

2024

Port Stanley Memorial Tournament Rules and Regulations

- 1. This is an OMHA sanctioned tournament. All teams must be registered with OMHA or its affiliates.
- 2. All OMHA Rules and Regulations apply to tournament games.
- 3. Registration is 45 minutes prior to your first game. Approved rosters are required for entry for the tournament.
- 4. All teams are asked to bring two sets of jerseys. The home team will wear light colour jerseys and the away team will wear dark. If a team only has one set of jerseys, please communicate with the opposing team as soon as possible.
- 5. All teams must be ready to play 20 minutes before the scheduled game time. There will be a two-minute warm up period before each game time.
- 6. Team officials must sign game sheets. Game sheets must be completed and taken to the time booth 10 minutes before game time.
- 7. All referee's decisions are final, and not up for debate.
- 8. Any major penalties are subject to OMHA suspensions, as found in the OMHA rule book.
- 9. Any "fighting major" or "head check major" will mean automatic suspension for the remainder of the tournament.
- 10. All teams are guaranteed 3 games.
- 11. Games will be 10-10-10 stop time periods.
- 12. There will be no overtime in round robin games. Overtime will be played in the finals only.
- 13. There are no time outs in round robin games.
- 14. There will be one 1 MIN TIME OUT per team in the semi-final games and one 1 MIN TIME OUT per team in the championship games.
- 15. In the event the tournament is running behind schedule, if a team is leading by five goals or more in the third period, tournament officials could initiate "straight time." No stoppage in play would happen unless the goal differential is reduced to three. All penalties would also be "straight time." An on-ice injury would stop the clock.
- 16. Scoring for the tournament round robin games will be 2 points for a win and 1 point for a tie.

- 17. Ties in the standings after round robin play will be broken based on:
 - a. Head-to-head winner.
 - b. Higher goal average. Calculation: total goals scored and allowed
 - c. Fewest penalty minutes.
 - d. Fewest goals allowed.
 - e. Coin toss.
- 18. In the event of tie at the end of the third period in the SEMI-FINALS, the game will be decided by a shootout.
 - a. Three players will be chosen to shoot from each team.
 - b. One player from each team will shoot simultaneously.
 - c. If still tied after three shooters, one additional player will be chosen from each team. No player may shoot twice until all players have been used.
- 19. In the event of a tie at the end of third period in the FINALS, the game will have a five-minute, 3 on 3 sudden death overtime period.
 - a. In the event of a penalty during 3 on 3 overtime play, the offending player will serve the penalty, non-offending team will put an extra player on the ice. (4 on 3). Once the penalty time has been served the offending player will return to the ice and continue 4 on 4 until the first stoppage of play. At that time the game will return to 3 on 3 format.
 - b. If still tied after overtime, a shootout will occur following the same format at the semi-finals (see above).