

Tournament Rules and Information

Location: Musco Sports Center; 500 S Houser Street, Muscatine, Iowa

Facility Rules:

- No beverage other than water is allowed on the turf field
- No food is allowed on the turf
- No permanent seating is provided; If you want to sit while watching games, please bring your own chair

Laws of the Game:

- Play will be governed by FIFA laws of the game unless defined otherwise below
- There will be no headers allowed in the boys and girls age groups U8-U11
- Forfeits will be recorded as a 5 to 0 score

Points and Tie Breakers

- Games in group play will be scored as follows:
 - 3 points for a win, 1 point for a tie, 0 points for a loss.
- Tiebreakers will be as follows:
 - Head-To-Head Competition,
 - Goal Differential (goals scored minus goals allowed)
 - Total goals allowed
 - Most Shutouts
 - Coin toss.

REFUNDS

There are no refunds, UNLESS games are not played due to extreme weather. In the event matches are canceled by Tournament Director and/or the City of Muscatine, the refund policy shall be as follows:

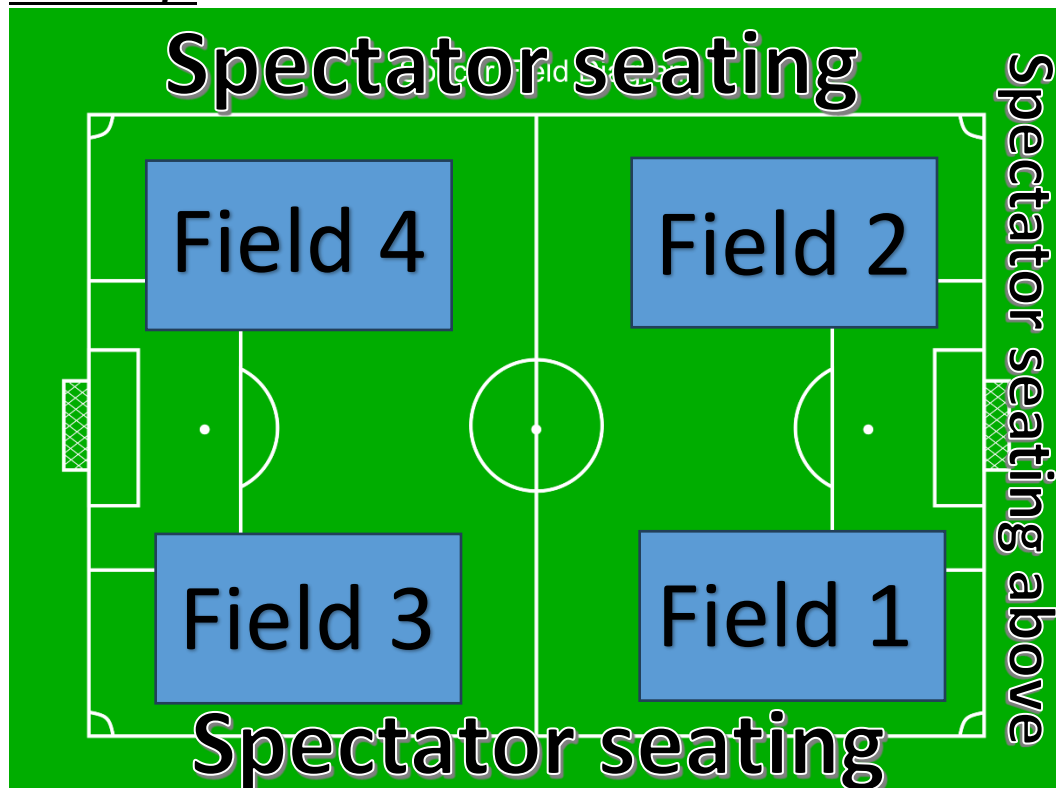
- 75% - No games played;

- No other refunds will apply.

FORMAT

- All age groups will play 4vs4 with no goalies
- Game Length is 25 minutes
- Max Roster is 6
- 3 yard space is the rule for all dead ball restarts
- Field Dimensions are 30 length x 26 Width
- Balls touched inside of goal by the attacking team will result in a goal kick; balls touched inside of a goal by the defensive team will result in a goal for the attacking team.
- Goal Kicks must be made on the goal line

Field Map:



Team Check in:

- Team Rosters and player cards are due via email to the tournament director by Friday December 5 at 7pm
 - waltonponce11@gmail.com
- Adult Men Check in will be at the tournament desk

Overtime in Championship Matches

- In event of a tie, a sudden death overtime will be played; first team to score wins

Awards

- All Ages – Award Medals will be given to only the Champion in each age group

Substitutions

- Unlimited at all age groups
- At ANY stoppage at the discretion and consent of the referee

Equipment/Uniforms

- The Away team (team listed 2nd) is responsible of changing colors in the event that both teams have similar colors
- All players must wear shin guards and any player equipment is subject to referee approval
- Cleats, Turf Shoes, or Tennis Shoes are the footwear able to be used at the turf field

Red Cards

- A player or coach will be suspended for a minimum of 1 game. The suspension may be increased depending on the severity of the incident, at the discretion of the Referee and the Tournament Director.

Teams/Players

- Player cards will be verified via email. Teams using illegal players will forfeit and games in which an unregistered player participated.
- After check-in/registration, teams may not alter their rosters or make additions/subtractions at any time.
- A player may be dual-rostered, as long they are not competing in the same age group or playing down into a younger age group. All Dual Roster player requests must be pre-authorized by the Tournament Director.

If any situation occurs that is not covered in the laws of the game or in the rules specified, the Tournament Director will have the right to make the decision in the best interests of the event. For more information, please email waltonponce11@gmail.com

