



League Regulations

Games will occur weekly.

FIFA Futsal Rules apply in all league games.

Please read the FIFA Futsal Laws of the Game carefully.

Edition 2014/15 FIFA Rules is our current rulebook.

Games shall be played with the following game length and regulations:

- 5 vs 5 (four field players plus a goal keeper)
- Two equal periods of 18-20 minutes; clock will not be stopped whenever the ball is out of play for both halves. However, time will be stopped when either team is taking a penalty kick, whether is due to a 5 foul accumulation or foul in the goalkeeper's area.
- No 30-second time-out is permitted.
- 2-3 minute half time period during regular play.
- In the case of playoff overtime:
 - No golden goal.
 - Two equal periods of 5 minutes; clocked stopped whenever the ball is out of play for both halves.

Moving on to playoff...

In the case of 6 or less team registrations, top 2 advance to a direct championship match.

In the case of 7+ teams registration, top 4 advances to playoffs.

In the case of 16+ teams registration, top 6 advances to playoffs.

In the case of 24+ teams registration, top 8 advances to playoffs.

UNIFORMS

All teams are responsible for 2 complete sets of uniforms in case of color similarity.

All players must wear identical team jerseys (with numbers), shorts, and socks.

In the case of a player wearing different color socks and/or shorts, or different jersey; that player will be asked to leave the pitch until proper apparel is worn.

All jerseys must be numbered.

ROSTER(S)/PLAYERS

Team roster must consist with a minimum of 8 players and maximum of 12.

Players shall be registered to a single team during the entire season.

Players registered to a certain team may not be loaned to any other team during season.

All players must be 16 years of age or older for adult divisions.

Player with the age of 16 and 17 must signed a parenteral release waiver form.

Players will need to submit their full names, address, birthdays, emails, and waiver forms.

Final roster must be submitted by the 3rd league game.

All teams must have a head coach (manager) and assistant coach present at all times during all league games.

VENUES

All futsal courts must be properly marked.

In the case of a gym without actual futsal court marked lines; we need to work together to best decide which lines to use for any futsal match.

Courts must meet the FIFA Futsal minimum requirements (outside or inner courts).

The referee will determine the playability of courts.

If a field is declared not playable due to unexpected weather or other unforeseeable reasons and games cannot be played, the game will be rescheduled.

GAME DAY PROCEDURES

The grace period for minimum number of players to be on the field is 5 minutes after the scheduled start time.

A team must start a game with a minimum of 3 players - no exceptions.

Players must be on the field and ready to play before the end of the grace period or the game will be declared a 3 – 0 forfeit.

Please refer to more details below.

If a team fails to appear, the referee shall check in the attending players against their roster.

A game report will be submitted and the absent team will be subject to forfeiture.

In the case of a "no show"; the club must cover both game fees.

Please refer to more details below.

REFEREES

Antonio Ponce, will manage all referees assigned to all Toque's league games.

Referees will dress in appropriate referee attire and be certified under the Toque Referee Program.

1-2 referees will be assigned to all locations by Antonio and Toque's administration.

Both teams must submit referee payment prior to every league game kickoff.

REFEREE GAME RESPONSIBILITIES:

Check player's equipment: futsal shoes, shin guards, and uniform requirements.

Check that each player on the roster sheet is permitted to play.

Referees shall be familiar with and understand all Toque and FIFA Rules and Regulations of the game.

Referees shall know the length of the game, halftime, substitution rules, etc.

Toque expects referees to be neutral and impartial with all calls.

Referees are required to legibly print their name and sign the game report.

Cautioned and ejected players shall have their names and numbers recorded by the referee on the game report.

Referee will be the sole judge on the field of play and all decisions are final.

No protests based on referee judgment will be allowed.

Any complaint about a referee shall be submitted to Toque's administration via email.

Complaints will only be accepted from the coach or manager of the team participating in the game at issue.

Any complaints must be emailed to lui@toquefutsal.com

All referees interested in managing Toque's league games must go through Referee Certified Course prior to managing any league game. Please contact Antonio at (562) 319-7507 for more information regarding our certified course.

CONDUCT: FORFEITS/SUSPENSIONS/FINES

If a team forfeits a game without properly managing the situation ("no show"), forfeiting team must pay both game fees prior to their next game.

Properly managing the situation means giving us, Toque or league director, a call 2 days prior to game time, notifying us that you cannot attend that given day and time. Toque will then reschedule the game accordingly.

If a team has a 2nd forfeit without properly managing the situation ("no show"), the team will be dismissed from the league.

A coach dismissed/sent-off by the referee will automatically be ineligible to participate in the next scheduled season game with his/her team.

Coaches do not need to be shown a red card to be considered "dismissed" or "sent-off"

It is the responsibility of the coach and/or manager to insure that the dismissed, sent-off coach sits out.

First Dismissal/Send-off = 1 game suspension

Second Dismissal/Send-off = 3 game suspension

Third Dismissal/Send-off = League Suspension

Violent Conduct by a Coaching Staff/Managers (Conduct detrimental to the game), such as:

- Physical contact with a Referee, Assistant Referee, Player or Coach
- Any racial verbiage, excessive use of profanity or verbal abuse
- Threatening behavior
- Spitting
- Court, at a person, or anything/anyone related to the game.
- Fighting

First Offense = 4 game suspension includes playoff if applicable

Second Offense = Dismissal from league

All verbal or physical assaults are to be reported to the Toque's administration in writing by the opposing team manager and referees.

The coach must be out of sight and sound prior to, during and after the games in which he or she is suspended.

Violent Conduct by a Player (Conduct detrimental to the game), such as:

- Physically striking another Player, Referee, Assistant Referee or Coach
- Any racial verbiage, excessive use of profanity or verbal abuse
- Threatening behavior
- Spitting
- Court, at a person, or anything/anyone related to the game.
- Fighting

A player ejected from a game for Violent Conduct will be suspended as follows:

First Offense = 3 game suspension.

Second Offense = Dismissal from league

A player ejected by the Referee for all other non-violent conduct infractions will be automatically ineligible to participate in the next scheduled game with his or her team. It is the responsibility of the Coach and/or Manager to insure that the ejected player sits out.

First Offense = 1 game suspension

Second Offense = 3 game suspension

Third Offense = Dismissal from league

THINGS TO KNOW

Winning team will be awarded by Toque.

Toque is solely a beneficiary and is in no way liable or responsible for any injuries (player, coach, referee or prospects) and costs associated with the injury, and missing of personal belongings.

APPLICATIONS

Please consider the following before applying:

1. Must identify a minimum of 8 players
2. Show commitment to the season

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