



# SOCCER DAY IN SASKATCHEWAN

## 7v7 Adult World Cup Information & Rules

### Event Information

#### Time

1:00pm – 8:00pm

#### Ethos for Event

The 7v7 event is meant to be a fun event for people of all abilities to celebrate the world's most popular sport. There is zero tolerance for unsportsmanlike behavior.

#### Player Eligibility

All players must be registered through the team registration page for the 7v7 tournament on the Saskatchewan Soccer website. Any player not registered as a part of the team will be unable to participate.

#### Game Duration

Games will be 2x20 minutes long with no extra time added to the game. The game-time is continuous without stoppages. Rock-Paper-Scissors will determine which team starts with the ball.

#### Game Rules (FIFA rules applied if not specified below)

1. Goals cannot be scored directly from Thrown-Ins, Dropped ball or Goalkeeper throws
2. Throw-ins, Goal Kicks, Corner Kicks and Free Kicks as per FIFA.
3. Minimum required distance is 8 yards
4. No offsides
5. Players who receive a Red Card will be suspended for the rest of the tournament
6. Substitutions will be on the fly at the halfway line.

#### Tiebreakers:

1. For any tie in standings, the following will be used as a tie-breaker:



- a. **Previous Match Results:** -The team with the greater number of points in matches(Not used if 3 or more teams are tied in points, in this instance “ii” shall be the first tie breaker).
- b. **Overall Goal Difference** - Subtract Goals conceded from Goals scored (max 5 goal difference in a game is taken into account)
- c. **Overall Goal Average** - Goal average shall be calculated as goals scored divided by goals conceded. In the event that a team did not concede any goals, this shall be considered as a higher goal average as compared to a team that has conceded a goal.
- d. **Most Goals Scored**
- e. **Fewest Goals allowed**

Games that require a winner will go straight to Kicks from the Penalty Mark (3-1-1). Teams will be equalized prior to starting KPM. All players are eligible (not just the ones on the field).

#### **Protests**

Referee’s decisions are final and no protests will be accepted by tournament organizers.

