

2019 Super Finals

GAME RULES

- 7min quarters for 14u; 6min quarters for 12u
- 1min break between quarters, 3min break at halftime
- Each team will have two timeouts which can be used at anytime
- First team listed will wear white caps and start to the left side of the scorer's table.
- There is no roster limit.
- All games must have an outcome. Ties will go directly to shootout.
- We will be using JO rules, which includes some of the new rules. Because every pool is not equipped with sidelines, WE WILL NOT be using the additional sideline substitution area rule at any of the venues to keep it consistent throughout. The new rules that are being utilized are:

1. **Rule WP19 - Location of Free Throw:** A free throw shall be taken at the spot of the ball, except (a) if the foul is committed by a defending player within the defender's 2-meter area, the free throw shall be taken on the 2-meter line opposite to where the foul was committed and, (b) where otherwise provided for in the rules.
2. **Rule WP14 - Goalkeeper Privileges:** The goalkeeper is allowed to move beyond and touch the ball past the half distance line. They are allowed to shoot from anywhere and can participate as a shooter in a penalty shot or shootout. **THIS RULE DOES NOT APPLY TO THE 12U DIVISION.**
3. **New Rule - Direct Shot Signal by the Referees:** If a free throw is awarded for a foul outside, but within one meter of the 5-meter line, the referee administering the free throw will point downward to the 5-meter line to indicate that the player is eligible to shoot a direct shot on goal.

BRACKET TIE BREAKER RULES

-Bracket points will be awarded as follows

- 4 points for a regulation win
- 3 points for a shootout win
- 2 points for a shootout loss
- 1 point for a regulation loss
- 0 points for a forfeit

-In case of bracket ties - FINA rules will apply.

-Tie Breaker System – Two Teams: If the point totals of two teams are the same, head-to-head competition will be used to determine the higher seed. If these teams are tied in head-to-head competition, the goal differential in their games is used to break the tie. If the goal differential in their contests against one another is the same, then fewest goals allowed between their contests with each other will be used. If still tied, we will use goals scored and if still tied, the team that won most recently will be seeded higher.

- Tie Breaker System – Three or More Teams: If more than two teams are tied in points, goal differential amongst the teams tied serves as the tiebreaker to determine the best team within the group until only two teams remain. The final two teams use their head-to-head results to break the tie. If the top two teams based on goal differentials are tied, the tie is broken with the results of their head-to-head competition. If the goal differential among all teams tied is the same, the fewest goals allowed in the games amongst the tied serves as the tiebreaker to determine the best team within the group until only two teams remain. The final two teams use their head-to-head results to

break the tie. If that is also tied, we will flip a coin to determine the highest seed of the three and the remaining two teams will use the tie-breaker system explained above.

BRUTALITIES

-The call will result in a penalty throw and a 4-minute exclusion. Further, if a player is called for a brutality, he will be out for the remainder of that game and the rest of the tournament.

-However, either team can appeal the call with video evidence. Video can be submitted to the FWPL committee. The committee can determine if the act of brutality was not called correctly by the official and the punishment can be removed or lessened.

PROTESTS

- Protests must be filed within 30 minutes of the end of the game, recorded by a referee on the scoresheet. Please write out your protest and submit to the tournament committee. If you are protesting an adverse course condition, this must be protested prior to the start of the game.

-The tournament committee is - Dustin Litvak, Levon Dermendjian, Andrew Selder, James Lathrop and Amber Drury.

AWARDS

-Trophies will be handed out to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams in each division. Medals will also be handed out to each player on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams and custom Kap7 Futures WPL towels will also be given to each player on the championship teams. (15 are provided per team, if you need to order more, you can do so afterwards.)

-Individual awards will be handed out for MVP, Best Coach, Top Goalie and Top Defender. We will circulate a google doc on Saturday of the tournament so each club can vote on these awards.

-All-tournament team information will be sent out at a later date.