

SALEM COMMUNITY CENTER
INDOOR SOCCER RULES

INTRODUCTION	<i>THE SALEM COMMUNITY CENTER OFFERS A FAMILY ORIENTED INDOOR FACILITY PROVIDING RECREATIONAL SOCCER FOR THE SALEM AREA</i>
PLAYER EQUIPMENT	MANDATORY: SAME COLOR SHIRTS WITH NUMBERS AND SHINGUARDS COVERED BY SOX PENALTY FOR NOT WEARING SHIN GUARDS: YELLOW CARD & SHOOTOUT MANDATORY: KEEPER TO WEAR DIFFERENT COLOR FROM ALL OTHERS TURF SHOES WITH SHALLOW CLEATS AND FLATS ARE LEGAL OUTDOOR 'MUD' SHOES, LONG MOLDED OR SCREW-IN METAL CLEATS & STREET SHOES ILLEGAL SHORT PANTS OR LONG WARMUPS ARE LEGAL. NO JEANS, NO HATS, NO JEWELRY
NUMBER OF ON FIELD PLAYERS	U8: 8 PLAYERS U10: 7 PLAYERS U12: 7 PLAYERS U14 & ADULT: 6 PLAYERS HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS AND BOYS TEAMS: 5 PLAYERS PER OHSAA ELIGIBILITY REGULATIONS
SCORING	EACH HALF IS 25 MIN ALL AGE GROUPS; TIES STAND: CONTINUOUS CLOCK SHOT MADE FROM BEHIND THE YELLOW LINE IS SCORED AS 2 POINTS DEFENDER DEFLECTS BALL, SCORED AS 2 POINTS ATTACKER DEFLECTS BALL, SCORED AS 1 POINT SHOTS MADE FROM ON OR IN FRONT OF THE YELLOW LINE ARE SCORED AS 1 POINT SHOOTOUT: SHOOTER MAY DRIBBLE TOWARD GOAL AND HAS 5 SECONDS TO SHOOT ALL OTHER FIELD PLAYERS START AT HALF LINE AND MOVE ON THE KICK COED: MEN CAN SCORE 1 POINT DIRECTLY FROM BEHIND THE YELLOW LINE MEN CAN SCORE 1 POINT ON HEADERS INSIDE OR ON THE YELLOW LINE TEAM DOWN 3 OR MORE GOALS: TEAM MAY ADD 1 PLAYER AND MEN CAN SCORE 1 POINT OUTSIDE PENALTY AREA AND 2 POINTS BEHIND YELLOW LINE WOMEN: MUST BE MINIMUM OF 2 WOMEN PLAYING AT ALL TIMES OR PLAYS DOWN SCORING RESTRICTIONS: ONLY WOMEN CAN SCORE ON SHOOTOUTS AND DIRECTLY FROM RESTARTS, CENTER YELLOW OR CORNER KICKS
RESTARTS	HOME TEAM ON SCOREBOARD: KICKS OFF TO START THE GAME: BALL MUST MOVE FORWARD TOUCHLINE: BALL OUT OF PLAY IS RESTARTED WITH KICK TAKEN ON WHITE LINE WHERE THE BALL LEFT THE FIELD, CAN NOT SCORE GOAL DIRECTLY: IS AN INDIRECT KICK OPPONENT MUST BE 10 FT FROM BALL AND CAN NOT ENCROACH PENALTY FOR ENCROACHMENT: 1 TEAM WARNING, THEN YELLOW CARD/SHOOTOUT GOAL-LINE: BALL OUT OF PLAY IS RESTARTED WITH CORNER OR GOAL KICK GOAL KICK U12 THRU ADULT - INSIDE GOAL AREA, IS IN PLAY WHEN BEYOND PENALTY AREA GOAL KICK U8 & U10: TAKEN INSIDE PENALTY AREA, IS IN PLAY WHEN BEYOND YELLOW LINE GOALKEEPER: ALL DISTRIBUTIONS WILL BE THROWN---NO PUNTS OR DROPKICKS MINOR FOUL INSIDE PENALTY AREA: BALL IS RESTARTED FROM YELLOW LINE CENTER EXAMPLE: DANGEROUS PLAY, A HANDLED KICKBACK TO KEEPER OR IMPEDING ENCROACHMENT: ALL RESTARTS REQUIRE OPPONENT 10 FT FROM BALL PENALTY FOR ENCROACHMENT: 1 TEAM WARNING, THEN YELLOW CARD/SHOOTOUT NOTE: BALL DOES NOT HAVE TO HIT THE NET TO BE OUT OF PLAY, JUST OVER THE LINE BALL HITS CEILING NET: RESTART AT CENTER OF YELLOW LINE ON SIDE WHERE BALL HIT ROOF FOR 3 LINE VIOLATION: RESTART AT CENTER OF YELLOW LINE FROM WHERE BALL ORIGINATED
FIELD, SCOREBOARD & ROSTER	REFEREE FEES ARE \$10 PER TEAM ALL AGES AND PAYABLE PRIOR TO THE GAME ANY TEAM RESCHEDULING A GAME OWES REFEREE \$10 PAYABLE TO SCC BEFORE NEXT GAME PLAYED IN ADDITION TO \$15 PAYABLE TO SCC FOR RESCHEDULING ALL PLAYERS MUST HAVE NUMBERS. EACH TEAM TO SUBMIT A ROSTER PRIOR TO THE GAME NO PLAYER IS PERMITTED TO PLAY WHO IS NOT ROSTERED FIVE GOAL DIFFERENTIAL TO BE KEPT ON SCOREBOARD AND TEAM BEHIND MAY ADD 1 PLAYER FIRST RED CARD RESULTS IN ONE GAME SUSPENSION SECOND RED CARD IN SAME SESSION RESULTS IN SUSPENSION FOR A MINIMUM OF 1 SESSION
MISCONDUCT	COACHES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR AND WILL CONTROL ALL THEIR FANS, PLAYERS & THEMSELVES REFEREE ABUSE, HARASSMENT OR DISSENT IS NOT TOLERATED PENALTY: RED CARD AND EJECTION FROM FACILITY AND A SHOOTOUT THE FOLLOWING APPLIES TO PLAYERS PLUS COACHES AND FANS WHERE APPLICABLE: SPITTING ON THE FLOOR OR ANYWHERE ELSE IS NOT TOLERATED PENALTY: IMMEDIATE RED CARD AND EJECTION FROM FACILITY SLIDE TACKLES ARE ILLEGAL: GENERALLY DEFINED AS A DEFENDER AGAINST AN ATTACKER PENALTY: EXCESSIVE CONTACT WITH OPPONENT RESULTS IN AUTOMATIC RED CARD OPPONENT WITHIN PLAYING DISTANCE RESULTS IN YELLOW CARD OPPONENT NOT WITHIN PLAYING DISTANCE RESULTS IN DIRECT KICK EXCEPTION: KEEPER MAY SLIDE IN PENALTY AREA IF NOT DANGEROUS STABBING AT AND GOING DOWN ON ONE KNEE FOR THE BALL MAY BE DANGEROUS PLAY PROFANITY OF ANY KIND IS NOT TOLERATED PENALTY: YELLOW OR RED CARD DEPENDING ON SEVERITY FIGHTING OR ATTEMPTING TO START A FIGHT IS NOT TOLERATED PENALTY: IMMEDIATE RED CARD AND EJECTION FROM FACILITY ROUGH PLAY AND PUSHING PLAYER INTO THE NET IS NOT TOLERATED PENALTY: YELLOW OR RED CARD DEPENDING ON SEVERITY YELLOW CARD RESULTS IN MANDATORY 2 MIN TEAM HARD PENALTY FOR OFFENDER, EVEN GK RED CARD RESULTS IN MANDATORY 5 MIN TEAM HARD PENALTY: OFFENDER CAN NOT RETURN ALL CARDS RESULT IN SHOOTOUT AND TEAM PLAYS SHORT FOR FULL PENALTY TIME
FOULS	ALL FOULS ARE DIRECT KICK FOULS - MAJOR FOULS IN PENALTY AREA RESULT IN SHOOTOUT
SUBSTITUTIONS	SUBSTITUTION IS ON THE FLY AND NOT GUARANTEED: SUB CAN'T ENTER UNTIL PLAYER IS OFF FIELD EXCEPT: AFTER A GOAL, INJURY OR UNUSUAL STOPPAGE BY REFEREE
PROTESTS	THERE ARE NONE!
MISC.	THERE IS NO OFFSIDES CALLED FOR INDOOR ALL PLAYERS/COACHES TO SIT OR STAY IN TEAM AREA: STAND ON CONCRETE, NOT ON FIELD ALL RULES NOT COVERED ABOVE, REFER TO USSF LAWS OF THE GAME ALL REFEREES WILL BE USSF AND/OR OHSAA REFEREES