

#### **DEL NORTE HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONS CUP RULES**

### Dates:

- Saturday, December 6<sup>-</sup> (Bracket play)
- Saturday, December 20: (Bracket play/Finals)

## **Locations:**

Del Norte High School (Stadium, 3 back new turf fields)

**Games:** Each team is guaranteed 3 games. All games will be 30-minute halves.

### Format:

- Junior Varsity: 12 teams, 3 brackets of 4 teams. Winner of each bracket A vs Wildcard, Winner of each bracket B vs Winner of Bracket C advances.
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- Junior Varsity 2: 4 teams, top 2 teams advance to Final
- Freshman Cup Flight, 12 teams, 4 brackets of 3 teams. Winner of each bracket A vs Winner of Bracket B advances, Winner of each bracket C vs Winner of Bracket D advanced.

# **Scoring:**

- Three (3) points = WIN
- One (1) point = TIE
- Zero (0) points = LOSS
- -1 point for each ejection (player/coach)
- A 0-0 tie will be scored as 1 points for each team.

<u>Tie Breaker:</u> Any tie in total points between teams at the end of pool play will be resolved on the following basis:

- 1. The winner in head to head competition
- 2. Fewest goals against
- 3. Most goals scored up to a maximum of four (4) per game
- 4. Most wins
- 5. Most shut-outs
- 6. Coin Toss

<u>Home team:</u> The home team will be the team whose name appears first for each game on the game schedule. The home team will be required to wear dark jerseys as stated by CIF and will provide game balls.

<u>Tie matches:</u> (Semi-Final or Championship matches) If a semi-final or championship game ends in a tie at the end of regulation play there will be a single (15) minute overtime with the first team scoring (golden goal) being deemed the winner. If that OT period ends in a tie, a winner will be determined by kicks from the spot. (Penalty kicks)

### **Shoot-out format:**

- Five (5) players from each team will be selected to take the penalty shots.
- Any player on the roster may participate in the shoot-out even if she was not playing at the end of regulation.
- Player's red carded during the game or ineligible to play from a previous red card may not participate.
- The teams will alternate taking shots. After 5 shots from each team, the team with the most goals will be declared winner.
  - Should the match remain tied, a "sudden death" shoot-out will take place with each team alternating turns until a winner is declared. At least ten (10) different players from each team must take a turn shooting before any player from a team can take a second penalty shot.