FUTSAL: MINI SOCCER COMPETITION (Male Only)

ELIMINATION/PERFORMANCE EVENT

Team

1. A team shall consist of five (5) players including one (1) goalkeeper with up to five (5) additional substitutions.
2. Only players and two coaches will be allowed on the playing side.
3. Substitutions can be made only when the ball goes out of play or when a foul occurs. **(Note: Substitutions can be made an unlimited amount of times.)**

Game

1. One game consists of two (2) periods of six (6) minutes.
2. One (1) minute will be given to teams for warm-up.
3. Teams will change sides after every half.
4. There is no offside rule.
5. The winning team will be the team that scores the most goals and will advance to the next stage.
6. The losing team is eliminated unless there is a tiebreaker, in the event of which the team will be called to play again.
7. **FOR GROUP STAGES AND QUARTER FINALS ONLY**—In the event of a draw, teams will enter into penalties after the final whistle.
8. **FOR SEMIFINALS AND FINALS ONLY**—In the event of a draw, two (2) minutes will be added for extra time with the possibility of a golden goal. However, if the scores remain tied, then teams will enter into penalties.

Timeouts

1. There will be a one-minute break after the first half of the game ends.
2. Each team will have a 30-second timeout during each half.
3. In the event of a draw, there will be a one-minute break before penalties are taken or extra time is given with the possibility of a golden goal being played.

Fouls

1. If the ball touches the shoulder, it is not a handball.
2. If the ball touches the area beneath the shoulder or below, then it is considered a handball. A free kick will be called, and then it will be taken from the spot where the foul occurred.
3. Please note that players and/or coaches will be cautioned with a yellow card for bad language/unsportsmanlike conduct. If the referee decides that their negative attitude is excessive, then a red card will be shown, and they will be ejected from the game and the competition itself.
4. Cautions given will be up to the referee's discretion. They can range from verbal warnings to yellow cards or red cards.