



ZAGREB KID'S WINTER TROPHY 2019
International Youth Indoor Soccer Tournament

TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

Article 1

The name of the tournament is Zagreb Kid's Winter Trophy

Article 2

The organiser of the tournament is the football academy DJEČJI NOGOMET.

Article 3

The tournament is managed by the Director, the Deputy Director and the Tournament Manager.

Article 4

The Tournament Director is: Nenad Gucec

The Deputy Director is: Luka Gucec

The Tournament Manager for the categories U7-U8-U9-U10-U11-U12: Damir Pinturić

The Tournament Manager for the categories U13-U14-U15-U17-U19: Marko Gucec

Article 5

The tournament is held for the following categories: U7(2013), U8(2012), U9(2011), U10(2010), U11(2009), U12(2008), U13(2007), U14(2006), U15(2005), U17(2003) and U19(2001).

Article 6

Players born in the year for their respective category are eligible to participate in the tournament. The Organiser has the right to make a different decision for specific and other reasons, which is determined by the Tournament Director on a case by case basis.

Article 7

Players are required, upon request, to present a valid passport, ID card, sports card or provide identification through their Comet ID.

Article 8

All matches begin at the appointed time and no team shall be exempt for tardiness. The team which does not appear at the pitch at the appointed match time according to official schedule is considered to forfeit the game with the result of 3:0.

The official tournament schedule is the schedule posted at all the tournament venues on the day of the tournament, the schedule delivered in written form to team managers on the day of the tournament before the first match or the schedule posted the day before the tournament (11 December 2019) on the tournament's official web page (www.djecjinogomet.com).

In the case neither team appears on the pitch at the appointed match time, both teams forfeit one point. The Tournament Manager has the right to postpone or change the match kick off time due to force majeure or other justified reasons.

Article 9

The tournament is played in a 4+1 system for categories U19 and U17 and 5+1 system for the remaining categories.

Match time is 1 x 20 minutes with no break.

All the matches are officiated by one referee, with two judges officiating the final games in the U19, U17 and U15 categories.

Article 10

Substitutions shall be performed on the fly and reported at the scorekeeping table at the middle of the pitch.

Article 11

A goal cannot be scored directly from the kick-off.

When the ball is kicked passed the goal line by the opposing team, the goalkeeper returns the ball in play by throwing it with his hands (except in the categories U7, U8 and U9) and a goal cannot be scored from the throw in. The goalkeeper may score a goal from the penalty box only by dropping the ball and kicking the ball after it touches the ground or by drop kicking the ball. The goalkeeper may not handle the ball after it was deliberately passed by his teammate, except when the teammate passes the ball with any part of the body above the knee. In the case the goalkeeper handles the ball after it was deliberately passed by his teammate, an indirect free kick is awarded to the opposing team from the penalty area line. The throw-in is performed by kicking the ball which is placed on the ground and is touching the touch-line, additionally, the throw-in may be performed by kicking the ball when the ball is placed 1 meter outside the field of play if it is kicked into the field where it crossed the touch-line.

Article 12

All teams shall play in identical uniform jerseys and each player must play the whole of the tournament under the same number on the back of their jersey under which they were registered at the start of the tournament.

Article 13

In categories U13 through U19, in the event of rough play, a referee may issue the player with a caution (yellow card) or a dismissal (red card). Upon dismissal by the referee, the player must leave the pitch and surrounding area, and the team plays one man down for two minutes. In the case the team gets scored on by the opposing team, the penalty shall not be considered fulfilled and the two minute penalty shall be upheld fully, after which a substitute player may enter the match. Categories U12 and younger are not eligible for disciplinary measures and in the case of unsportsmanlike behaviour or infraction, the referee shall have the right to award the player a two minute suspension with a substitute player allowed to enter the pitch - the number of players on the pitch remains equal on both teams. At any point during the match, the players registered may switch positions during play, including the goalkeeper, however, if there is a switch in goalkeeper, the referee must be informed of the switch and the goalkeeper must be at all times wearing a jersey different to the other players. If the referee was not informed of the switch in goalkeeper, the referee has the right to issue a disciplinary measure against the player and the goalkeeper.

Article 14

Group standings shall be determined according to the following criteria: 1. number of points 2. head-to-head results 3. total goal difference 4. more goals scored 5. lots
If the final ends in a draw, the match is determined by penalty kicks from the 7 meter line with each team having three players doing the penalty kicks and the goalkeeper may be switched at each penalty kick. In the event of another draw following the penalty kicks, one chosen player and one goalkeeper face off in shoot outs, whereby the goalkeeper may not be switched, i.e. the goalkeeper at the start of the shoot out must remain until the end. All the registered players are eligible for the penalty kick and the position of the goalkeeper.
In case of closing of a circle with three or more teams with the same number of points, the HNS rule of Art. 65, which states that to determine the placements used a separate table just these three or more teams, the sum of points, their mutual ratio and their goal difference.

Article 15

All the players and their teams perform on their own responsibility. The participants are responsible for their belongings inside the venue; the Organiser is not responsible for items lost, misplaced or stolen.
Each participant and visitor of the competition (player, spectator, coach, ...) allows it to be photographed and recorded during the competition, and the organizer will use all official photos, videos and audio for promotional and commercial purposes tournament

Article 16

The Rules and Regulations are determined by the Organiser. The right to interpret the Rules and Regulations of the tournament is reserved for the Tournament Director, Deputy Tournament Director and Tournament Managers as well as the Head Referee in compliance with the conventions observed in standard football practice. Any and all objections may be submitted by team managers or club representatives registered at the start of the tournament with their name and surname, position and contact information. Objections shall be submitted in writing upon the end of the match or during the duration of the match in question. The decision made by the Director, Deputy Director or Tournament Manager are final. The decisions made by the referees are not subject to objection.

Jastrebarsko, 10 December 2019

NENAD GUGEC
Tournament Director