

Rotary 3 vs. 3 Tournament

Policies, Rules and Scoring

3 Players on the field at a time.

Games are two 10 minute half's. With a two minute half time break.

Pitch: 20 yards by 40 Yards. Goals: 2 feet by 3 feet tall

Kick off from center spot, ball may be played back.

Substitution on any dead ball.

All out of bounds are taken as kicks. Ball must be stopped and on the line.

All kicks are direct.

Opponents must be 4 yards away from all restarts

You must be in your offensive half to score.

Balls over end line, Corner or goal kicks.

You may not defend in the arc (4 yard radius from center of goal (Goal counts if defender in the arc stops ball on the way to goal).

You may not score from inside the arc.

No offside.

No slide tackling allowed.

Minor Fouls committed close to arc will be moved 4 yards away from arc.

Time wasting, Swearing and major foul's in the offensive half, will result in a penalty kick from the half way line to the opposing team. All players must be behind the ball.

Scoring

- 6 Points for a win
- 3 Point for a tie
- 1 points for a shutout (0-0 tie equals 4 points)
- 1 point for each goal (maximum 3 points per game)
- 10 points maximum per game

Tie breaker

- Winner of head to head
- Winner of most games
- Goal differential (goals scored minus goals against) with a maximum of 3 goals differential per game.
- Fewest goals allowed
- Kicks from centerline.
- A forfeit in play will result in a 3-0 score

Championship games.

- Two 5 minutes half's followed by two 2 minute extra time.
- Followed by the best of three kicks from half way line
- Followed by individual kicks until a winner is declared

- **Protests**
- The Tournament Director's decision is final and no protests will be entertained.
- **Registration**
- On a first come basis until a bracket is filled. Places will be held to try and fill a new bracket.
- May use two guest players per team. Players registered on teams at the same age level and competitive division as the team on which they wish to guest, including teams from their own club.
- Maximum of 4 players on a team
- Players may only register on one team.
- Groupings: We reserve the right to combine age groups dependent on the total number of teams in a particular age division. Parity of competition will be a priority when scheduling. Teams will be notified if this occurs.
- Eight and six team bracket: the top two seeds overall play in final round.
- Fees are non –refundable if games are cancelled for any reason.
- **Check- in Procedure:** should be done half hour prior to team's first game. A team representative will need to present team roster (on flier) & USSF player's passes.
- Teams must immediately reschedule any league games that may conflict with this event.
- No score will be kept for the U-10's. Every U-10 will get a participant ribbon.
- We require out-of-state, non-MYSA affiliated teams to submit written proof of permission to travel 15 days in advance of the Tournament.
- Non USYS soccer teams must show proof of insurance.
- All referees will be USSF registered, one per field operating off the pitch.
- The issuance of red and yellow cards and other matters involving the conduct of a team, its players, coaches or supporters will be recorded and reported as required by *US Youth Soccer Tournament Hosting Agreement Rules* to the home state association and MYSA.
- Detroit Lakes Youth Soccer Association is a tobacco, drug and alcohol free organization, please help us protect the youth by abiding by this policy.

Weather

In the event of severe weather such as Lightning and Line Storms it is important that all games are suspended and that all players are removed from the open fields.

The Tournament Director will signal to all games in progress that the games have been suspended. The nearest safe public building is Central Market which is located on Highway 10 half a mile from the fields. All players and parents should make their way to this location. When the weather has passed the games will be resumed, check on every half hour to see if the games will be played.

Tournament Director will be in touch with the National Weather Broadcasting Station to make sure that it is safe to resume play.

In the case of extreme heat MYSA guidelines will be followed for field players using the onsite heat index gauge.