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COQUITLAM MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION BANTAM 'A' GOLD CLASSIC TOURNAMENT NOVEMBER 9TH-12TH

TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All games will be played under C.H.A, B.C.A.H., & P.C.A.H.A rules. Special suspension rules will not prevail in this tournament. All referees are carded.
2. Final roster registration must be approved before playing first game. No player additions will be allowed once the tournament starts.
3. All players must be properly registered with the C.H.A. through their governing body. Tournament officials will confirm team rosters with P.C.A.H.A.
4. Only 19 players may be registered and 18 dressed per game, 17 skaters, 2 goaltenders.
5. Team officials must report to the tournament office at least 45 minutes prior to game time and are responsible for verifying the game sheet before each game. Game sheets will be prepared in advance. Starting line-up are not necessary.
6. Home teams will be responsible for changing jerseys in the event of a colour conflict.
7. No teams are allowed on the ice until an on-ice official is on the ice. Teams that access the ice surface prior to the officials will be assessed a minor penalty. Teams will have a 5minute warm-up.
8. All games will consist of a 5 minute warm-up and a 1 minute break after the 1st and 2nd periods. Game times will adhere to three stop time periods. 15, 20, 15. The 3rd period will be 5 minutes less than the remaining ice time to a maximum of 15 minutes to allow for award and medal presentations. In order to maintain ice order, it may be necessary to adjust playing time. This will be at the discretion of the tournament officials. Each team may have 1 (one) 30 second time out per game. This includes any overtime.

9. Throughout round robin play, teams shall be awarded **2 points for a win, 1 point for a tie, and 0 points for a loss.**

10. In the event that teams are tied at the end of the round robin series, the following procedure will apply:

a). If TEAMS are tied, and they played a round robin game against each other head to head, the winner of the round robin game between the tied teams will receive the higher placing.

b). If still tied after **a** (or not applicable) Team with the most wins will receive the higher placing.

c). If after **a** or **b**, the teams are still tied, the team with the best goal average during the round robin will advance. A maximum of six (6) goals differential per game is used for calculating goal average. Goal average is determined by dividing the total number of goals for and against into the total number of goals for. Example: Goals for 10, Goals against 4; Percentage is $10/14 = .7143$

d). If still tied after **c**, team with lowest penalty minutes.

e). If after **d**, the teams are still tied, a coin toss will determine which team will receive the higher placing.

11. Following the round robin series, it is the responsibility of the team officials to be present at the rink for the posting of final team standings and resulting semi-final game times and team match-ups.

12. PLAY OFF FORMATS

(Tier 1, 2 & 3)

The teams will be seeded 1st to 4th after round robin play. Semi-final games will be played between 1st vs. 4th place and 2nd vs. 3rd place. The winners of each Semi Final game will play in a final game for Gold and Silver and the losers of each Semi Final game will play for Bronze. The higher ranked team of the 2 teams playing will be the Home Team.

13. GAMES DURING THE PLAYOFF & MEDAL GAMES:

a. If teams are tied after regulation time, there will be a 2-minute rest at the players' bench, then 5-minute sudden death overtime. Teams will play 4-on-4 during this overtime. No penalized team will play with less than 3 skaters and the goalie. The non-penalized team will add a skater to a maximum of 5 skaters and the goalie.

b. If a game is still tied, NHL shoot-out rules will be used to determine the game winner.

14. Any player or team official receiving a match penalty or gross penalty during the tournament will be suspended from further play in the tournament. The match penalty shall be reported to the tournament director or tournament office at the conclusion of the game. It is the responsibility of the team manager to comply with this rule. There will be no exceptions.

15. Any player receiving a 2nd game misconduct penalty shall be suspended from

further tournament play. Any team official receiving a 2nd game misconduct shall result in the entire team being suspended from the tournament.

16. Decisions of the on-ice officials are final. Decisions made by the Tournament Director, or an acting Tournament Director, will be final.

17. Copies of all game sheets will be forwarded to P.C.A.H.A. and B.C.A.H.A. in order to assess disciplinary action in accordance with rules.

18. All Home Teams are responsible for entering game sheets into Teamlink. If the Home Team is a non-PCAHA team; it is the responsibility of the PCAHA team.

19. There will be no tolerance for abuse of officials. Players and team officials will be held responsible for their conduct on and off the ice. If anyone, including spectators, exhibits conduct that is judged dangerous or disruptive and contrary to Fair Play Rules, the person(s) may be excluded from further participation or play in the tournament.

20. Team officials are responsible for controlling their fans. If undesirable behavior continues, the team shall be suspended from the tournament.

