

## **MIDLANDS SUMMER CUP RULES**

Players can be registered up until 30th April 2010; after which only Category A players (only played recreational hockey) can be added all through the competition, until the end of the season. League players signed after 31st January 2010 will not be eligible for the competition this season.

Players who are registered with more than one club, must only appear on one team list - their first registered team.

If no officials show for the game, even though it has been sanctioned with the EIHA, a player from each team will officiate and the result will stand.

If either team fails to show for the game, the offending team will forfeit 10-0. The offending team will also be responsible for costs under EIHA recreational rules - no further fixtures will be granted by Tony Wood until payment is made.

If any players play for a team, and are not registered on the EIHA website, the offending team will forfeit 10-0.

If a team walks off the ice during the game, they will forfeit 10-0 (unless the score is already greater) and be disciplined by the EIHA recreational section.

### **All Games**

1 Group of 7 teams.

Games are to be played home and away.

Games must be played 3 x 20 minute periods.

If tied after 3 periods, an extra 5 minutes sudden death overtime period 4 on 4, (unless either team is short handed already). First goal wins the extra point.

If still tied, 3 penalty shots each.

If still tied, sudden death penalty shots (even amount)

### **Scoring**

2 points for a win

2 points for an overtime win

2 points for a penalty shoot out win

1 point for overtime loss

1 point for a penalty shoot out loss

0 points for a loss

### **Standings**

If tied on points in your group.

1 – Most wins.

2 – Goal Difference.

3 - Goals Scored.

4 – Least penalties

5- Least misconduct penalties

### **Result Procedure**

1) After the game text the result to the Mike Roddy along with the names of any players who received **MATCH** penalties (if any).

2) Within 3 days of the game please either e-mail a scan of the gamesheet or send via fax. (Details sent via e-mail)

### **Penalties and Suspensions**

Any player playing whilst under suspension - his team will forfeit the game he is suspended from and be deducted a further 2 points. The player will miss all his teams' remaining games.

Match penalty misses at least the next game awaiting report from referee or referee chief and will be determined by EIHA recreational disciplinary. Any player assessed a match penalty during a Summer Cup game **MUST** miss at least one Summer Cup game.

### **Play offs**

Saturday 4th September 2010, at Ice Sheffield.

Top 4 teams from the group stage qualify for the play offs. Team will forfeit their place in playoff finals if games are cancelled without a valid reason (not enough players available is not a good reason)

2 semi-final games.

2 semi-final losers to play for Plate trophy.

2 semi-final winners to play for Summer Cup play off trophy