
Patriot Cup Rules

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Below are the rules for the Patriot Cup tournament. If you have any questions, please contact Matt Bryant at 760-521-9210

Schedule

Schedule and results are available [here](#)

OFFICIALS

CIF approved

GAME BALLS

Provided by the home team

UNIFORMS

Home team is listed first (dark kit), visitors (light kit). Home team changes in case of conflict.

ON-TIME STARTS

Teams failing to report, ready to play, within 5 minutes of kickoff will forfeit the match. Late starts due to the teams involved can result in the match being shortened.

GAME LENGTHS

Pool Play

All levels: 60 minute games, 5 minute halftimes

Playoffs

Varsity

-Semi-finals: 70 minute games, no overtime, go directly to PKs

-Finals: 80 Minute games, no overtime, go directly to PKs

JV/Frosh

-Semis/finals: 70 minute games, no overtime, go directly to PKs

-All consolation games are 60 minute games, no overtime, no PKs

CIF wants to remind all coaches that any game that ends in a tie at the end of regulation and goes to penalty kicks, is to be recorded as a win or a loss on CIF Home. When a winner is determined for advancement in a tournament there is a winner and a loser and the game is not to be recorded as a tie.

REPORTING SCORES

Both coaches are responsible for reporting their scores to the tournament director immediately following the match.

Director: Seth Tunick, 619-674-8932

POOL SCORING

Win = 6 points

Tie = 2 points

Goal = 1 point (up to 3 goals)

Shutout = 1 point

Red Card = -1 point (officials must report red cards immediately to the tournament director)

0-0 tie will be scored as 3 points for each team (2 for tie, 1 for shutout)

A forfeit will be recorded as a 3-0 loss

TIE BREAKERS

If overall points tie in pool play, advancement will be based on:

Head to head competition

Fewest goals allowed

Goal Differential

Goals Scored

Coin toss

RESPONSIBILITIES

Disputes and protests are settled by the Tournament Director and all decisions are final. Referee decisions are not protestable. Head coaches are responsible for the conduct of their coaches, players, and supporters.

Rosters must be presented to the officials prior to kickoff.

AWARDS

Championship trophies awarded to the winning team at the end of the final game.