



Patriot Cup Rules

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Can you please add to the website

GAME TIMES

Schedule will be available on [Patriot Cup website](#)

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.

POOL PLAY

Two thirty (30) minute halves, with one five minute halftime. No added time or overtime in pool play or consolation. All JV games will be sixty minute (60') games (30' halves), including semis and finals.

REPORTING SCORES

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

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

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

1. Head to head competition
2. Fewest goals allowed
3. Goal Differential
4. Goals Scored
5. Coin toss

PLAY-OFFS

Varsity semi-finals will be seventy minute (70') games (35' halves) and championship games will be eighty minute (80') games (40' halves). Consolation games will remain seventy (70) minutes in length (35' halves).

All JV games will be sixty minute (60') games (30' halves), including semis and finals.

No added time for any of these games.

PLAY-OFF TIES

Play-off ties will go to one ten minute golden goal overtime and then to penalty kicks if still tied. CIF wants to remind all coaches that any game that ends in a tie but at the end of regulation goes to penalty kicks, is then to be recorded as a win or a loss on CIF Home and Max Preps. When a winner is determined for advancement in a tournament, etc., there is a winner and a loser and the game is not to be recorded as a tie.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Disputes and protests are settled by the Tournament Director and all decisions are final. Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their players and supporters.

Rosters must be presented to the officials prior to kickoff.

AWARDS

Championship Trophies

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