



## **Rules & Regulation**

**THE RULES ESTABLISHED AND PUBLISHED BY USA HOCKEY SHALL APPLY,  
EXCEPT AS MODIFIED HEREIN:**

- **HOME TEAM WEARS LIGHT JERSEY**
- **TEAMS MUST BE READY 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO START TIME**
- **5 MINUTE WARM-UP**
- **3 - 16 MINUTE PERIODS, STOP TIME, WITH ADD'TL RESURFACE AFTER 2<sup>ND</sup> PERIOD**
- **1 TIMEOUT PERMITTED PER GAME**
- **5 MINUTE MAJ. PENALTY INCLUDES GAME MISCONDUCT FOR CURRENT & NEXT GAME**
- **2 POINTS FOR A WIN, 1POINT FOR A TIE (NO OVERTIME IN ROUND ROBIN GAMES)**

### **PLAYOFF SEEDING TIEBREAKERS**

- 1) **HEAD TO HEAD COMPETITION (IF ONLY TWO TEAMS)**
- 2) **GOAL DIFFERENTIAL**
- 3) **TOTAL GOALS FOR/(TOTAL GOALS FOR + TOTAL GOALS AGAINST)**
  - A. **HIGHEST % = HIGHER SEED**
- 4) **FEWEST GOALS AGAINST**
- 5) **EARLIEST GOAL SCORED IN FIRST GAME**
- 6) **COIN TOSS**

### **PLAYOFF OVERTIME/SHOOTOUT**

- 1) **SUDDEN DEATH OVERTIME 4 V 4 (3 MINUTES)**
- 2) **SUDDEN DEATH OVERTIME 3 V 3 (3 MINUTES)**
- 3) **SHOOTOUT (5 SHOOTERS/TEAM)**
- 4) **SUDDEN DEATH SHOOTOUT (NO REPEAT SHOOTERS)**

**ZERO TOLERANCE WILL BE STRICTLY  
ENFORCED AT THIS TOURNAMENT**