



NIAGARA PIONEER SOCCER LEAGUE

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION POLICIES

- USE SIZE 4 BALL.
- SEPARATED GIRLS AND BOYS.
- MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PLAYERS ON THE FIELD 8v8.
- USE OF GOALKEEPERS.
- NUMBER OF COACHES ON THE FIELD – MAXIMUM OF ONE PER TEAM.
- POSITIONS – GENERALLY TWO FORWARD, ONE MIDFIELD, TWO BACK AND GOALKEEPER. IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED TO ROTATE ALL POSITIONS.
- GAME TO CONSIST OF (2) 25 MINUTE HALVES .
- SUBSTITUTIONS ALLOWED AT WHISTLE ONLY.
- USE OF THROW-INS.
- ALL PLAYERS MUST PLAY AT LEAST HALF GAME.
- **PRACTICE IS MANDATORY. FIND AN OPEN FIELD TO PRACTICE ON. A MINIMUM OF 45 MINUTES IS REQUIRED. Please make parents aware of this and emphasize the importance of practice to the players' development and enjoyment of the game!**
- PLAYERS/PARENTS SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED TO BRING A SIZE 4 BALL EACH NIGHT TO ENSURE THAT THERE IS A BALL FOR EACH PLAYER DURING PRACTICE
- **ALL FIRST GAMES START AT 6:30 SHARP!** ALL GAMES MUST START ON TIME. GAMES CAN START WITHOUT A FULL TEAM.

TEAM # _____

COLOR _____