



CW3 Soccer Association

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CW3 SOCCER ASSOCIATION – VARIATIONS TO THE LAWS OF THE GAME – FALL 2008

Situation	u6	u8	u9 - u10	u11 - u12	u13 & above	Notes
1. Teams at:	For all of our games the two teams will be on opposite sides of the field. The home team has first choice of sides and is listed first on the schedule					
2. Fans at:	Spectators will sit with the teams. It is the coach's responsibility to keep all players, spectators & coaches at least 3' back from touchline and acting appropriately					
3. Ball size	3	3	4	4	5	
4. Game Duration	2 – 20 minute halves	2 - 25 minute halves	2 – 25 minute halves	2 – 30 minute halves	35 – 45minute halves	A 5 minute half time will be taken between halves.
5. Offside	As of March 2006 WSSL has determined that there is no offside for u10 and under. CW3 has decided that for consistency we will follow that decision for our house teams as well.			For u11 and older there must be at least two opponents or the ball between the attacking player and the goal line when on the opponent's side of the half line.		It is not always a penalty to be in an offside position.
6. Substitutions:	All teams may substitute on their own throw in on either team's goal kick or kick off. If the possessing team decides to substitute, then the opposition may also substitute at this time. Players must be properly equipped and at mid field prior to the ball leaving play in order to enter the game. Players must receive permission from the ref before entering the pitch.					
7. Pass back rule	DNA*	DNA*	Yes	Yes	Yes	u10 and above may not pass the ball back to the keeper with their feet and the keeper play it with their hands. The keeper has 5 - 6 seconds to release the ball into play.
8. Goal kicks	All divisions will take goal kicks from their goal box. To use correct terminology, we are calling this box the "6 yard box" even though some age groups may use fields with smaller dimensions. The goal kick <u>does not</u> have to be taken from the corner of the box.					
9. Penalty kicks	DNA*	PK mark	PK mark	PK Mark	PK Mark	All free kicks are indirect for u6 thru u10
10. Throw in	2 tries	2 tries	1 try	1 try	1 try	
11. Team size	5 v 5	6 v 6	6 v 6	8 v 8	11 v 11	
12. Game scores	House teams: When the goal differential becomes 5, the losing team shall add one player. For each goal differential increase above 5, the losing team with add one player until they reach two additional players. The losing team will take players off when the differential decreases below 5. The referees will keep score at all games, but standings will only be kept for u9 and older. The winning coach or the home coach in the event of a tie calls in the score to the Division Director. The score must be called in within 48 hours please or forfeit the game.					
13. Game reports	Referees must mail in the blue game postcards to Lisa Ferrari, 4278 Warrington Dr., Wixom MI. 48393					
14. Scheduling questions	Call Lisa Ferrari at 248-624-8561 (home) or 248-672-6998 (cell) or email lferrari@cw3sa.org . Please do not call after 9pm. Thank you.					
14. Referee questions	Call Jim Ferrari at 248-624-8561 (home) for rules clarification. All red cards or game terminations (other than weather) must be reported within 24 hours to Jim Ferrari at jferrari@cw3sa.org . Please do not call after 9pm. Thank you.					
* Does not apply						

The CW3 Hotline phone number is: 248-974-5959