



Indoor Rules of Play 2023 U11 – U19

Field of Play- Saskatoon Sports Centre Turf.
Saskatoon Kinsmen Henk Ruys Soccer Centre Boarded.

Arrive 15 minutes prior to your game.

All youth boarded, and turf games will consist of two 25-minute halves with a 1-3-minute half-time break.

Make sure goal net and corner flags are set up properly (turf field). Do not set up nets at the turf soccer centre. Request for a soccer centre staff member to do it for you.

Game Sheets-

Game Sheets for Youth soccer league are located at admin desk. Youth team will need to pick up the game sheet and hand to the referee prior to the game starting. After your game is done. Put game sheet in mailbox by admission desk or email into Ifman (admin@saskatoonadultsoccer.com) or submit game sheet using RAMP. The score of your game needs to be submitted online using RAMP online feature.

Teams playing in the youth soccer league boarded or turf have 10 minutes from the scheduled game start time to have a minimum number of eligible players on the field.

THE BALL- U11 = Size 4 - U13 to U19 = Size 5

The home team will supply the game ball unless, in the opinion of the referee, the visiting team has a more satisfactory ball.

- For SYSI Indoor League Play on hard surface, where available a low bounce synthetic ball will be used.
- For games on artificial turf an outdoor ball will be used.

NUMBER OF PLAYERS-

U11 City and U10 and U11 Alliance Leagues – ¼ field game – 7v7

U13 City and U12 and U13 Alliance Leagues – ¼ field game – 7v7

U14 and U15 Alliance Leagues – ½ field games – 9v9

U15 City League – ¼ field game – 7v7

U17 Alliance League - ½ field games – 9v9

U17 City League - - ¼ field game – 7v7

U19 Alliance League – ½ field games – 9v9

U19 City League – ¼ field game – 7v7

Minimum Number of Players-

The minimum number of players required for a youth game to proceed is:

- 4 players per team for the 7v7 ¼ turf indoor league
- 6 players per team in the 9v9 ½ turf indoor league

Substitutions-

Will be unlimited and on the fly from the center line. Player leaving the field must be at the center line prior to the substitute entering the field. The player entering the field must enter the field at the center line as well.

THE PLAYERS EQUIPMENT- As per FIFA Laws of the Game - A player must not use equipment or wear anything that is dangerous to himself or another player (including any kind of jewelry).

THE REFEREES- SSA and SDSRAI Registered Referees will be appointed to each match. - A referee has full authority to enforce the Laws of the Game in connection with a match to which they are assigned. - The jurisdiction of a referee over the teams in a match to which the referee has been assigned begins at the time the referee arrives at the playing venue. - Make sure that the rules are followed and that the Fair Play nature of the game is followed.

ASSISTANT REFEREES- Assistant referees will not be used for SYSI indoor league matches. - Assistant referees may be used for SYSI playoff matches dependent on availability.

DURATION OF THE MATCH- 2 x 25-minute halves separated by a 1–3-minute halftime break. - Any delay to the start of the match shall be accommodated by reducing the length of the half time break.

START AND RESTART OF THE GAME- As per FIFA Laws of the Game.

Retreat Line: U11 City League: The defensive team's players must retreat to the ½ way line on all Goal Kicks.

THE BALL IN AND OUT OF PLAY- The ball is considered out of play if the ball goes over the touch line, goal line, or strikes the ceiling (including light fixture, curtains, etc.) - If the ball contacts the ceiling or a ceiling attached fixture, the game will be restarted directly below the point of contact by an indirect free kick by the team that was not the last to touch the ball.

OFFSIDE- Matches on ¼ field playing area: **There is no offside.**

Matches on ½ field playing area: The offside line will be the **half-way line just like outdoor games.**

FOULS AND MISCONDUCT- As per FIFA Laws of the Game - All divisions - yellow and red cards under the standard FIFA rules. - There will not be any time penalties for yellow/red cards. - Slide tackles are not allowed on hard court/tile games (U11 – U19 divisions). - Any games played on turf or grass; slide tackles are governed by the IFAB laws of the game (U11-U19 divisions).

Free Kicks-

U11 – U13 Alliance League are to be 3 yds – ¼ field games

U15 – U19 City League are to be 5 yds - ½ field

U15 – U19 Alliance Leagues are to be 10 yds - ½ field

Penalty Kick- As per FIFA Laws of the Game - Penalties will be taken from the front of the penalty area at a point directly in line with the center of the goal

Throw In: As per FIFA Laws of the Game.

U11 games all leagues: Will do kick-ins or can dribble the ball back into play. (Cannot score from a kick-in without it touching another player)