



# **FOOTBALL**

# **Rules and Regulations**

#### **General Rules**

- Wearing of any form of visible jewellery (including watches) is not permitted during play.
- Game consists of two 15 minutes halves, with a 2 minute interval. Extra time will only be awarded due to a stop in play for injury. Final will be played of two 20 minutes halves, with a 5 minute interval.
- Teams will consist of a minimum of 5 and a maximum of 8 players.
- There will be 5 active players and 3 rolling substitutes.
- There are nooffside.
- Referee decision will be the final one.

### Goalkeeper

- Goalkeeper cannot use hands during play.
  - If a goalkeeper uses hand within the box, penalty will be awarded to the opposition.
- Goalkeeper can use hands only during the penalties.

### Out of play

- If a ball goes out of play through side lines, kick in will be awarded to the opposition (no throw-ins). In this case, a player cannot score direct goal.
- If the defending team last touches the ball and it crosses the goal line (and not scoring an own goal), the opposite team gets to kick the ball from the corner of the field
- If the offensive team last touches the ball before it crosses the goal line, the goalie gets to kick the ball from the goal box.

#### **Free Kicks**

- The opposition players must be a minimum of 2m away from the ball.
- The player taking the free kick may shoot for goal directly.
- The player cannot pass the ball to himself and continue the play; he must pass to a team mate.

#### Qualifying

- □ League matches will be played and the top 2 teams of league will qualify for finals.
- 3 points will be awarded to winners and 0 to losers. If a match draws 1 point will be awarded to each team.
- Standings will be decided on the basis of points earned, if two teams have same points than team with more goal difference will be given preference.
- If two or more teams have the same points and the same goal difference, the team
  which has scored the higher number of goals will finish higher.

