## W.O.A.A. LOCAL LEAGUE PLAY-OFF RULES-2021-2022

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NOTE: The following rules MUST be adhered to for the play-offs;

- 1. After March 20<sup>th</sup> (unless noted differently on the drawsheet) the score of each play-off game MUST be communicated to the appropriate W.O.A.A. Local League Convenor by the <u>winning</u> team (home team if tied) ASAP. If the score is posted online, this requirement will be considered satisfied.
- 2. <u>REFEREE ASSIGNORS RE: REFEREES:</u>
- a) APPENDIX C, Page 177 of the O.M.H.A. Manual of Operations.
  - \* NOTE: Exception to Appendix: In U9 and U11 Local League play-off games at least one referee must be Registered Level 2 or higher.
- b) The **HOME** team will supply qualified game officials.
- c) No members of immediate families may officiate any game for W.O.A.A. play-offs in which a family member is participating. (This includes linesman in a three (3) man system.) The immediate family includes: mother, father, husband, wife, brother, sister, son, daughter, aunt or uncle. PENALTY FOR USE OF AN ILLEGAL GAME OFFICIAL Anyone using illegal game officials will forfeit any points obtained and the game will be replayed in the non-offending team's arena at the end of the series "if required".
- d) Play-off rates for Local League game officials are per the O.M.H.A. Manual, Regulation 18.5 and 18.6, pages 159 & 160. These rates must be adhered to or suspensions will result.

## **FEES FOR ASSIGNED OFFICIALS:**

When an individual club or local association requests that "Neutral Referees" be assigned by the W.O.A.A., that club or local association shall be responsible for the full payment (fees and mileage) of the assigned officials. To cover the administrative costs involved, the requesting club or local association shall also be assessed a fee in the amount of \$35.00 per request. The fee shall be added to the play-off billing. Failure to comply with the above may result in suspensions.

- 3. Teams that cannot come to an agreement on games or series, will have the same set up by the Convenor. Only under extenuating circumstances will an extension be considered and allowed. This must be approved by the appropriate W.O.A.A. Convenor.
- 4. All Local League teams must have in their possession at each game their approved electronic O.M.H.A. Team Roster. All team officials (coaches, manager, trainer) must be registered on an approved electronic O.M.H.A. Team Roster. These must be presented upon request as per O.M.H.A. Regulation 3.8 f & g, Page 114.
- 5. Any team failing to fulfill their play-off commitments will be suspended from further competition for the remainder of the 2021-2022 season, including tournaments. A team, suspended for any reason, before they complete their play-offs will have all of their games (played & un-played) removed from the schedule. NO RESULTS from games with a suspended team will be used in final calculations.

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# W.O.A.A. LOCAL LEAGUE PLAY-OFFS – 2021-2022 W.O.A.A. CENTRAL-SOUTH – U11 LL ALL U13, U15 AND U18 LL

#### **FORMAT**

U11- U13 - teams in each group will be divided into 1 of 3 flights (Maroon, Silver or White).

U15- U18 - teams in each group will be divided into 1 of 2 flights (Maroon or White).

The 1<sup>st</sup> round of play-offs will be a Round Robin with teams in their flight as set by Convenor.

OVERTIME: One 10 min. sudden victory. Score stands (even if a tie).

LENGTH OF PERIODS: See O.M.H.A. Manual Regulation 10.2, Page 142 and 143.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Round Robin to be over by Sunday, March 20, 2022, (unless noted differently on the drawsheet). The top team in each flight to be declared by Monday, March 21, 2022.

The order of finish in each colour flight will be determined by the team's record -2 points for a win, 1 point for a tie.

Tie in points to be decided as follows:

- a) Head to head record.
- b) Using all games played in group; team with most points, excluding overtime, according to periods [win (2) tie (1) loss (0)].
- c) Team with the least penalty minutes in play-offs. (ALL GAMES)
- d) If still tied, a sudden death game will be set by the Convenor.

Forfeits are usually not permitted, but if it is absolutely necessary, the score will be 1-0 (points for periods 4-0). The Convenor must be notified immediately to be verified.

The top team in each flight will move into a final play-off "in their colour flight" to decide that respective Local League Colour Group Champion.

CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS: U11-U18 to be over by April 03, 2022.

- a) If it's a Round Robin (3 teams) all rules in 1st Round Robin will apply.
- b) If it's an Elimination Series (2 teams), it will be a best 2 of 3 (4 point) unless BOTH TEAMS AGREE to a different series. The extra home game to be determined by coin flip or other method of chance.
- c) Each game's results <u>MUST</u> be communicated to the Convenor at game's end by the <u>WINNING</u> team. The Convenor must have at least 24 hours notice of any possible Championship game so arrangements for presentations can be made.

## W.O.A.A. LOCAL LEAGUE PLAY-OFFS – 2021-2022 W.O.A.A. NORTH – U9 LL AND U11 LL

### **FORMAT**

NORTH DIVISION: U9 AND U11.

PLAY-OFFS WILL BE A ROUND ROBIN WITH EACH TEAM.

OVERTIME: ONE 10 MINUTE SUDDEN VICTORY: SCORE STANDS (EVEN IF A TIE).

LENGTH OF PERIODS: SEE O.M.H.A. MANUAL REGULATION 10.2 PAGE 142, 143.

TOP TEAM WILL BE DECIDED BY THE TEAM'S RECORD—2 POINTS FOR A WIN; 1 POINT FOR A TIE

TIE IN POINTS TO BE DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

- A) HEAD TO HEAD RECORD
- B) USING ALL GAMES PLAYED IN GROUP, TEAM WITH MOST POINTS, EXCLUDING OVERTIME, ACCORDING TO PERIODS WIN(2) TIE(1) LOSS (0)
- C) TEAMS WITH LEAST PENALTY MINUTES IN PLAY-OFFS (ALL GAMES)
- D) IF STILL TIED, A SUDDEN VICTORY WILL BE SET BY THE CONVENOR

FORFEITS ARE USUALLY NOT PERMITTED, BUT IF ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY, THE SCORE WILL BE 1-0 (POINTS FOR PERIODS 4-0)

THE FIRST ROUND ROBIN TO BE OVER BY MARCH 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022 (UNLESS STATED DIFFERENTLY ON THE DRAWSHEET).

DIVISIONAL PLAY-OFFS OVER BY APRIL 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2022.

FINALS: ELIMINATION SERIES (2 TEAMS) IT WILL BE BEST 2 OF 3 (4 PTS) UNLESS BOTH TEAMS AGREE TO A DIFFERENT SERIES. THE EXTRA HOME GAME TO BE DETERMINED BY COIN FLIP OR OTHER METHOD OF CHANCE.

EACH GAME'S RESULT <u>MUST</u> BE COMMUNICATED TO THE CONVENOR AT GAME'S END BY <u>THE WINNING</u> TEAM. THE CONVENOR MUST HAVE 24 HOURS NOTICE OF ANY POSSIBLE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME SO ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRESENTATION CAN BE MADE.

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