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2025 Annual General Meeting – Technical Report December 11, 2025

Current Committee: Dena Clark (Chair), Amanda Cooley, Brandon Boyle, Jonathan Shendruk

This report provides a high-level overview of operational outcomes from the indoor and outdoor seasons. The year demonstrated significant growth in participation but also highlighted increasing administrative challenges in managing league integrity and logistics.

Rescheduling was a major focus with the reasons varying between seasons. Indoor changes were primarily driven by team requests and officiating availability. Conversely, the outdoor season experienced a sharp rise in rescheduling due to uncontrollable external factors like poor field conditions, city maintenance, and air quality issues, overshadowing team-initiated requests.

Maintaining competitive integrity requires proactive measures. Instances of forfeited games occurred across both seasons, including a notable indoor case of teams refusing to play a specific opponent, and outdoor teams removed from the league for chronic forfeiting.

Ensuring fair play through eligibility enforcement remains a core administrative duty. A considerable number of player suspensions were issued for infractions, with playing while unregistered being the most frequent violation. This indicates a persistent need for clearer communication of league rules.

The permit system, essential for team flexibility, saw consistent and substantial growth in usage across both indoor and outdoor play, reflecting increased participation and operational complexity.

Key challenges identified are the significant administrative workload from handling frequent reschedules and permits; the need for enhanced pre-season education to reduce eligibility violations; greater vulnerability of outdoor play to weather and field conditions; and the ongoing task of upholding competitive standards when teams fail to meet their commitments.

Notable rule updates include the addition of two games to the Coed leagues for the indoor season and offering U21 divisions throughout our leagues.

In summary, our league's growth brings dual priorities of managing rising operational demands while consistently enforcing rules to ensure fair and well-run competitions are had by all participants.

Dena Clark
Technical Committee Chair

	Indoor 2023-2024	Indoor 2024-2025	Outdoor 2024	Outdoor 2025
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RESCHEDULES

Requests	18	27	11	10
No Official Available	3	5	8	14
Create back-to-backs	-	2	15	3
Weather - Air Quality			6	34
Weather – other			21	4
Field Conditions			13	74
City Maintenance			-	23
Other	49	27	14	23
TOTAL	70	61	88	185

FORFEIT GAMES

48+ notice	8	4	8	2
48< notice	6	24	11	21
Weather	5	5	10	2
TOTAL	19	33	29	25

PERMIT GAMES

League Players	1280	1644	916	1045
Free Agents	64	159	120	161
Youth	10	87	311	26
TOTAL	1,354	1,890	1,067	1,232

INELIGIBLE SUSPENSIONS

Unregistered	18	25	10	29
Ineligible Permits	9	12	1	10
Other	4	7	1	2
TOTAL	31	44	12	41