

COVID 19 RECREATIONAL GAME RESULTS RULE FOR RANDOM PLAYER SUBSTITUTIONS

In order to prevent games with various & random player/skater substitutions impacting standings and being disputed the below rule will be implemented when a team participating in a league game falls below 10 skaters and they require substitutions from the opposing team. All players that are used as substitutions will require to be identified with an "AP" on the gamesheet. In order to prevent spread of COVID 19 between teams, substitute players must come from the opposing team of the day and cannot be borrowed from any other team. Substitute goalies are permitted to be borrowed from a team in the league or from the league below.

It is preferred that both team head coaches and the league convener are able to determine if the game results can be recorded as played regardless of team composition prior to beginning the game

It is acceptable for the above 3 parties to agree unanimously on a 1-1 Tie

If they cannot/did not come to unanimous agreement before the game to one of the above options. The winner will be decided by coin toss at the end of the game witnessed by the referee(s) and recorded on the back of the gamesheet by the referee(s).

HEADS being the team with the most goals scored & TAILS being the team with the least goals scored.
The winner will be determined by the face of the coin that is up when it lands.

This rule shall apply in games with skater substitutions.

This rule shall not apply for goalie only substitutions.

Games decided under this rule by coin toss will be recorded as 1-0 and input by the division convener into the leagues official standings as such. Any tie will result in the score being posted as played.

This rule will be implemented by the Division Director, any disputes regarding this rule need to be submitted in writing to the Division Director, VC-Recreational and Recreational Referee Assignor for final ruling and reported to the BOD. In order to achieve uniform application of this rule use the attached flow chart which will be the responsibility of the home team coach to carry a copy to each game should it be required

This rule will only apply for 2021/22 season playoffs due to COVID 19 protocols and the OMICRON variant.

