

Marin Interleague Soccer Alliance Playing Rules 2011

Point System:

The Marin Interleague Soccer Association (MISA) shall operate under a point system. The point system shall award (3) points for a win, (1) point for a tie and (0) points for a loss.

In case of a tie in the standings within a group:

- 1) "Goals Against" The number of goals a team allows
- 2) "Goals For" The number of goals scored by a team
- 3) "Coin Flip" In the event that two teams are still tied entering the playoffs, a division winner shall be determined by a coin flip. The time and place of the coin flip shall be determined by the MISA, and shall be conducted by the MISA Chairperson.

Standard Playing Rules:

MISA shall play under the standard FIFA laws of the game. MISA reserves the right to amend rules as necessary to maintain a fair and safe playing experience for all players.

Game Time, Field Sizes:

U12 play two 30 minute halves | 10-min. halftime | size 4 ball | Numbers of players - 11v11

U14, play two 35 minute halves | 10-min. halftime | size 5 ball | Number of players -11v11

HS play two 40 minute halves | 10-min. halftime | size 5 ball | Number of players - 11v11

- * Overtime shall only be played during tournament, playoff or championship games.
- * Based on the FIFA laws of the game, MISA shall play a maximum of two 5 minute Golden Goal overtime periods. In the event that there is no winner at the end of the of the Golden Goal period, the game shall be determined by kicks from the Penalty mark.
- * Game lengths will vary for Playoff and Championship Games (see Tournament Rules)

Substitutions:

All Substitutions shall be made at the referee's discretion and approval at any stoppage of play, excluding a corner kick. Player(s) coming off the field will be removed before substitute(s) enter the field. Substituted player(s) will be at the mid line ready to enter the field.

The team in possession of the ball may substitute an unlimited number of players on throw-ins. A team may substitute on the opponent's throw in, if substitutions are being made AND at the discretion of the referee.

Number of Players:

Based on the FIFA laws of the game, each team shall play with no less than seven, and nor more than 11. Teams need not play with fewer than 11 (play numbers down) as it will unfairly penalize the team with the correct number of players.

Game Ball:

The game balls shall be furnished by the Home Team