LK Sports Indoor Futsal League

Soccer Rules

Field/Court

* Played on a basketball court
* Each penalty area is defined by the 3-point basketball lines
* Penalty spot is in the middle of the free throw line
* Second penalty mark is in the middle of the 3-point line

Ball

* Played with a #4 Futsal Ball

Players

* There are 4 field players and 1 goal keeper
* Max number of players 5
* Min number of players 3
* 10 player Max on each team

Substitutions

* Substitutions allowed at any time the ball is in play (“on the fly”)
* Player MUST first leave the count in front of his/her own bench
* Sub may enter ONLY after the player left the court

**Duration**

* 25 Min halves for tournament and for league play
* **20 Min 10U 12U halves for tournament and for league play**
* 3 mins for half time
* Time out requests are made the referee and allowed at the ref discretion

**Offside**

* There is no offside in Futsal Rules

Kickoff

* Kickoff MUST be played forward
* A goal cannot be scored directly from a kickoff

Kick-IN

* A kick in is awarded when the whole ball leaves the court over the touchlines, OR touches the ceiling or a structure about the court
* Opposing players must be at least 5 yards from the ball
* Ball must be played within 4 seconds of being ready to do so
* The referee will give a visual count
* A goal cannot be scored directly from a kick-in

Goal Clearance

* The goalkeeper MUST throw the ball (no kick) into play
* Ball must be played within 4 seconds of being ready to do so
* The referee will give a visual count
* The ball is in play when it leaves the penalty area
* The goal keeper cannot touch the ball again until after is played by an opponent (no goal clearance to self).

Corner Kick

* The ball must be placed within the corner arc
* Ball must be played within 4 seconds of being ready to do so
* The referee will give a visual count
* If there is no corner arc, the ball must be placed at the intersection (corner) of goal line and touch line
* Ball is in play when it clearly moves
* A goal may be scored directly from a corner kick

Fouls and Misconduct Fouls

* Sliding is NOT Allowed
* Tackling is NOT Allowed
* Examples:
  + Player slides to play the ball, opponents is within playable distance, no contact-Foul, IFK (dangerous play)
  + Player slides to play the ball, opponents is within playable distance, contact-Foul, DFK (tackling)
* Ball must be played within 4 seconds of being ready to do so
* The referee will NOT give a visual count
* **IF THE BALL IS KICKED ABOVE THE LINE OF PLAY ON THE WALLS PLAYER WILL SIT IN THE PENALTY BOX FOR 2 MINS**

**Cautions and Sendoff**

* **If a player is sent off, the player MUST leave the court, there team will play without the sent off player for 2 minutes or after the opposing team scores, whichever occurs first**