



Field Hockey Pre-season Minutes

July 30, 2019

Meeting was conducted at the CIFSDS office with the Advisory group. Metro conference was not present.

Officials comments:

Discussion took place regarding regular season overtime procedures and playoff overtime procedures. Advisory group decided to stick with rules established last year. That information is available on our website as well as the officials website.

Would like to have yellow balls provided for all rounds of the playoffs easier to view for evening games.

There may be a shortage of officials this year and they will do their best to notify schools if there is a problem. They continue to work on getting more qualified officials to work your games.

Tucker Warford will return as the instructional chair and assigner and Katie Moulder will serve as the rule's interpreter for this season.

Coaches Comments:

Coaches asked about officials' numbers and were made aware of the shortage.

Coaches discussed the necessity for stats and correct spelling of names for All CIFSDS selection when that time comes at the end of the season. The advisory group selects those teams and it's important they have your nominations and why they belong on first or second team.

Asked officials to review the need for officials to attend all 3 meetings so they can get more officials working their games.

Advisory was asked to look at next year moving the end of the season to a Friday and beginning the playoffs on the following week. It would mean the open teams may sit a little longer before they play but the D2 teams would not have to play back-to-back Saturday and Monday.

CIFSDS Comments:

Reminder that when playing D2 teams you will be receiving D3 power points. This is a change from previous years and is being run as a test for this season to see what affect it has on the rankings. After making the change for all to see if it were used for last year's rankings, it was decided this would be the best option this year

Reminder that rule books will be sent to your schools athletic director please contact them for your 2019 rulebook. If there is a problem contact Ron Marquez at the CIFSDS office via e-mail at ronciflds@gmail.com

September 21 all scores and schedules need to be updated by 9:00 p.m. to avoid \$100.00 fine and loss of first round playoff game

November 6, 2019 seeding 4:00 p.m. via teleconference and go to meeting format

November 7-8 Play in game if necessary

November 9-16 CIFSDS playoff Games at home sites

November 16 – Finals at Serra High School

Results of all tourneys need to be posted on your schedule regardless of if they are full games they still count as a W or L.

If you are hosting a tourney make sure the results are e-mailed to johncifsd@gmail.com with coaches from out of the SD sections contact information provided so I can track those teams in the future.

Do not list scrimmages on your schedule results we will remove them as we find them but it will be easier if they are not listed in the first place.