



2023 SCFHA Brock Jr Badgers House League Tournament Rules



OWHA Sanction No. pending

1. Hockey Canada and OWHA rules shall apply. The following additions will apply:
 - Three (3) stick violations (slash, spear, cross-check, butt end and high stick) in one (1) game will result in automatic ejection from the game.
 - A fighting major or match penalty will result in automatic ejection from the tournament.
2. All teams are guaranteed three (3) games. All games will consist of 10-10-12 stop-time periods.
3. There will be a 3-minute warm-up at the start of each game, which will start following the exit of the Zamboni.
4. All teams **MUST** be available to play 20 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.
5. The OWHA minimum suspension guidelines will be strictly enforced. All suspensions will be enforced according to OWHA Constitution, By-Laws, Regulations & Rules.
6. If the goal differential in any game is five (5) or greater at any time, the clock will continue to run. Should the goal differential become less than three (3) in the remaining time, the clock will revert back to stop time.
7. **One - 30 second timeout** will be allowed for each team **ONLY during Final Championship game**. Overtime is not a new game. There is **NO TIMEOUT** in Preliminary or Semi-Final Games.
8. A player may only participate with **one** designated team in a tournament and may only participate in **one** tournament on any day of the same weekend.
9. To be eligible to participate in the tournament, the participant's name must appear on the OWHA team roster. The OWHA "Pickup Player for Tournament" form must be utilized for any pick up players. The form must be completed by the pick up player's regular coach (including OWHA Team #) and provided at the Tournament Registration Desk prior to the team's first game of tournament. No new/additional 'pick up' players will be permitted after the team's first game of the tournament.
10. For any misconducts, game misconducts or match penalties received in the preliminary games, ten (10) minutes will be applied to the team's penalty minutes for the particular game wherein the penalty occurred.
11. Teams will be awarded 2 points for a win, 1 point for a tie and zero (0) points for a loss.

12. Standings after the preliminary/round robin play will be calculated on the basis of the points awarded as per **Rule # 11**.

In the **event of a tie**, the following criteria will be used to break the tie:

- a) Number of wins
- b) Winner between the tied teams when they played head to head (does not apply if more than two teams tied)
- c) Fewest Goals Against
- d) First goal scored in tournament games.
- e) Fewest Penalty Minutes.
- f) Percentage as calculated by dividing team's total "Goals For" by the SUM of the team's "Goals For and Goals Against". **$TGF / (GF+GA) = \%$** (See Chart)
- g) Coin Toss.

Follow Tie breaking rules in Order.

Once a Tie Breaking Rule has been used or is not applicable it cannot be used again.

13. **U9 Division** will play full-ice games following regular full ice hockey rules. Two officials will be utilized. Scores will be kept but no goal scorer is recorded.

14. **Semi-Finals & Championship games** are played to a winner. In the event of a tie at the end of regulation time, a Sudden Victory 5-minute overtime (stop time) will commence. Teams will play **4 on 4 PLUS Goalies** (See format for rules). Players may be changed at any time. Goalies may be "pulled" at any time and a substitute player from the bench may be used. **If still tied, a shoot out will occur.**

15. Each team must designate 3 shooters (jersey numbers required) as S1, S2 and S3 prior to the start of game to the Tournament Arena Convenor. Any player serving a penalty at the end of overtime will not be eligible to participate in the shoot out. The coach must designate a shooter to take her place immediately at the end of regulation time. All players except shooter and goalies will be on the bench. Once a player has shot, they will go to the penalty box. **Shooters from both teams will shoot at the same time starting at centre ice.** All 3 designated shooters from each team will shoot. If still tied, each team will designate one shooter at a time until there is a winner. A player may not shoot for a second time until all players on the game sheet (except goalies) have shot.

16. In the event of a jersey colour conflict, the home team designated on the game sheet must change their jerseys. As most house league teams only have one set of jerseys, it is recommended that teams approach their association for a back up set of jerseys.

17. Flooding of the ice will occur at the end of each game and may be deferred at the Tournament Committees discretion.

18. It is the team's responsibility to ensure a clean dressing room is left upon completion of their game. All teams are requested to vacate the dressing room 20 minutes or less after their game is completed.

19. On-ice officials decisions are final and are not subject to appeal or grievance. Tournament executive decision is final and binding.

20. If a team withdraws from the tournament following the team's confirmation in the tournament (after payment is made by the team), a \$100 administrative fee will apply. The OWHA Tournament Withdrawal Rules apply for teams withdrawing within 30 days of the tournament start date.

The Tournament Committee reserves itself the final word on the interpretation of the rules.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL TEAMS !!





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OVERTIME RULES for Semi-final and Championship Games OWHA Sanction #pending

- Semi-final and Championship games are played to a winner. In the event of a tie at the end of regulation time a SUDDEN VICTORY FIVE (5) MINUTE OVERTIME (stop time) will commence.
- Teams will play **4 on 4 plus goalies**. Players may be changed at any time. Goalies may be “pulled” at any time and a substitute player from the bench may be used.
- If still tied, a shoot out will occur.
- Each team **MUST** designate 3 shooters (jersey numbers required) as S1, S2, and S3 **prior to the start of the game** to the Tournament Arena Convenor.
- Any player(s) serving a penalty at the end of overtime will not be eligible to participate in the shoot out. The coach must designate a shooter(s) to take her place(s) immediately at the end of regulation time.
- All players except shooter and goalies **will be on the bench TO START**.
- All 3 designated shooters from each team will shoot. Shooters will shoot at the same time starting at centre ice.
- Once a player has shot, **they will go directly to the penalty box**.
- If still tied, each team will designate one shooter at a time until there is a winner. A player may not shoot for a second time until all players on the game sheet (except goalies) have shot.

****We respectfully ask for your assistance in that no team photos be taken on ice due to municipality and city insurance regulations.**

****Championship Awards and Medals MAY be Presented Off-ice if deemed by Tournament Officials due to time constraints and will be presented at a determined location as required.
We thank you for your anticipated support in this matter.**

