

3 vs. 3 Tournament General Information, Rules and Scoring

General Info

- > Teams should check in by 4pm.
- > Tournament starts at 4:30pm and should end at approximately 6:30pm.
- All games will be played on the Parish blue field or the practice fields behind the visitor side bleachers. If more space is needed the baseball outfield will be used.
- Players on each team should have matching jerseys (feel free to get creative). We will have pinnies in case of any color clashes.
- > All players should have shin guards and bring water and snacks.
- 1st-4th grade students may attend extended care until the tournament check in at no charge. Email <u>extend@parish.org</u> if your child will attend, and if someone other than the parent is taking your child to the tournament, please send written authorization to <u>extend@parish.org</u>.

Game Rules

- > 3 Players on the field at a time.
- Games are 2- 10 minute halves with a 2- minute half time break. Pitch: 20 yards by 40 Yards. Goals: 2 feet by 3 feet tall
- > Kick off from center spot, ball may be played back. Substitutions on any dead ball.
- All out of bounds are taken as kicks. Ball must be stopped and on the line. All kicks are direct.
- You may not defend in the goal box (8ft x 10ft) Goal counts if defender stops the ball in the box on the way to the goal.
- > You may not score from within the box.
- > Opponents must be 4 yards away from all restarts.
- > No offside.
- > No slide tackling allowed.
- Any fouls committed, time wasting and swearing will result in the ball being turned over to the other team from the spot of the foul. Fouls in the offensive half will result in a penalty kick from the 8 yard mark to the opposing team. All players must be behind the ball. The ball cannot be touched by another player.

Scoring

- > 6 Points for a win
- > 3 Point for a tie
- > 1 points for a shutout (0-0 tie equals 4 points)



- > 1 point for each goal (maximum 3 points per game)
- > 10 points maximum per game

Tie breaker

- Winner of head to head
- Winner of most games
- Goal differential (goals scored minus goals against) with a maximum of 3 goals differential per game.
- Fewest goals allowed
- > A forfeit in play will result in a 3-0 score

Championship games

- > 2 5 minute halves followed by 2 2 minute extra time periods if necessary.
- > Followed by the best of three kicks from 8 yard mark.
- > Followed by individual kicks until a winner is declared.

Dogs

Are most welcome and encouraged to be with the family. But please be responsible and keep them under control and clean up after them.

Weather

In the event of severe weather such as lightning and thunderstorms, all games will be suspended and players will leave the open fields.

The Tournament Director will signal to all games in progress that the games have been suspended. The nearest safe building is School Gym. All players and parents should make their way to this location. When the weather has passed the games will resume.

Last but not least: We should enjoy and encourage the play, whether it is your player or a player from the opposing team. All comments should be positive, if not....silence is the best course of action (that's why a lot of coaches and parents chew gum. (1))

Celebrate the world's most popular game by applauding all good fair play. You can support players best by saying things like, "Play hard!", "Have fun!", and "I love watching you play!"

This is a fun, stress-free, community-building Parish event. Let's set the stage for our future 3x3 tournaments and make this a positive experience for everyone!