

## Boston Jr. Terriers U 14 Fall Showcase Rules

### Reporting Game Scores

At the completion of each tournament game a team representative (Coach or Team Manager) from the winning team must email a picture of the game sheet to [brian@proevolutionhockey.com](mailto:brian@proevolutionhockey.com) so that we can update standings and the website right after each game. Each Team will receive one copy of the score sheet and scorekeeper will keep one score sheet for tournament records.

### Preliminary Games

Each team will play a total of 4 game in the Round Robin Part of the tournament. These games will have three 17 minute stop time periods. No time outs are permitted in the preliminary games. One time out is allowed in the playoff round (1 minute time out). Any preliminary game that ends in a tie will stay tied. There is no overtime in the preliminary round. Games will go to running time in the third period when a five goals or greater differential exists. Stop time will resume when the differential becomes three goals. Games will end in the third period when a ten goals or greater differential exists. Forfeits will be scored as 1-0. Any team that forfeits a game maybe held out of the playoffs by the Tournament Committee.

### Tie Breakers at the end of preliminary games

Team standings at completion of the preliminary games will be determined by total points (Win = 2 points, Tie = 1 point, Loss = 0 points) In the event of a tie in points at the end of the preliminary games please use the EHF tie breaking formula (below)

If one tie-breaker establishes a position for one or more teams, each team is placed in the applicable position. Once a team is placed, the remaining tied teams shall start the tiebreaking process over again. *(Note: a team may go into the tiebreaking process having defeated another of the tied teams and still not advance).*

(i) The team with the most wins shall be awarded the higher position.

(ii) If still tied after (i) above, the team having the most wins against the other teams in the tie breaker shall be awarded the higher position. If all tied teams have not played each other, then proceed to (iii)

(iii) If still tied after (i) and (ii) above, utilizing all preliminary games, goals against divided by the sum of goals for and goals against, the team having the lowest percentage being awarded the higher position. This formula rewards teams with few goals against

Example:

Team A 9 goals for 6 goals against = 15 total  $6/15 = 0.40$

Team B 14 goals for 7 goals against = 21 total  $7/21 = 0.33$

Team C 9 goals for 20 goals against = 29 total  $20/29 = 0.68$

Team B would advance

(iv) If still tied after (i), (ii) and (iii) Fewest goals against in all games

(v) If still tied after (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) Fewest penalty minutes

(vi) If still tied after (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) A coin toss will determine the winner.

Playoff Games

All playoff games will be played to completion. Each game will be three 17 Minute Periods just like the preliminary games. Running time is allowed but the ten goal mercy rule will not apply. Overtime will be sudden death and timed as follows:

1. One 5 minute overtime; Free substitution
2. 4 on 4 for 5 minutes; Free substitution
3. 3 on 3 until goal is scored\*; Free substitution
  - If a penalty is called a player will be added to make it a 4on3

Playing rules –All games

USA Hockey Rules apply. No penalty box assistance will be allowed for the tournament.

Penalty times will be as follows:

- MINOR Penalties	2 minutes
- MAJOR Penalties	5 minutes
- MISCONDUCT Penalties	Half of period (8:30 minutes thirty seconds )
- FIGHTING Penalties	Player out for remainder of game and next game. Second offense - Player out of tournament.
- GAME MISCONDUCT	Player or team official out for remainder of game and next game. Second offense - Player out of tournament

After four preliminary games the top 4 teams will advance to the playoff round

**Playoffs**

Seed #1 vs Seed #4

Seed #2 vs Seed #3

**FINALS**

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