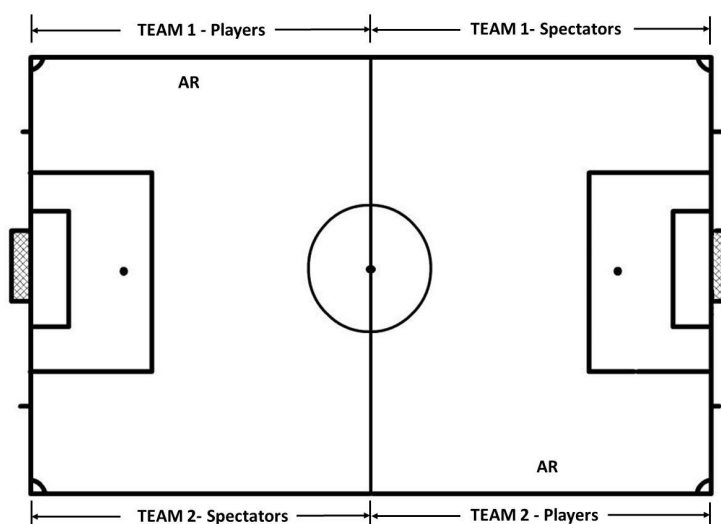
Yellow Cards: The referee shall show a Yellow Card when a player; Commits a serious foul in the interpretation of the referee; Shows by act or word, disagreement with the referee's decision; Shows lack of sportsmanship; Commits an infraction during a free kick or during a kickoff; and/or Enter the field during a substitution before the player being replaced has entirely left the field.. **The player shall be suspended for two (2) minutes and the team of the penalized player will continue to play without a replacement until the two-minute period is over, as notified by the referee.** Suspension will be served in the "Sin-Bin" located at mid-court on the "team" sideline. The two-minute penalty will carry over from one period to the next.

Red Cards: The referee shall show a Red Card when a player: Receives a second yellow card in one game; Intentionally denies with a foul an obvious goal scoring opportunity to an opponent without making an attempt to play the ball; Is guilty of serious foul play; Is guilty of violent conduct; and/or uses offensive, insulting or abusive language. The player shall be sent off the field without being able to reenter the match and shall also be denied participation in the subsequent match, including the final round of competition (finals). The penalized team shall continue to play WITHOUT a replacement for the remainder of the match. The referee will report the reason why the player was ejected to the High School Cup Committee for possible additional sanctions.

Unsportsmanlike Behavior off the Field: If a substitute player, coach or team delegate commits a seriously aggressive act or offends any spectator or participant of the game (i.e., the referees, players, members of the High School Cup Committee), the referee shall show him/her a Red Card. He/she must leave the field vicinity. The individual's name and reason for suspension will be reported to the High School Cup Committee for possible additional sanctions. When play is stopped for unsportsmanlike behavior by a spectator, restart will be by an uncontested dropped ball to the team last in possession. If play is stopped for unsportsmanlike behavior by a team member, the non-offending team will be awarded a direct free kick where the infraction took place.

Spectators

Spectators will sit on the same side as the team. See map below:



No games will be protested after the completion of the game. The referee and tournament directors will have the final say on any disputes and will treat each situation in the fairest and most logical way.