

SOUTH OKANAGAN YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION PEACH CITY CLASSIC 2009

TOURNAMENT RULES AND INFORMATION

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TEAM REGISTRATION

- Friday evening – **1:00 - 9:00pm** at King's Park clubhouse, 550 W. Eckhardt Avenue - Penticton
- Pick up welcome packages.
- Please leave a contact phone number while staying in Penticton in case there are any schedule changes.
- Pick up Peach T Shirt pre-orders
- Name tag for Head Coach, Asst. Coach and Manager will be included in coaches' package. Name tags will indicate to Referees that you have official status and may be on the side with your team.

HEADQUARTERS

-Official Headquarters will be at King's Park, 550 W. Eckhardt Avenue.

Contacts: (Tournament Coordinators)

Peter Ruocco cell: 250- 460 0133

Karen Speijer cell: 250- 460- 0906

- There will be someone on duty throughout the tournament to assist you if needed.
- Field Marshals will be available at all other fields to assist you.
- Results of all games are on master scoreboard at King's Park.

TOURNAMENT GAMES

- For ages U-12 8 vs. 8 -- half field -- game times will be - 2 halves of 30 minutes.
- For ages U-13 to U-18 game times will be - 2 halves of 35 minutes.

NUMBER OF PLAYERS

- Some teams may have more than 18 players on their team. Only 18 players may dress for each game.

GAME SHEETS

-Teams do not need to complete game sheets. The Referees will complete the game sheet and hand in to the Field Marshall immediately after the game.

SCORING

a) WIN: 3 points

b) TIE: 1 point

c) No bonus points for goals nor for a shut-out

d) 3 points will be awarded for a forfeited game (team does not show)

e) **NO POINTS** will be awarded if neither team appears for the game

f) In the case of a game being called "forfeit" by Referee - score will be recorded as 1 - 0 = 3 points (the team that caused this call is given "0").

g) If top teams are tied, the tie breaker will be:

- 1) match result between tied teams (not applicable if 3 or more teams)
- 2) goal differential up to maximum of 5/game (G for minus G against)
- 3) Most goals scored (based on #2 above- 5 goal differential per game)
- 4) Least goals against
- 5) Penalty kicks

- In a **Champion Match**: if teams are still tied after regulation time, then there will be 2 x 5 minute overtime periods played until the first team scores (Golden Goal). If the teams are still tied, the match will be decided by penalty kicks per FIFA laws.

SUBSTITUTIONS — Pinnies must be worn by players on sideline.

- Substitutions are considered to be unlimited but must be made with Referee's permission.
- Subs must kneel at center line and wait until players be subbed have left the field.

SPECTATORS

- Parents must be on the opposite side of playing field as coach and players.
- No parent must coach from the spectator side or criticize the officiating.
- After your game, please leave the field clean of debris. There are recycling and garbage bins at all fields.
- No one is allowed to stand behind goal lines. No one is allowed to coach from spectator side of field.

UNIFORM COLORS

- Home Teams (listed first) are responsible for providing alternate uniforms or pinnies if the teams have the same color.
- Goaltenders must also wear a different color.

OFFICIALS

- Every effort is made to supply competent Referees and Linesmen.
 - Referee's decisions are **Final**.
 - **If the days are HOT, please discuss with Referee before the start of the game that you request a 1 minute break half way through the 1st half and half way through the 2nd half for a water break. Players may not leave the field.**
 - A player receiving a red card will automatically be suspended from the next game. The incident will be reported to the Tournament Committee for further consideration.
 - Players accumulating 2 yellow cards in one game will automatically be suspended from the team's next game.
 - Players accumulating 3 yellow cards in 3 different games must sit out their next game.
 - Penalty for playing a suspended player is forfeiture of the game. (1-0 score)
 - Abuse of officials (verbal or physical) will not be tolerated. This applies to players, coaches, parents and team supporters. Referee has the right to request any abuser to the officials during the game to leave the field – if this is not obeyed, Referee will call the game a forfeit and the other team will be given a 1 – 0 score. Doesn't matter how much or how little time is left in the game.
 - There will be no time added on due to injury or substitutions. Referees shall exercise discretion on a long delay. (There is not a lot of time between games).
- Please do not have coaches or parents throw water bottles onto field during game.**

PROTESTS

- **Cost is \$ 100.00.** Protest must be made to **TOURNAMENT HEADQUARTERS** within 1 hour of the incident.

PRESENTATIONS

- All presentation of awards will be made at **Kings Park**. The age groups for these presentations are included in your Coaches packages as well as being posted on website.
- These presentations will take place immediately following the final game in each age group. Please have your team Manager check in at the Field Marshall Tent to advise us that your team is present. Some teams have departure times to make - so please attend to the presentation at the appropriate Field Marshalling Tent asap.
- NO perpetual trophies will be presented. However, there will be medals presented to the first, second and third place teams.

FIRST AID

- Please bring your own First Aid kit. Field Marshals will have a cell phone and extra supplies if needed.

SOUVENIR T-SHIRTS

- will be available at Field Marshall Tents at Pen Hi, Maggie, Dale Meadows and Kings Park.

LOST AND FOUND

- Please turn in all items found to the field Marshall. At the end of the day, it will be taken to HEADQUARTERS at Kings Park