# WJAA High School Boys Soccer Tournament Hosted by Canadian Academy

### **Rules:**

- The tournaments games are 11-aside
- FIFA rules apply with unlimited substitution
- Game Length
  - Games on Friday will be 2 x 35 minute halves with a 5 minute half time
  - Games on Saturday 2 x 35 minute halves with a 5 minute half time
  - 5/6th game will be 2 x 20 minute halves with a 5 minute half time
  - 3/4th game will be 2 x 25 minute halves with a 5 minute half time
- Home teams listed first dressed in light uniform
- Yellow cards do not accumulate from one game to the next during the tournament.
- If a player receives two yellow cards in a match, he is given a red card and ordered to leave the field.
- If a red card is given during the game that player is out for the rest of the match. He may play in the following match.
- The tournament director may remove a player or coach for unsportsmanlike behavior.
- The tournament director, in consultation with the coach may remove a player who is injured, particularly a head injury.
- The tournament Director has the right to exclude a player from following games if s/he observes extreme unsportsmanship behaviour. (January 2018)

## Mercy rulings:

The game is officially over when a point differential of 8 goals is reached. The winning team will proceed to follow the following guidelines:

• Enter as many non-starting players as possible.

### **Miscellaneous Tournament rulings:**

Ties in Championship games will be decided by extra time periods at the end of regulation time ( $2 \times 8$  minute halves for HS)

- o No Golden Goal
- There is no break at the end of the first 8 minutes. Teams shall just change sides.
- If a tie still remains after extra time, the winner will be decided by PK's (5)

Ties in the 3rd/4th final will be decided by PK's (3) Ties in the 5th/6th will stay as a draw.

## **Tie Breaker for seedings:**

- 1. Head-to head result
- 2. Goal differential between tied teams (no credit for more than 5 goal margin)
- 3. Goal differential in all games (no credit for more than 5 goal margin)
- 4. Goals allowed between tied teams (no credit for more than 5 goal margin)
- 5. Goals allowed in all games (no credit for more than 5 goal margin)
- 6. Penalty kicks PK's (5)

When head to head results in a team sport tiebreaker protocol does not settle a three or more team tie, we do not go back to head to head after a point-differential (or its sport specific equivalent) solution has become evident. (In the event point-differential totals or its sport specific equivalent, are a tie between two schools, head to head results will decide promotion) (January 2018)