

Tournament of Terror Rules

Game Length

12 minutes - No halves; it will be a 12-minute straight-through game.

Number of Players

4v4 - No Maximum on Roster

General Rules

- No intentional balls over head-height
- No heading
- Players cannot score from any restart (kick-off, kick-ins, goal kicks, or corners)
- All Free Kicks are Indirect (once the ball is touched, another player must touch the ball)
- There is no offside
- Fouls and Misconduct conform to FIFA Rules
- Kick-Ins - There will be no throw-ins and these will be replaced with kick-ins.
- Goal Kicks can be taken from anywhere on the defensive line and all players must be 5 yards away.
- All goals will have a D around them.
 - No Players in the D around the goal
 - If a defending player has gone into the D to either get the ball or gain an advantage by going through the D, it will result in a GOAL to the attacking team.
 - If an attacker gains an advantage by being in the D, it will result in a goal kick. If the ball stops in this area it will result in a goal kick to the defending team.

Please note these rules as in any game are at the discretion of the referee, this may vary slightly from field to field with referees. Please remember these referees are there to ensure your child has an enjoyable experience.

Point System

3 Points for a Win

1 Point for a Draw

0 Points for a Loss

Tie Breaker

1. Head-to-Head
2. Goal Difference (Maximum of 5 Goals)
3. Golden Goal Game (first team to score wins) to decide who advances or wins the competition
4. If a semifinal or final were to finish as a draw, the team will play Golden Goal (First Team to score wins)

Coaching

We strongly recommend no coaching during this event. Coaches/parents are there to make subs. We want players to express themselves and make decisions on their own. As mentioned before we want players to enjoy themselves during this event.

Substitutions

Subs can be made at any stoppage of the game. Ensure the referee is made aware before a player comes onto the field. The referee is within their rights to refuse any more subs if it appears someone is doing this to gain advantage and run down the clock.

Start Time & Final Whistle

An Air horn will go off which will signal the start and end of each game, please be quick in getting onto the field as well as the end of the game. The moment the air horn goes off the game is finished. The air horn at the start of the game is for the referee and they will signal when the game will start.

No Interactions with Referees

The referees ensure the event runs smoothly and your child has an enjoyable experience. Please do not question a referee's decision, as this can also reduce their levels of enjoyment and a lot of the referees will also be children. Anyone who doesn't abide by this will be asked to leave the event.