



AAA RULES & REGULATIONS

PLAYER, COACH, & FAN CONDUCT

The conduct of all players, coaches, and fans is to be beyond reproach both on and off the ice.

- A ZERO TOLERANCE policy regarding abusive language, and unsportsmanlike behavior toward anyone is strictly enforced.
- Any misconduct by any team member or team fan can result in immediate disqualification of the entire team from the tournament with no refund.

TOURNAMENT PASSES / GATE FEES

Please understand that gate fees are a necessary part of operating our tournaments and our tournaments are extremely important to insuring that our arena is able to remain open and operating. Our arena is privately owned and operated and has no public city or county funding like the majority of all arenas in Minnesota have. Our tournaments are crucial to ensuring that a small community of our size is able to support an ice arena for our local youth players. We set our gate fees at the same rate as Minnesota Hockey's State Tournaments. If you truly are unable to afford the fees please let the gate attendant know and they will let you in free of charge.

- Registered Players, Three coaches, and one Manager receive free admission to all tournament games.
- Gate fees for all other parents and fans are as follows:
 - Adult Weekend Pass \$15.00
 - Student Weekend Pass 10-17yrs old \$8.00
 - Senior Weekend Pass 55 + \$10.00
 - Family Weekend Pass \$30.00
 - Adult Single Game Admission \$8.00
 - Student Single Game Admission \$3.00
 - Senior Single Game Admission \$6.00
 - Under 10 FREE.

TEAM CREDENTIALS

Before a team may enter the ice surface an official of the team must submit the following team credentials to the tournament officials.

- A Completed Breezy Point Roster and Waiver of Liability signed by each player's parent or legal guardian.

TOURNAMENT RULES

1. **USA Hockey Rules:** USA Hockey playing rules will be followed as modified below by Breezy Point Tournaments.
2. **Number of Games:** All teams will play four games. The number of games may be increased or decreased if a team drops out and another team is not found to replace them.
3. **Seeding Game:** The first game played on Friday will be a seeding game 1 hour in length with two 25 minute running time halves played. The last 5 minutes of the game will be stop time if the score is within 3 goals or less.
4. **Elimination Brackets:** After the seeding game teams will be bracketed into a standard 8 team elimination bracket.
5. **Off Sides:** Tag up on off side will be allowed for all tournament games.
6. **Running Time:** Each game will consist of 3-20 minute running time periods. The final 5 minutes of the 3rd period will be stop time if the score is within 3 goals or less. Tournament staff reserves the right to decrease the 3rd period time by 5 minutes if games are running behind.
7. **Warm-up:** A 5 minute Warm-up starts immediately at the scheduled start time of the game.
8. **Intermissions:** There will be a two minute break between each period. There will be no resurfacing between periods, all games will be completed on the same sheet of ice.
9. **Time Outs:** Each team is allowed one time out per game.

10. **Game Start Times** - Teams must be prepared to start playing games up to 15 minutes before their scheduled start times.
11. **Goal Judges** - No goal judges will be used. The referee's decision is final.
12. **Players on Bench**- The number of players allowed on a bench is 20.
13. **Coaches on Bench** - No more than four coaches are allowed on the bench.
14. **3 Penalty Rule** - Players are allowed only three penalties per game. Any player receiving a 4th penalty will be removed from the playing area and another player must serve the penalty.
15. **Game Days & Times** - Teams entering this tournament agree to any and all last minute changes in the game schedule. All teams will play one game Friday, two games Saturday and one game Sunday. All teams entering this tournament understand and agree to play games beginning at or before 5:00pm on Fridays during school days which may require players to leave school early.
16. **Home Team** – Top team in brackets is home.

OVERTIME RULES

All games will be played out until a winner is declared using the following tie breaking rules.

1. **Sudden Death OT** - A 5 minute 4on4 Sudden Death Overtime will be played with the first team to score being declared the winner.
2. **Shootout** – If at the end of the sudden death overtime a winner is still not declared a 3 person shootout will take place followed by a sudden death shootout until a winner is declared. All players on the bench must take equal turns in the shootout and remain in the same shooting order as declared by the coach at the start of the shootout.