



U6 Game Recommendations



PEI Soccer Association

Players on the field: 3 vs 3

Field Size: 20 yds X 25yds Approx

Ball size: 3

Net size: Approx. 6ft pop-up goals or 4ft by 6 ft.

Game length: 10-15 minutes, be sure to stop playing if players are losing interest.

Laws of the game: Minimal!! No offsides, no goalies, no throw-ins, no corners, no goalkicks. If an accidental foul occurs, simply keep play going, unless there is an injury.

Notes:

- We want to see players dribble and score! The more touches on the ball the better.
- With three players on each team this keeps all the players engaged when playing.
- Do not keep score, the kids may, but the coach forgets!
- When a ball goes out of bounds, the coach ROLLS a new ball in and yells "New Ball!" This keeps the game going and allows the ball to stay on the ground. Coach can roll the ball to a neutral area or to the team/player that isn't getting as many touches.
- Don't be afraid to roll in more than ball, the more goals the better!!!!
- Kids will play in a 'pack' and that is fine! We want players to learn how to dribble out of those situations.
- Be sure to celebrate the goals!!! When the coaches have fun, the kids will too.

Coaching Encouragements:

DRIBBLE, DRIBBLE, DRIBBLE!

Go SCORE!

KEEP GOING!

WAY TO GO!

GOAAAAAALLLLL!