

Rules for U4 and U6

The Ball:

A number 3 ball will be used.

The Players:

U4 will play 3 v 3 with no goalkeepers.

U6 will play 4 v 4 with no goalkeepers.

Players should receive equal playing time.

Equipment:

There will be different colored shirts so that members of each team can be identified. Cleats are not required. Tennis shoes can be worn. However, shinguards are required. Shin-guards, which must be covered entirely by socks, shall be made of a suitable material (rubber, plastic, polyurethane or similar substance) and shall afford a reasonable degree of protection.

Referee:

U4 will have an assigned facilitator. U6 will have an assigned referee.

A coach from each team can be on the field to instruct the players and enforce the rules.

Duration of Game:

There will be two (2) halves, 25 minutes each in duration.

Restarts:

For a ball over the touch line, a throw in will be used to get the ball back in play. For a ball over the goal line, a Corner Kick from the corner of the field, and Goal Kick from an appropriate point will be used to get the ball back in play.

Offside: The offside rule does not apply in these games.

Fouls and Misconduct: All fouls should result in Indirect Free Kicks, after the nature of the foul has been explained to the player. There will be no cautions, ejections or Penalty Kicks.

Free Kicks: All free kicks will be indirect.

Field:

Please have coaches and players on one side of the field and parents/spectators on the other side.

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