



## DUBLIN SOCCER LEAGUE

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To: All U10 & U11/12 Coaches

From: Dublin Soccer League

Re: Rec. Soccer Tournament - May 18, 2024

The annual spring recreation soccer tournament for U10 and U11/12 boys and girls will take place Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>. Championship games will be completed early in the afternoon.

The following tournament rules apply:

1. Seeding will be based on regular spring season results only.
2. Players must be registered to the participating team in the tournament.  
**Use of players not on the team's roster will result in a forfeit** (recorded as a 3-0 loss).
3. All preliminary games consist of two 15-minute halves, with a 5-minute halftime.
4. The Championship game consists of two 25-minute halves.
5. The tournament is **single** elimination.
6. If a game ends in a tie, there will be one 5-minute overtime period. If after the overtime period the score is tied, the game will be decided by penalty kicks. Each coach will choose 5 players from his whole team to attempt a penalty kick. If the game is tied after 5 attempts, a sudden death shoot-out will take place. Every player is to get a turn before anyone gets a second turn.

See the game bracket for your team's game time and field assignment. Please be sure players have plenty of fluids the day of the tournament. Current standings will be posted at the tournament headquarters at the north side of the soccer concession stand.

**Check-in at the north side of the concession stand prior to your first game for any updates**

**GOOD LUCK AND HAVE FUN!**

**WEATHER RELATED DELAYS:** In the event a game must be suspended because of thunder and lightning delays, the Tournament Director may declare it an official game if the first half has been completed. If the first half has not been completed, the game will be resumed as soon as possible following the thunder and lightning delay and will be restarted from the time the game was suspended. Upon conclusion of the first half, the Tournament Director may declare it an official game in order to resume playing the remaining scheduled games. The Director may shorten the length of the halves in an effort to get remaining games played. If all of the scheduled games cannot be played, it is unlikely games will be scheduled for a later date and the remainder of the tournament may be terminated.