Intramural Sports

Futsal Rules Summary:

Generally, the rules of the National Federation of State High School Associations outdoor soccer will be used to govern Futsal play with various modifications.

I  Team Size
   • 5 Players plus goalie. A minimum of 4 players are needed to start the Match. A minimum of 3 players are required to finish the Match. Maximum of 8 players per team. A team may substitute “on the fly” and there are no limits to substitutions. Every team must appoint a captain. Coed modifications will be decided before the league begins.

II  Players’ Equipment
   • Team jerseys must match or team must use the pennies provided by Intramurals. Goalkeepers will wear colors that distinguish them from other players and the referees.
   • All players must not use equipment or wear anything that is dangerous to themselves or other players, including any kind of jewelry. Jewelry should be removed.
   • All players must wear non-marking indoor shoes or tennis shoes while competing. Shin guards are highly recommended but not required for play.

III  The Game
   • Each half will be 15 minutes in length with a continuous running clock. Half-time will be 5 minutes. Only the referee has the discretion to stop the clock. Time-outs are not allowed. Tied games will remain as a tie during the regular season. During playoffs, a tied game will be determined by a shootout tiebreaker procedure. Game time is forfeit time.
   • The start of play will be a coin toss followed by kickoff.
   • There are no offside in Futsal.
   • There is no slide tackling allowed.
   • The ball in and out play areas are determined by the referee.
   • All fouls and misconduct during a game will be dealt with by the referee and their decisions are final. Unsporting behavior, dangerous play and ejections will be dealt with by the Intramural Director.