



Wisconsin Amateur Hockey Association
2012 Tier 1 & Tier 2 Playoffs
March 9 - 11, 2012



Age Classes	Regulation Time	Penalty Times
U14 Girls	5 Minute Warm-up 16 Minute Periods 2 Minute rest between periods Resurface before each game	2:00 Minor 5:00 Major 10:00 Misc.
Pee Wee	5 Minute Warm-up 15 Minute Periods 2 Minute rest between periods Resurface before each game	2:00 Minor 5:00 Major 10:00 Misc.
Bantam	5 Minute Warm-up 16 Minute Periods 2 Minute rest between periods Resurface before each game & after 2nd period	2:00 Minor 5:00 Major 10:00 Misc.
Girls U16, U19 & Midgets	5 Minute Warm-up 17 Minute Periods 2 Minute rest between periods Resurface before each game & after 2nd period	2:00 Minor 5:00 Major 10:00 Misc.

Youth and Girl's– Round Robin Format: All games tied at the end of regulation play will play one (1) overtime period of 5 minutes in length. If still tied after one overtime period, there will be a shootout. Each team will be awarded three points for a win in regulation, two points for win in overtime or shootout, one point for a loss in overtime or shootout and zero points for a loss in regulation.

Youth and Girl's Divisions – Best 2 out of 3 Format: - All games tied at the end of regulation play will play overtime as indicated in Overtime Procedures.

Tiebreakers: Used per USA Hockey Annual Guide, pages 159 – 161.

Each team is allowed one timeout per game (no extra timeout in overtime), **and must be requested before the conclusion of the line change procedure per USAH playing rules.**

All games must be completed in their entirety – NO TIME shall be taken off the clock for any reason.

THERE IS NO RUNNING TIME IN ANY GAME UNLESS EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZED BY THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR. Twelve (12) minutes intermissions (placed on the scoreboard clock) when the ice is resurfaced.

All Coaches must be designated on the scoresheet for each team with appropriate CEP information listed. Scorekeepers must secure this information before each game per USAH playing rules. Each on-ice Official must sign the game score sheet. A Game report will be completed for all Game Misconduct or more severe penalties immediately following the game. The game report will be forwarded to the Tournament Director in a timely fashion.

All Game Misconduct penalties assessed under USAH Rule 404(d) (5/15 rule) cannot be appealed and must be served in their team's next scheduled game.

There will be a WAHA representative at the rink that can answer any questions or solve any problems.



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Overtime Procedures

(a) Youth and Girls Games – Round Robin Format

1. All Games Played to a Winner:

If the game is tied following regulation play, one five-minute sudden death overtime period shall be played. At the completion of the third period, the tied teams shall receive a three-minute rest period. The teams will remain on the ice. The teams will not change ends. If the score is tied at the end of the five-minute sudden death overtime period, there shall be a shootout. The winner of the shootout will be credited with one additional goal in the final score. **If no goal is scored in the overtime period, there will be a shootout.**

a. Shootout

The shootout will be conducted as follows:

- A shootout is defined as a player attempting to score a goal and the opposing goalkeeper attempting to stop the shooter from scoring the goal.
- The referee shall call the two captains to the referee's crease to flip a coin to determine which team takes the first shot. The winner of the coin toss will have the choice whether his/her team will shoot first or second.
- All goalkeepers and all players from both teams listed on the official game sheet shall be eligible to participate in the shootout.
- Any player whose penalty had not been completed when the overtime period ended or who receives a penalty during a shootout procedure is not eligible to be one of the players selected to participate in any portion of the shootout procedure(s).
- The shootout procedure shall begin with five different individual shooters from each team taking alternate shots. The players do not need to be named beforehand.
- The goalkeepers from each team may be changed after each shot.
- The players of both teams will take the shots alternately until a decisive goal is scored. The remaining shots will not be taken.
- If after the shootout, the shootout score is still tied, there will be a sudden death shootout.

b. Sudden Death Shootout

The sudden death shootout will be conducted as follows:

- 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.
- Teams will select their shooters to participate in sudden death shootout, whether or not they shot in the previous round.
- All goalkeepers and all players from both teams listed on the official game sheet shall be eligible to participate in the shootout.
- Any player whose penalty had not been completed when the overtime period ended or who receives a penalty during a shootout procedure is not eligible to be one of the players selected to participate in any portion of the shootout procedure(s).
- Players in a sudden death shootout shall not be allowed to take another shot until four additional shooters have completed their attempts.
- The goalkeepers from each team may be changed after each shot.
- The official scorekeeper shall record all shots taken indicating the players, goalkeepers and goals scored.



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Overtime Procedures

(b) Youth and Girls/Women Games – Best 2 out of 3 Format

1. The game shall be continued to determine a winner.
2. At the completion of the third period, there shall be a five (5) minute rest period before the start of the first overtime session.
3. All overtimes shall be ten (10) minutes in length and sudden death. Teams shall not switch ends throughout overtime periods, therefore teams will play in the same end from which they played during the third period until a winner is determined.
4. At the completion of the first overtime, if the teams are still tied, the teams shall leave the ice and the ice shall be resurfaced. A second overtime period shall begin immediately following the ice resurfacing.
5. Following the second overtime, there shall be a five (5) minute rest period prior to the start of the third overtime session.
6. If the teams remain tied at the completion of the third overtime period, the teams shall leave the ice and the ice shall be resurfaced.
7. Thereafter, the foregoing process in items 1-6 shall be repeated until such time as a winner is determined by the competition.