Soccer information and Rules

All divisions are played with the standards soccer rules with the following exceptions:

(can find rules and other resources at: https://www.nfhs.org/activities-sports/soccer/)

1. No heading and no punting in any division

2. Mercy Rule: If a team is behind by 3 or more goals they may add an additional player until the score drops below 3 goals (not mandatory)

3. U6 does not have offsides (discuss it and start working on it)

4. U6 Players are not to defend the semi-circle area in front of the goal (Goal box)

5. 6U throw-ins are allowed (not real strict)

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Game: determined by number of players attending

Playing field: Laporte Field

Referee: Coaches

Game time: 1 hour

Fundamentals stations followed by small sided games

U6

Game: 5 vs 5

Playing field: Laporte Field 1-2

Referee: Coaches

Game time: 3 10-minute quarters with 3-minute rest period between quarters

U8

Game: 9 vs 9

Playing field: Hunsinger Field

Referee: 1

Game time: 2 20-minute halves with 5-minute rest between halves

U10/U12

Game: 11 vs 11

Playing field: Hunsinger Field

Referee: 3

Game time: 2 25-minute halves with 5-minute rest between halves