

Weatherford Soccer Association

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Spring 2024 U8 Tournament

Points Based Tournament Win= 6 points Loss = 0 points Goals Scored = 1 point each goal (5 goal max) Shutout = 1 point

Example – Team wins game 5-0 (or 10-0) Points earned = 6 points for win + 5 points (for 5 goals scored) + 1 point for shutout = 12 points total earned for game. Highest amount of points a team can earn in one game is 12 points.

No Tied Games allowed

Tied Games will go directly to Kicks from the Center Mark to determine a winner

Winner of Kicks from the Center Mark will have +1 added to their final game score. So if game is tied 0-0 at end of game; winner of Kicks from Center Mark will have final game score of 1-0 entered into GotSport.

Boys Division - 6 teams - 2 Brackets

10 games total

Teams play cross-play against other group and will get 3 games each over two weekends, plus a FINAL for top 2 teams in points (so 2 teams from same group could possibly play in FINAL)

Group play – Friday, May 3, Saturday, May 4, Friday, May 10, Saturday, May 11 Final Game – Saturday, May 11

<u>Girls Division – 5 teams – 1 Bracket</u>

11 games Total

Teams play each other Round Robin style will get 4 games each over two weekends, plus a FINAL for top 2 teams in points

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Standings Tie-Breaker for both options (to see who plays in Final)

- 1. Head to Head (Winner)
- 2. Goal Differential in all games (5 MAX per game)
- 3. Goals Against (Least #)
- 4. Goals Scored (Most #)
- 5. Most Shutouts
- 6. Kicks from the mark

Kicks from the Center Mark (Kickoff Circle)

The coach chooses five (5) players to take shots from center mark NO goalie.

Five (5) shots per team, alternating chosen team players.

Each player is only allowed to touch the ball once when taking the kick. <u>One kick. No retries.</u>

Team with highest number of goals scored at the end of 5 kicks each wins. Kicks from the center mark can end early, if number of kicks left from each team is not enough to beat the number of kicks made by other team.

[Example, each team has taken 3 kicks from the center mark, Team A has scored 3 goals and Team B has score 0 goals. With only 2 remaining kicks from the mark left, it would not be possible for Team B to get more points than Team A to win.]

If both teams are tied after five (5) kicks from center mark, each coach picks another player from their team roster to take the next shot from the center mark. Each team continues to take shots from center mark one at a time, alternating teams, until there is no longer a tie (one team makes the goal and the other team misses).

Each team has to have an equal number of shots on goal.

ALL players listed on team roster must shoot before rotation of players taking shot can start over. If one team has fewer players available for shots, then other team must reduce down to match. Coach can choose which player(s) will not participate.

