



Game Control and Tips

Kick-Off

Keep Defending Team Back to Allow Proper Kick Off
Don't Move Until Touched

Positioning

Pre-K:	None
Kindergarten	Spread Out, Offense and Defense
1 st and 2 nd :	Spread Out, Offense and Defense, Left/Right
3 rd and 4 th :	Spread Out, Offense and Defense, Left/Right, Offsides

Substituting

Substituting can be the most challenging task for many coaches
Have a plan, Use parents to time intervals
Keep team together on sideline, not spread up and down sideline

Avoiding Blow-Outs

The league has made its best effort to balance teams, however it will never be perfect.
While we do not keep score, coaches should be aware of unbalanced games.
Coaches should openly communicate with each other to maintain balanced play.

Tips:

1. Add a player, younger kids will not likely notice
2. Pull players back to defense.
3. Passing rule, must make 1 or 2 passes before scoring (older players only)
4. Pull on-field player aside to show positioning and anticipation

Parental Issues:

If you have a concern about a rude or over-zealous parent, please inform us asap.
When your team is scored upon, encourage fans to yell "Good Try" instead of groaning.

Tips:

- Lead Team with Hands-In Cheer to Encourage Enthusiasm ("On 3, 1, 2, 3 Go Tornadoes")
- **Lead by example; do not complain about calls, act frustrated or disappointed**
- Keep on schedule and encourage parents to arrive early for warm up
- Encourage Parents to keep you informed about game day attendance.

**Thank You Again For Your Coaching Efforts
We Hope You Enjoy The Season**