

# Eastern District Gaming League

## Policies and Procedures

### Rules:

1. Eastern District Super 2 Rules apply to Super 2 teams (Silver Flight Teams)
2. Eastern District Division One Rules apply to all other Flights.
3. In the event a situation arises that is not covered in Rules or in these Policies and Procedures then STYSA Rules will apply.

### Player Passes:

Although we have used the player pass concept in the U11 and U12 Qualifiers this will be the first season it is being implemented in the older age groups. We will basically be using the same method in the older groups with a few exceptions. The following will be the procedures we will use to start the season but we will retain the right to change these procedures as we go along. If changes are made we will post them on the web site 10 days prior to the date the changes will go into effect.

- a. Guest player must play in the same or older age level as the primary team to which he or she is rostered.
- b. Guest player must play in the same or a higher level competition as his or her primary team. Guest player may play down one level of competition but in the same age group if the player is rehabilitating from a serious injury or illness. A serious injury or illness is defined as an injury or illness that required verifiable medical treatment and required the player to have not participated in games for a period of sixty (60) days or longer.
- c. Guest player may play for only one team in a day (this includes his or her Primary team),
- d. Individual Penalty Points will accumulate jointly for all games played (separate accumulations by team or competition will not be allowed). Penalty Point suspensions for the player must be served with the player's Primary team and the player is ineligible for guest playing until the suspension has been served. The player, coach (of both the Primary and guest team), and the coaching director of each club are responsible for monitoring and complying with STYSA's Progressive Disciplinary System. There will be a minimum of a four (4) game, non-probated, suspension for all adults responsible for monitoring and complying with STYSA's Progressive Disciplinary System in the event that a violation is found to have occurred in connection with a player's participation in the Club Player Pass System.
- e. A team may have a pool of players as guest players not to exceed the following seasonal year pool limit and per game limit. A player in the team's pool may guest play for the team multiple times during the seasonal year. A player may be in multiple team pools.
  - U13 - U19 teams – four (4) players per game with a total pool of 26
  - U11 – U12 teams – three (3) players per game with a total pool of 20
- f. Under no circumstances may a guest player be used that is not properly registered with STYSA.

## **Jersey Colors:**

In an effort to avoid conflicts at the fields with Jersey colors the home team should wear dark color jersey and the away team should wear light color jersey.

## **Game Procedures:**

### **1. Before Start of Play**

- Game reports will be at the fields on regularly scheduled games (Saturdays and Sundays). Make up games played during the week will be emailed to the teams.
- The Home team is responsible for picking up the Game Report from the Field Coordinator 30 minutes before game time.
- Each team is to make sure Game Report has the correct Jersey # for each player listed.
- Each team is responsible to see that any Adult and/or Player serving a suspension is noted and initialed by the referee, on the back of the game report, before the game starts. A line should be drawn through the players name and the same should be done if the Adult is listed on the Game Report.
- ***If you are using guest players***, you must have them written on the game report in the space provided. Since space is limited on the game report for writing in players, guest players need to be written with last name and first letter of first name. Also the players Id Number should be written in using the numbers to the right of the hyphen (-)...see below.

**Example (Johnathan Mcgillicutty 17658-479555 would be written Mcgillicutty, J 479555)**

### **2. During the Game**

- A maximum of 4 Adults will be allowed, for each team, on the Team Side of the field.
- These Adults must have Valid Adult Participation Passes (KidSafe) in order to be eligible to be on the sideline with the teams.
- The Coach of record of each team is responsible for seeing that no one other than eligible Adults are allowed on their sideline.

### **3. At the End of Game**

- Each Team is responsible to check the Game Report and see that the scores or correct and any penalties issued during the game or shown correctly by the Referee. Any discrepancies should be brought to the attention of the Referee before leaving the fields.
- Each Coach/Manager is should Initial the Game Report in appropriate box and be sure to indicate if the Official Checked the ID Cards before the start of play.
- The Winning Team is responsible for returning the Game Report to the Field Coordinator or in case of a Tie the Home Team will take responsibility.