



**Sno-King Youth Club
PRE-K & K- SOCCER CLINIC
RULES, 2006**

The soccer clinics are meant to be a positive experience for children ages 3-5 (some very young 6 year olds). Coaches are responsible for providing a fun and exciting atmosphere in which the kids learn the basic skills, drills and rules of the game of soccer. This is not a clinic that focuses on winning and losing. I.e. the score is not important and should not be emphasized or formally kept.

K-CLINIC SOCCER GAME RULES:

1. Everyone plays an equal amount of playing time.
2. Everyone has fun
3. **4- 10 minute quarters (10 minute half-time).**
4. There are corner kicks, and goal kicks.
5. No penalty kicks.
6. A player is not to play the position of goalie for more than one quarter each game.
7. **5 players on the field at one time. This includes a goalie (4 field players, 1 goalie).**
8. One coach from each team must be on the field during the run of play to referee the game and one will keep the time.
9. No off sides.
10. Each game lasts no longer than one hour. Everyone from each team must be off the field right before the top of each hour so the next game can get started. Please have your after game team meetings away from the game field to give the next team room to get started on time.
11. Each player must wear shin guards.
12. Each player must wear an issued uniform from Sno-King Youth Club and only players rostered to your team are allowed to play or receive a uniform.
13. Coaches are to hold a brief 'conference' before each game, so that both coaches know the expectations of the other coach (i.e.; which one will ref first, which will keep time, etc...)
14. Absolutely no slide tackling. Please call this on the field anytime it occurs and encourage the player to stay on his/her feet.

****PRE-K SOCCER:** THE ONLY aspect of these rules that differ for you are listed in #3 and #7.

3. 2- 8 minute halves (8 minute half-time).
7. 4 players on the field at one time. This does not include a goalie. There are not goalies for this age group to ensure a high success rate associated with scoring.