

Sun Prairie Soccer Club Jamboree Rules



All teams are scheduled for three (3) games over a single weekend. There is no rescheduling due to weather. No scores are kept and all players receive medals for participation in the event.

All Coaches and parents are expected to create and promote a fun and safe environment for the players. Positive encouragement is great; negative comments or criticism are unacceptable. Cheering when the other team makes a great play is great. Cheering when another team makes a mistake is unacceptable. NO yelling at the opposing coach, players, or fans by any coach, player, or spectator.

Game Rules

- Shin guards and cleats are required.
- Ball size: 3.
- Field size: 75'x105'
- Format: 4v4 (no goalkeepers).
- Game length: Four (4) 10-minute quarters, with a 3-minute break between quarters and a 5-minute break at halftime. Kick-offs should be alternated each quarter.
- Substitutions: Unlimited
- Kick-offs, free kicks, throw-ins, goal kicks, and corner kicks are used to restart play.
- Build-out lines are used. At all goal kicks, the opposing players must move out of the build-out area and remain on the other side of the build-out line until the ball is in play.
- NO penalty kicks.
- NO offsides.
- Since there is no referee, coaches are expected to manage the game environment using their best and impartial judgement.
- All teams must wear the same colored shirt.
- When teams arrive and are short of players, players from the team with enough numbers can "loan" a player or two to the other team that is short of players so the kids can play.