

FUTSAL RULES

- Goal Keepers Circle, there can only be one
- Games will consist of two 14-minute halves with a 1 minute half time.
- Futsal is played 5-aside.
- 2 females to be on at all times.
- You have 5 minutes to have 2 females on the court, if you do not have 2 females by then the game can continue but the other team will 'Win by Default.'
- Massey Social Sport promotes fairness, inclusion, and **integrity**. We welcome trans and non-binary players. To ensure gender diversity, teams must have at least two women on the court at all times, and we encourage teams to also include players of diverse genders. Referees may adjust players for safety.

Dress Code

- You do not need to bring your own bibs. They're provided on the night.
- We recommend teams wear uniform/same coloured shirts.
- Active wear and soft soled shoes are required.
- No jewellery, hats or long nails are permitted. If you have long nails, you will be asked to cut them or to be removed off the court until then.

Deductive Points

- If your team fails to let me know by Tuesday that you cannot play on Wednesday night - 3 points will be deducted from your overall points on the leaderboard.
- If your team fails to turn up on the night - 5 points will be deducted from your overall score on the leaderboard.
- Any team who does not turn up to their match without letting me know prior to Wednesday will receive one warning. If this were to happen again they will be removed from the league without a refund.

General Game Rules

- Teams must have a minimum of 4 players to start, or the other team will 'Win by Default.'
- Kick off must include a pass to another team member before playing on.

- Only the goalie in the semi circle, you can change the goalie at any point.
- Only the Goalkeeper can handle the ball in the keepers area but not outside.
- Futsal is played with touchline boundaries and without walls.
- No tackling from behind, no slide tackles, no sole up challenges, no pushing or purposefully obstructing players.

Infringements:

- **Free Kicks:** When taking a free kick, you may only kick the ball once until it has come into contact with another player.
- **Sideline Kicks:** Defenders must be back 2 meters from a sideline kick.
- **Goals:** Goals can not be scored from inside the Goal Keepers Circle, the ball must have no contact with your foot once in the circle if going for goal.
- **Fouls:** Defender must play the ball first, and not the player (e.g. free kick for pushing, kicking, striking, etc. to get to the ball).

Leaderboard Points

Win: 3 points

Draw: 1 point

Loss: 0 Points