

# **CALGARY WOMEN'S SOCCER ASSOCIATION**

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# FAIR PLAY POLICY

The Team Fair Play Award is intended to foster the spirit of fair play, reduce disciplinary issues and to promote healthy competition that is not linked to the outcome of the game. For each game, the assigned Referee will determine a fair play score for each team based on the sportsmanship exhibited with a maximum of 10 points. "The team" includes all players, coaches and team officials on the roster. This policy applies to all teams. AMSL teams are excluded from the Fair Play policy.

## Deductions

From the total awarded by the Referee, teams will lose:

- 1 point for each yellow card.
- 2 points for each red card.

### Forfeiture of Fair Play Points

The offending team(s), under the following circumstances, will forfeit all fair play points awarded by the referee for:

- Game Forfeitures (Game played).
- Game Defaults (Game not played).

#### Merit Points

A team may earn additional points:

• 2 points for the completion and online submission of a referee evaluation within 14 days of the game.

#### The Prize

At the end of the season, the top three teams with the best Fair Play scores within their division will be awarded a cash prize. The break down of the cash prize will be as follows:

- $1^{st}$  Place<sup>1</sup> 50% of prize pool
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place<sup>2</sup> 30% of prize pool
- $3^{rd}$  Place<sup>3</sup> 20% of prize pool

<sup>1</sup> If two or more teams are tied in first place, they will share a combination of the first and second place prize or the total prize pool for their division if it is three or more teams.

<sup>2</sup> If two or more teams are tied in second place, they will share a combination of the second and third place prize. <sup>3</sup>If two or more teams are tied in third place, they will share the third place prize.

Winnings will be paid at the end of the season. \$50 per team will determine the prize pool for the Division. *Updated: August 31, 2021*