



18th Annual Presidents' Day Classic February 16-19, 2024



Game Format:

10U Divisions

Three periods, each 12 minutes in length with stop clock

12U, 14U, 16U, 19U, Womens Divisions

Three periods, each 15 minutes in length with stop clock

Penalties:

Minor: 1:00 minutes

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Minor: 1:30 minutes

Major: 4:00 minutes

Misconduct: 8:00 minutes

Any player who receives a major penalty under the guidelines of USA Hockey rules, i.e., fighting, spearing, kicking, etc. will automatically be ejected from the game in which the infraction occurs, plus the next game. In the event the major penalty occurs during the player's last game, the Tournament coordinators will notify his team's respective league for further ruling.

Penalty Rules

All USA Hockey Rules will be enforced.

Any player receiving a total of 4 penalties in a game will be ejected from the game and assessed a Game Misconduct and must serve the Game Misconduct during the next game.

Regulations:

All games will start following a 2 minute warm-up. This will ensure that all games start and end on time. If the game scheduled before yours ends early, you must be prepared to start yours at **least 30 minutes** before your scheduled start time.

There is one time out per team per game in this tournament.

There is no red line. Two line passes are legal. The red line is used for icing purposes only.

In the event of a 6-goal spread going into the 3rd, or at any time during the 3rd period, the clock will be running time. If the spread goes to less than six goals, then the clock will go back to stop time.

5 Point Scoring System

Period Points: *1 point for winning - .5 point for a Tie*

Point Structure: *2 points for a Win - 1 point for a Tie*

In the event of a tie by 2 teams, the following tiebreaker will apply:

1. Points
2. Wins
3. Head to Head (This tie breaker does not apply if more than two teams are tied)
4. Fewest Goals against
5. Fewest penalty minutes
6. Coin Toss

Both Round Robin and Consolation games can end in tie. All playoff games are played until the winner with rules as follows.

Overtime in Championship Rounds

If the teams are still tied at the end of regulation play, overtime will be played to declare a winner.

1. Overtime will be 3 on 3 in period lengths of 5 minutes.
2. Penalties: Offending team will place the player in the penalty box. Non offending team will add 1 skater (power play-4 on 3).
3. When the penalty has expired, the penalized player will rejoin the play and both sides will play 4 on 4 until a stoppage in play.
4. Teams will return to 3 on 3 at the first stoppage of play.
5. After 5 minute overtime teams play a 5 player shootout until the winner is declared.

Coaches and Managers

You are responsible to control your players and parents to ensure that each game is played safely, with no vulgar language or harmful infractions displayed. Team management is responsible for any damages caused by their kids to Arena facilities.