

2017 ODSC Rules for House League U8 Competition:

Rules: Ontario Soccer Laws of Small Sided Game

As Revised March 2017 – these are found at:

[http://assets.ngin.com/attachments/document/0113/0266/Small Sided Laws of the Game - 2017 .pdf](http://assets.ngin.com/attachments/document/0113/0266/Small_Sided_Laws_of_the_Game_-_2017_.pdf)

This link is on Reftown and ODSC website.

Games: Saturday Mornings - start at 9:00 - Kitchener Park: Field E

of Players: 5 vs 5 (including keeper)

Length of Game: 20 Minute halves plus a 5 minute break at halftime

Records: No standings, results or scores are kept as per Ontario Soccer Long Term Player

Development (LTPD) – (referees will record scoring on the field for officiating purposes only).

Starts and Restarts:

- Before Kick off: choose ends to start by flipping coin with coaches as set out in the *Small Sided Laws* (above).
- Kick off as set out in the *Small Sided Laws* (above).
- Kick ins not throw-ins; players kick ball into play. (Note: goal cannot be scored from a kick-in.)
- Goal Kicks: To be taken from anywhere within the Penalty Area (i.e. “18-yd area”)
- Retreat Line is used for goal kick and keeper handling the ball:

Note: Attacking players retreat to their own ½ and wait for “second touch” (attackers stay behind retreat line until first kick by kicking team is played by a second player). If first kick crosses the retreat line, game on....

Note: Keeper may put ball in play faster and does not have to wait for players to clear ½. Players should be encouraged to that the first kick in the “flow of play” and not allow the first kick to come to a stop. BUT referees should not further stop play if this happens.

Encourage them to play on.....

- Corner Kicks as set out in the Laws (as per *Small Sided Laws* above)
- Foul committed outside the penalty area is always indirect free kicks.
- Foul in the Penalty Area is a Penalty kick (and penalty spot is 9 m. from the goal line).
- No offside but players should be discouraged from staying by the opponents’ net.

Added NOTES:

- Players receive equal playing time which is managed by coaches.
- Players who are “off the field” & not playing should return to the team technical area (“bench area”) and both teams should be on the same side of the field.
- Parents or other spectators should watch from opposite side of the field.
- Emphasis in these divisions is on fun and fair play. Please keep negative comments to yourself.

2017 ODSC Rules for House League U10 Competition

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This link is on Reftown and ODSC website.

Games: Saturday Mornings - start at 8:45 - Kitchener Park: Field F1, F2 and C

of Players: 7 vs 7 (including keeper)

Length of Game: 25 Minute halves plus a 5 minute break at halftime

Records: No standings, results or scores are kept as per Ontario Soccer Long Term Player Development (LTPD) – (referees will record scoring on the field for officiating purposes only).

Starts and Restarts:

- Before Kick off: choose ends to start by flipping coin with coaches, as set out in the *Small Sided Laws* (above).
- Kick off as set out in the *Small Sided Laws* (above).
- Throw-ins as per Laws (Not Kick-ins). Retake of bad throw at referee's discretion.
- Goal Kicks: To be taken from anywhere within the Penalty Area (i.e. "18-yd area")
- Retreat Line is used for goal kick and keeper handling the ball:

Note: Attacking players retreat to their own ½ and wait for "second touch" (attackers stay behind retreat line until first kick by kicking team is played by a second player). If first kick crosses the retreat line, game on....

Note: Keeper may put ball in play faster and does not have to wait for players to clear ½. Players should be encouraged to that the first kick in the "flow of play" and not allow the first kick to come to a stop. BUT referees should not further stop play if this happens. Encourage them to play on.....

- Corner Kicks as set out in the Laws (as per *Small Sided Laws* above)
- Foul committed outside the penalty area is always indirect free kicks.
- Foul in the Penalty Area is a Penalty kick (and penalty spot is 9 m. from the goal line).
- No offside but players should be discouraged from staying by the opponents' net.

Added NOTES:

- Players receive equal playing time which is managed by coaches.
- Players who are "off the field" & not playing should return to the team technical area ("bench area") and both teams should be on the same side of the field.
- Parents or other spectators should watch from opposite side of the field.
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2017 ODSC Rules for House League U12 Competition

Rules: Will be the 9v9 game – FIFA Laws of the Game as modified by Ontario Soccer Guideline.

LOTG: http://www.canadasoccer.com/files/Laws_of_the_Game_2016_17_English.pdf

9 v 9 Differences guideline is at:

<http://assets.ngin.com/attachments/document/0113/0267/Differences-Between-9v9-To-11v11-Games-2015.pdf>

Games: Saturday Mornings: at 10:00 - Kitchener Park: F1 and F2

Players: 9 vs 9 including keeper

30 Minute halves plus 5 minute break at halftime

Records: No standings, results or scores are kept as per Ontario Soccer Long Term Player Development (LTPD) – (referees will record scoring on the field for officiating purposes only).

- Before game: choose ends with coin flip and team captains.
- Corner Kicks as per Laws
- Throw-ins: as per Laws. Retake of bad throw at referee's discretion.
- Goal Kicks: To be taken from anywhere within the Goal Area (i.e. "6-yd area")
- No retreat line but attacking players to clear the Penalty Area when keeper has the ball.
- Free kicks outside the penalty area, are always indirect free kicks.
- Penalty kick is awarded for penal offences committed inside the penalty area. (The penalty spot is 9 m. from the goal line.)
- Offside will be enforced

Added NOTES

- Players receive equal playing time which is managed by coaches.
- Players who are "off the field" & not playing should return to the team technical area ("bench area") and both teams should be on the same side of the field.
- Parents or other spectators should watch from opposite side of the field.
- Emphasis in these divisions is on fun and fair play. Please keep negative comments to yourself.

2017 ODSC Rules for House League U13 - 16

Rules: Will be regular FIFA Laws of the Game administered for a recreational house league for youth players of this age.

LOTG: http://www.canadasoccer.com/files/Laws_of_the_Game_2016_17_English.pdf

Numbers of players: could be up to 11 v11 but may have to be modified given numbers that show up

Games: Fridays 6:30 - Mini Fields at West Orillia Recreation Area (WOSC)

Restarts:

- Corner Kicks as per Laws
- Throw-ins as per Laws. Retake of bad throw at referee's discretion.
- Goal Kicks: To be taken from anywhere within the Goal Area (i.e. "6-yd area")
No retreat line but attacking players to clear the Penalty Area when keeper has the ball.
- Free kicks outside the penalty area are direct or indirect according to the LOTG .
- Penalty kick is awarded for penal offences committed inside the penalty area.
- Offside will be enforced

Added NOTES :

- Players receive equal playing time which is managed by coaches.
- Players who are "off the field" & not playing should return to the team technical area ("bench area") and both teams should be on the same side of the field.
- Parents or other spectators should watch from opposite side of the field.
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