

## **Youth Rules Summary**



	U-6 age cut-off July 31	U-7 age cut-off July 31	U-9 age cut-off July 31	U-11 age cut-off July 31	JR VARSITY	VARSITY	U-18 age cut-off July 31
Referee	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Ball Size	3	3	4	4	5	5	5
# of Players	4 v 4	6 v 6	8 v 8	9 v 9	8 v 8	11 v 11	11 v 11
	NO Goalie	1 must be a Goalie	1 must be a Goalie	1 must be a Goalie	1 must be a Goalie	1 must be a Goalie	1 must be a Goalie
	4-8 minute Qtrs	4-10 minute Qtrs	2-25 min Halves	2-30 min Halves	2-30 min Halves	2-35 min Halves	2-40 min Halves
Duration of	5 min half time	5 min half time	5 min half time	5 min half time	5 min half time	5 min half time	5 min half time
Game	Each player must play	Each player must play	Each player must play	Each player must play	Each player must play	Each player must play a	Each player must play a
	half of the game	half of the game	half of the game	half of the game	half of the game	min. of 9 min. per game	min. of 9 min. per game
	Shin-guards Socks that cover shin-guards	Shin-guards Socks that cover shin-guards	Shin-guards Socks that cover shin-guards	Shin-guards Socks that cover shin-guards	Shin-guards Socks that cover shin-guards	Shin-guards Socks that cover shin-guards	Shin-guards Socks that cover shin-guards
	RAC Uniform only	RAC Uniform only	RAC Uniform only	RAC Uniform only	RAC Uniform only	RAC Uniform only	RAC Uniform only
Equipment	Soccer Shoes	Soccer Shoes	Soccer Shoes	Soccer Shoes	Soccer Shoes	Soccer Shoes	Soccer Shoes
	NO TOE CLEAT	NO TOE CLEAT	NO TOE CLEAT	NO TOE CLEAT	NO TOE CLEAT	NO TOE CLEAT	NO TOE CLEAT
	NO JEWELRY NO EXCEPTIONS	NO JEWELRY NO EXCEPTIONS	NO JEWELRY NO EXCEPTIONS	NO JEWELRY NO EXCEPTIONS	NO JEWELRY NO EXCEPTIONS	NO JEWELRY NO EXCEPTIONS	NO JEWELRY NO EXCEPTIONS
Slide Tackles	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	Allowed, but	Allowed, but	Allowed, but	Allowed, but	Allowed, but
			not from behind	not from behind	not from behind	not from behind	not from behind
	Only Indirect	Goal Keeper must throw the ball, No punting the ball	Goal Keeper must throw the ball, No punting the ball				
Free Kicks	No Penalty Kicks	Attacking team must be behind attacking line on re-start of the game	Attacking team must be behind attacking line on re-start of the game	USSF	USSF	USSF	USSF
	No Offsides	No Offsides, no Penalty Kicks	Players can NOT Head the ball	Players can NOT Head the ball			
	Can't Score from Kick-Off	Can't Score from Kick-Off	Can't Score from Kick-Off	Can't Score from Kick-Off	Can't Score from Kick-Off		
		Coach allowed behind goal	Coach allowed behind goal	Coach allowed behind goal	Coach allowed behind goal		
Throw-ins	Yes	2 Attempts	1 Attempt	Retry until ½ of season	No Retry	No Retry	No Retry
	In the middle	Both Teams on any	Both Teams on any	Both Teams on any	USSF	USSF	USSF
Substitutions	of each quarter or	Throw-ins	Throw-ins	Throw-ins	*Ether team goal kick	*Ether team goal kick	*Ether team goal kick
	at the end of a	Goal Kicks	Goal Kicks	Goal Kicks	or after a score	or after a score	or after a score
	quarter	After Goals	After Goals	After Goals	*Team in possession	*Team in possession	*Team in possession
		Corner Kicks	Corner Kicks		throw-in	throw-in	throw-in
		* Injury	* Injury	* Injury	* Injury	* Injury	* Injury
Cards	Coaches Referee No Cards	Yellow or Red	Yellow or Red	Yellow or Red	Yellow or Red	Yellow or Red	Yellow or Red

## Parents & fans must sit on the opposite side of the field from the player benches

**Weather**: If Lightning is indicated within 10 miles, The game will be delayed until the 10 miles zone is clear.

Game cancellations will be announced by 4:00 p.m. on weekdays and by 8:00 a.m. on Saturdays. This information can be accessed at www.rogersar.gov/recreation or by calling 479-631-0336 and choosing option #1.