

2019 Winter Challenge 4v4 Soccer Tournament Rules

- 4 players per team on the field (no goalkeepers); max roster of 8 players.
- Substitution on the fly
- 16 minute halves (running clock with no timeouts); 2 min half time
- Goals may only be scored from the offensive half of the field.
- Players may not head the ball, result indirect free kick.
- No offsides
- No slide tackles when opponent has possession of ball – direct kick
- One adult per team on the sideline
- All players must wear shin guards
- Kick-ins from sidelines (indirect kick) - No throw-ins
- Goal kicks (indirect kick) may be taken anywhere on the end line.
- Opponents at least 10 feet from ball on free kicks, kick-ins, goal kicks & corner kicks
- Direct Kick Fouls – hand ball, pushing, striking, kicking, holding, pushing, and tripping
- 2 Minute Player Advantage Penalty for Yellow Card offense – penalty shall end if goal is scored by team with player advantage.
- Point system: 3 points for win, 1 point for tie, 0 points for loss
- Tie breaker Criteria (if 2 teams are tied in total points):
 1. head to head competition
 2. most goals scored (max. 5 per game)
 3. least goals allowed
 4. penalty kicks
- Field dimensions: Wide: 17 yards Length: 23 yards • Four 4'X6' Goals

No foul/abusive language by player/fans will be tolerated

