

Street Soccer 2020 – Tournament & Game Rules

FIFA Rules Apply Except For Those Noted Below:

Game Duration

10 minutes with 5 minute halves and 1 minute halftime.

Each team must report for the Match 5minutes before with minimum 3 players.

The Tournament is scheduled to start at 15:45hrs and will continue until 23:00hrs with a 15minute break for prayer times. Match schedules will be given to teams in advance.

The Ball and Pitch

This tournament will be played with no.4 size street ball.

Pitch Dimensions: 30ft x 50ft. The goals are 3 feet high and 4 feet wide.

Compulsory Team/Player Equipment

Team Jersey/Tshirt (Same Color)

Socks

Futsal Shoes (No sharp soles)

All teams are requested to refrain from wearing jerseys with unethical graphics. Sleeveless jerseys are permitted and creativity / stylish jerseys can be accepted.

Team official or manager must also wear a suitable gear when in tournament or game premises.

Substitutions

Flying substitutions within the game allowed but substitute player must enter the pitch once the other player has left. No player is allowed to enter the pitch by jumping over the retaining walls.

All substitutes must remain in the team box to be allowed for substitution.

Foul Limit

A total of 5 fouls from both team, before the 5mins will lead to obtaining the result of the match by a penalty shootout.

Any action from below is a foul.

Direct Kicks

Grabbing/holding an opponent

Punching/fighting

No slide tackles.

Kicking or attempting to kick an opponent

Tripping an opponent

Jumping at an opponent

Charging an opponent in a violent or dangerous manner

Charging an opponent from behind

Striking, attempting to strike, or spitting at an opponent

Charging an opponent with shoulder (i.e. shoulder charge)

Other Rules and Offences

There are no goal keepers in this tournament, therefore any player may pass through the goal box. In defence the goal box can be occupied by only one player from defending team.

The Ball exiting the pitch will be replaced by referee by placing it near the area which it exited.

The Boundary Boards

Any player seen deliberately and with malice, pushing a player to the boards, will be given a yellow card, and if necessary, a red card.

Holding or grabbing the boundary wall while in play or to support the play will result in a foul.

Penalty Shootout

If at the end of the 2nd half no score is scored from either team, a shootout will crown a winner. A coin toss will determine which team to shoot 1st and will be given 3 shots per team.

No red carded player will be allowed to play in the shootout. If a match ends with 2 players, a substitute will be allowed for the shootout and if no substitute, any player from the 2 players can choose to play the last penalty for that team.

The Referees

Duties are to enforce the game laws/rules, keep a record of all incidents before, during and after the game, stop the game when deemed necessary, caution or expel players guilty of misconduct, violent conduct or other unsportsmanship behaviour, allow no others to enter the field not on a team currently playing, stop game to have injured players removed, signal for game to be restarted after every stoppage, keep abreast of official time clock, and ultimately regulate the game to a high standard.

All teams are to respect the decisions of the referee. Street soccer is a very casual game therefore in this tournament the referees are mostly someone from the organisers.

The 5 Feet Rule

In any dead ball situation the defending player must be 5feet away from the ball.

The 4 Second Rule

In any dead ball situation the ball must be kicked within 4 seconds, failing to do so will allow a turnover to the opposing team.

Kick-off can be played in any direction.

Goal Kicks can be taken from any point on the defensive line.

Good sportsmanship is the key to 3v3 Street Soccer game play and must prevail at all times.

Coaches/Team Captains will be held responsible for the conduct of themselves, their players, players' parents and related spectators. Any physical, threatening, or extensive contact with the referees or tournament staff will be an immediate dismissal from the tournament and any other future events.

The ultimate objective of this tournament is to enjoy football and have fun