



NATIONAL TOURNAMENT BOUND CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT RULES

All games played to conclusion - ice cut before each game

Best of three series all levels except Girls AA Levels (4-team power progressive double-elimination)

Ice Line, West Chester, PA

LEVEL	POINTS				ADD'L. ICE CUT	TIME OUT	PERIOD LENGTHS				PENALTIES			OFFICIALS
	REG. WIN	OT WIN	OT LOSS	REG. LOSS			WARM-UP	REGULATION	OT	REST	MINOR	MAJOR	MISCONDUCT	
13 ONLY	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	16	16	2 min before OT	1.5	4	8	4
14AAA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	16	16	2 min before OT	1.5	4	8	4
15 ONLY	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After each	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	Ice cut before OT	2	5	10	4
16AAA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After each	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	Ice cut before OT	2	5	10	4
18AAA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After each	One 60 sec.	5	20	20	Ice cut before OT	2	5	10	4
14AA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	16	16	2 min before OT	1.5	4	8	4
16AA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	2 min before OT	2	5	10	4
18AA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	2 min before OT	2	5	10	4
Girls 14AAA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	16	16	2 min before OT	1.5	4	8	4
Girls 16AAA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After each	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	Ice cut before OT	2	5	10	4
Girls 19AAA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After each	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	Ice cut before OT	2	5	10	4
Girls 14AA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	16	16	2 min before OT	1.5	4	8	4
Girls 16AA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	2 min before OT	2	5	10	4
Girls 19AA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	After 2nd	One 60 sec.	5	17	17	2 min before OT	2	5	10	4
OVERTIME - ALL LEVELS	One sudden-death OT period shall be played equal to the length of the third period- 5 v 5. Teams change ends. If tied at the end of the OT period, there shall be a shootout. Winner credited with 1 additional goal in the final score. Teams take a 2-minute rest period before the shootout. They do not leave the ice.													
SHOOTOUT - ALL LEVELS	1. The home team chooses to shoot first or second.							2. All goalkeepers and players on the scoresheet are eligible, but goalkeepers cannot shoot.						
	3. Goalkeepers defend the net they were defending in the 3rd period.							4. Any penalized player whose penalty was not completed when OT ended or who receives a penalty during the shootout is ineligible and must remain in the penalty box.						
	5. Shootout begins with 3 players taking alternate shots (do not need to be named beforehand).							6. Goalkeepers may be changed after each shot.						
SUDDEN DEATH SHOOTOUT - ALL LEVELS	7. The players from both teams will take shots alternatively until a decisive goal is scored. The remaining shots will not be taken.							8. If after the shootout, the score is still tied, there will be a sudden-death shootout.						
	1. A sudden-death shootout is defined as each team attempting a shot. Should one team be successful and the other team not, the successful team shall win the shootout.							2. The teams will shoot in the same order as they did in the previous round shootout.						
	3. Teams will select their shooters in any order whether or not they shot in the previous round. The last player in the first round may be the first player in the sudden death round.							4. Players in a sudden death shootout shall not be allowed to take another shot until two different individual teammates have completed their attempts.						
SHOOTOUT - ALL LEVELS	5. All goalkeepers and all players on the scoresheet are eligible to participate.							6. Any penalized player whose penalty was not completed when OT ended or who receives a penalty during the shootout is ineligible and must remain in the penalty box.						
	7. Goalkeepers may be changed after each shot.							8. The official scorekeeper shall record all shots taken indicating the players, goalkeepers and goals scored.						

PLAYING RULES - THE OFFICIAL USA HOCKEY PLAYING RULES SHALL BE USED. NO PROTESTS SHALL BE PERMITTED ON THE PLAYING RULES.

Winner of Best of Three Series Advances to USA Hockey Nationals. Winners of Girls AA Winner and Loser Brackets Advance to USA Hockey Nationals.