

OCASL Foundation Benefit Tournament Rules Saturday, September 2, 2017

Purpose

The OCASL Foundation Benefit Tournament is a chance to get out and play during the holidays, and to benefit the foundation and its charitable causes. To learn more about OCASL Foundation, visit our website at http://ocaslfoundation.org.

Location / Time

Start time is 8:15am, but please show up 15 minutes prior to your first game to warm up and greet your teammates. Games are at the grass fields at Southern Community Park in Chapel Hill.

Team Selection

You may register as an individual or with friends (we'll find you a team), or as a full team. Once a team is formed, a captain, a team name, and a team color should be selected. Online registration is \$20 for individual players, or \$180 per team, donations (checks or cash) can also be collected at the field.

Game Schedule

The game schedule will depend on how many teams register. Game length will be 25 minutes (no break for half). You will get at least 3 games, and probably 4. There is a prize for the first place team. Game schedule will be posted online and emailed to players on Friday evening.

Play

- 1. 7v7 with no keepers.
- 2. Initial kick must be played backward.
- 3. No scoring on shots from your defensive half (restart is a goal kick).
- 4. No throw-ins, just kick-ins (indirect). Defenders must be at least 8 yards away.
- 5. No offside
- 6. If the ball touches a defender while the defender is in the goal area, then a goal is scored. If the ball touches an attacker while the attacker is in the goal area, then the restart is a goal kick. If the ball comes to rest in the goal area, then the restart is a goal kick.
- 7. After a goal, scoring team retreats to its defensive half. Restart is a goal kick.
- 8. NO slide tackles, bicycle kicks, diving headers, and NO aggressive play.
- 9. Win is worth 3 points, tie is worth 1 point. First tiebreaker is head-to-head result, second is fewest total goals against.
- 10. All free kicks, corner kicks, goal kicks and kick-ins are indirect, defenders at least 8 yards away. Goal kicks taken at any point along the end line.
- 11. Denial of an obvious goal scoring opportunity by handling or by fouling is an automatic goal for the attacking team.

Flying Substitutions

Either team may substitute at any time, even while the ball is in play. Substitution takes place at the center stripe.