

**MISA (Marin Interleague Soccer Alliance)
Referee Information and Playing Rules for Regular Season League Games
For TPSC U14 and U19 boys and girls Recreational Teams**

- **Roster Cards:** Each team shall have a laminated roster card with all registered players photo and name, in addition to each coach/es name and photo (and team manger if applicable). The roster card shall be approximately 8 ½ x 11”.
- **Roster Card / Referee Review:** Roster Cards will be presented to the referee prior to the game starting. Players not on the Laminated Roster Card are not allowed to play under any circumstance.
- **Teams without Roster Card at Game Time:** Teams without a roster card shall play the game. The infringement and reason for lack of roster shall be reported to the Club Board and MISA.
- **Game Cards:** Referees shall complete game cards for every MISA game including the date, score, coach’s names, and final score. The game card shall also include any infractions in which a penalty card has been issued. The game card shall be signed by referee and returned to the referees MISA home representative.
- **Coaches / Spectators:** Coaches and players for both teams shall be on the same sideline, with all spectators viewing from the opposite sideline. There is no viewing from either end-line.
- **Spectators:** All spectators shall behave in accordance with their home clubs Code of Conduct regardless of where the game is being played.
- **Coaching Staff:** There shall be a limit of three coaches / staff for each team. Each coaching staff shall have at least one staff member 18 years of age or older.
- **Referee Authority:** The referee has jurisdiction over the game and all coaches, players and spectators from the time he/she enters the field of play until he signals the end of the game. Referees will follow all home Club rules.
- **Uniform Color:** It is required that teams participate in distinctly different colors. In the event that both teams are wearing the same color, the home team will be required to change to an alternate color.
- Players wearing a **hard orthopedic cast or splint** shall not participate in any game. Soft casts may be allowed at the discretion of the referee.
- **Goalies** shall wear a jersey, or vest, of a color other than that of either team or the referee.
- **Red Cards:** The Center Referee of the game notifies the Club Referee Coordinator, the CRC contacts the MISA Representative and the MISA Coordinator, it is brought to the MISA Board for further evaluation of suspension or consequence.

Playing Rules 2013

Standard Playing Rules:

MISA shall play under the standard FIFA laws of the game. MISA reserves the right to amend rules as necessary to maintain a fair and safe playing experience for all players.

Game Time, Ball Size, Player Count:

U14, play two 35 minute halves | 10-min. halftime | size 5 ball | Number of players -11v11

HS play two 40 minute halves | 10-min. halftime | size 5 ball | Number of players - 11v11

Substitutions:

All Substitutions shall be made at the referee’s discretion and approval at any stoppage of play, excluding a corner kick.

Player(s) coming off the field will be removed before substitute(s) enter the field. Substituted player(s) will be at the mid line ready to enter the field.

The team in possession of the ball may substitute an unlimited number of players on throw-ins. A team may substitute on the opponent's throw in, if substitutions are being made AND at the discretion of the referee.

Number of Players:

Based on the FIFA laws of the game, each team shall play with no less than seven, and nor more than 11. Teams need not play with fewer than 11 (play numbers down) as it will unfairly penalize the team with the correct number of players.

Game Ball:

The game balls shall be furnished by the Home Team