

PRESIDENT'S CUP

2009

TOURNAMENT FORMAT & RULES

1. ALL FIFA, FYSA AND LOCAL RULES APPLY EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING:
2. **UNDER 8 DIVISION:** WILL PLAY 4 V 4.
 - A. TWO 10 MINUTE HALVES WITH A 5 MINUTE HALF TIME.
 - B. TEAMS WILL BE PLACED IN POOL PLAY. THE TOP TEAM IN EACH POOL WILL ADVANCE TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND. IN CASE OF A TIE FOR THE TOP POSITION WE WILL GO TO MOST GOALS SCORED BETWEEN THE TEAMS TIED FOR THAT LEAD.
3. **UNDER 10 DIVISIONS:** WILL PLAY 7 V 7.
4. **UNDER 13 DIVISIONS:** WILL PLAY 8 V 8.
 - A. TWO 15 MINUTE HALVES WITH A 5 MINUTE HALF TIME.
 - B. TEAMS WILL BE PLACED IN POOL PLAY. THE TOP TEAM IN EACH POOL WILL ADVANCE TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND. IN CASE OF A TIE FOR THE TOP POSITION, WE WILL GO TO MOST GOALS SCORED BETWEEN THE TEAMS TIED FOR THAT SPOT IN THE FINAL ROUND.
5. **UNDER 16:**WILL PLAY 8 V 8.
 - A. TWO 15 MINUTE HALVES WITH A 5 MINUTE HALF TIME.
 - B. TEAMS WILL BE PLACED IN POOL PLAY. THE TOP TEAM IN EACH POOL WILL ADVANCE TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND. IN CASE OF A TIE FOR THE TOP POSITION, WE WILL GO TO MOST GOALS SCORED BETWEEN THE TEAMS TIED FOR THAT SPOT IN THE FINAL ROUND.
6. **NO GAMES WILL RESULT IN A TIE!!**
7. ANY GAME TIED AT THE END OF REGULATION WILL GO TO AN OVERTIME PERIOD CONSISTING OF **THE PLAYERS ON THE FIELD AT THE END OF REGULATION PLAY.** IF NO TEAM SCORES WITHIN THE FIRST MINUTE, THEY WILL PLAY ANOTHER MINUTE OVERTIME WITH EACH TEAM TAKING ONE PLAYER OFF THE FIELD. IF NO TEAM SCORES WITHIN THE NEXT MINUTE, THEY WILL PLAY ANOTHER ONE MINUTE OVERTIME DOWN ONE MORE PLAYER AT THE COACHES CHOOSING. THIS WILL CONTINUE UNTIL TWO PLAYERS REMAIN. **TWO PLAYERS FROM EACH TEAM WILL REMAIN ON THE FIELD UNTIL GAME IS OVER.** THE GOLDEN GOAL RULE APPLIES (FIRST ONE TO SCORE IN OVERTIME WINS).
8. **MAKE SURE ALL OF THE KIDS HAVE FUN AND GET THE 50 % REQUIRED PLAYING TIME PER GAME AS PER NORTH PORT YOUTH SOCCER RULES.**