



AREA 1B 2008 FALL LEAGUE TOURNAMENT

Held January 10-11, 2009
At Ayala Park, CHINO and Community Park, CHINO HILLS



Welcome to the Area 1B Fall League tournament. These guidelines will apply to all competition in this tournament.

All coaches MUST have in their possession at all times the properly completed and signed ("wet ink" signature) for each player. All players must play at least half of each game, or three quarters of each game if is what your Region requires.

The tournament will be in pool play format. The six divisions participating in this competition will advance as follows:

ALL Divisions U10, U12 and U14 - Everyone plays 2 games in pool, ONLY first place finishers in each pool move to the semi-finals. U10 will play 7 v 7 format, U12 will play 9 v 9 and U14 will play normal 11 v 11 format.
Ties will stand in pool play games.

Awards will be given to first through fourth place teams in all divisions.

Determination of winners in the pool play portion will be made using a 9 point maximum system:

- WIN = 6 points
- TIE = 3 points
- +1 point for each goal scored up to three goals (max of 3 goal points per game) No points for shut-outs.
- Forfeited games will be given a score of 1-0 giving 7 pts for the winning team.
- Tie games will stand in pool play.
- -1 point for each red card sending off... for each player, substitute or coach.

Tie Breakers:

In the event of a tie at the completion of pool play, final standings in the pool will be determined by the following Tie Breakers:

- 1st - Head to Head
- 2nd - Fewest Red Cards
- 3rd - Fewest goals against
- 4th - Goal Differential (max 3 per game)
- 5th - If still tied – Kicks from the Mark. (If teams are still present, shots will be taken as quickly as possible; otherwise Kicks from the Mark will take place at 7:30 AM Sunday morning - field to be determined)

Length of Play:

All games will be full length games. In pool play games TIES WILL STAND. In Semi and Final games if the game ends in a tie, due to the lack of time, the winner will immediately be determined by standard Kicks from the Mark.

GAMES:

All games will be of normal duration for pool play, semi- and final matches. ALL games must be played. A 15 minute grace period will be allowed from the scheduled start time of the game. If game starts late because a team did not arrive in time, equal time will be taken off each half. Teams should be at the field and ready to play regardless of the weather conditions at least 45 minutes prior to the scheduled start time. If a team does not show up in time and ready to play, a winning score of 1-0 will be posted for the team that was ready to play.

ANY SITUATION NOT COVERED BY THESE GUIDELINES WILL REVERT BACK TO THE AREA 1B GUIDELINES CURRENTLY ACTIVE. (The current guidelines are available in the field folder or on line at <http://www.aysoarea1b.org/documents/AREA1BGUIDELINES.pdf>.)

The Area Director/Tournament Director has final decision in all matters regarding this competition.

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