



SASKATCHEWAN

2024

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FIRST NATIONS
SUMMER GAMES



Soccer

Technical Blog

Hosted By: Lac La Ronge Indian
Band August 10th – 16th, 2024

1.0 Sport: Soccer

2.0 Competition Site: La Ronge, SK

- Churchill High School
- Pre-Cam Elementary School
- Morley Wilson Park

3.0 Competition Dates: August 10-16, 2024

4.0 Sanction: Yes – Saskatchewan Soccer Association

5.0 Competitors (per Team)

5.1 Competitors:

13U	Male: 14	Female: 14
15U	Male: 18	Female: 18
17U	Male: 18	Female: 18

5.2 Coaches and Managers: Total of 3 (2 Coaches, 1 manager)

5.3 Male: 2 coaches and 1 manager of which at least 2 must be male

5.4 Female: 2 coaches and 1 manager of which at least 2 must be female

6.0 Classifications

6.1 13U Male & Female (Born in 2011-2012)

15U Male & Female (Born in 2009-2010)

17U Male & Female (Born in 2007-2008)

Athletes may only be 1 year younger than the youngest age group. In Soccer, they cannot be born before 2012.

6.2 Alternates. 2 male and 2 female athletes may be listed as alternates for each age category.

Should the placement of the alternate become necessary due to injury, illness or absenteeism the team has until the commencement of the games to slot in the alternate. The maximum number of players that will be eligible to be registered participants of the games, issued accreditation and compete shall not exceed 2 male and 2 female athletes per team.

7.0 Eligibility

7.1 Athletes

- A. The Saskatchewan First Nation Summer Games shall be open to Saskatchewan Residents who are of Status Indian Ancestry. Athlete treaty numbers are required as proof.
- B. All athletes must play with their respective Tribal/ Grand Council teams they are a member of.
- C. All athletes must be a member of a First Nation within the Federation of Saskatchewan Indian Nations.
- D. Transfer of Status Indians to another Tribal/Grand council is allowed, as per Saskatchewan First Nation Winter and Summer Technical Manual RESIDENCY Clause.

7.2 Coaches

- A. Any staff listed as a coach on the official registration form must be age/stage appropriately trained:
- B. U-13: Minimum of Learn to Train Course plus NCCP – Module: Making Ethical Decisions (MED) and/or MED on-line Evaluation Competition Introduction and Rule of Two Module
- C. U-15/17: Minimum of Soccer for Life Course plus NCCP – Module: Making Ethical Decisions (MED) and/or MED on-line Evaluation Competition Introduction and Rule of Two Module
- D. All Coaching Staff must have completed the Respect in Sport Training in accordance with the Policies of the SSA.
- E. All Coaching Staff must have completed the Aboriginal Coaching Modules Training (ACM)
- F. All Coaching Staff must have an active (issued within the last 24 months) Criminal Record Check, including Vulnerable Sector Screening.

7.3 Team Personnel (Managers, Trainers, Therapists, Gender Representatives Etc.)

- A. All Team Personnel must have completed the Respect in Sport Training in accordance with the Policies of the SSA.
- B. All Team Personnel must have completed the Aboriginal Coaching Modules Training (ACM)
- C. All Team Personnel must have an active (issued within the last 24 months) Criminal Record Check, including Vulnerable Sector Screening.

8.0 Provincial Registration

8.1 Team Registration

All athletes, coaches and members of the team personnel must be registered with the *Saskatchewan Soccer Association*.

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300 – 1734 Elphinstone Street
Regina, SK S4T 1K1
Phone: 1-306-780-9225
Email: registrar@sasksoccer.com

8.2 Registration Fee

Athletes, Coaches and Team Personnel Fee: \$250 per/Team

8.3 Registration Process

- A. Each team is required to complete the official registration form.
- B. Each Tribal/ Grand Council is responsible to send completed registration forms for all their teams directly to the *Saskatchewan Soccer Association* no later than July 11th, 2024.
- C. Each Tribal/ Grand Council is responsible to send copies of completed registration forms, along with complete payment for all registered teams directly to the *FSIN SCYR Department* no later than July 11th, 2024.
- D. The host Tribal / Grand Council or FSIN SCYR are responsible to send a registration deposit of \$10,000 no later than May 31, 2024 and responsible for all outstanding amounts after the event within sixty days of the completion of the competition.

9.0 Competition:

9.1 Rules

All matches will be played under the Laws of the Game as approved by the International Football Association Board and published by FIFA, **with the following exceptions for the 13U Component of the event:**

- A. Each team will have 8 players (including 1 goalkeeper) on the field.
- B. Games will be played on small-sided fields with the following dimensions:
 - i. Length – Minimum 60 yards, Maximum 80 yards
 - ii. Width – Minimum 45 yards, Maximum 60 yards
- C. Games will be played using small-sided goals with the following dimensions:
 - i. Length – Minimum 18 feet, Maximum 21 feet
 - ii. Width – Minimum 6 feet, Maximum 7 feet
- D. The penalty area will be two lines drawn at right angles to the goal line, 15 yards from the inside of each goalpost. These lines extend into the field of play for the distance of 15 yards and are joined by a line drawn parallel with the goal line. The area bounded by these lines and the goal line is the penalty area. Within each penalty area, a penalty mark is made 10 yards from the midpoint between the goalposts and equidistant to them. The penalty arc will be drawn 8 yards from the center of each penalty mark drawn outside the penalty area.
- E. The goal area will be two lines drawn at right angles to the goal line, 4 yards from the inside of each goalpost. These lines extend into the field of play for the distance of 4 yards and are joined by a line drawn parallel with the goal line. The area bounded by these lines and the goal line is the goal area.
- F. The center circle will have an 8-yard radius.
- G. A game may not start if either team has less than 5 players

9.2 Event Format

Teams will be placed in pools with a single round robin to determine placing and medal round.

9.3 Seeding

Seeding shall be based on the 2022 First Nations Summer Games

9.4 Duration of Play

- A. Regular Time: 2 x 25 minutes
- B. Extra Time: 2 x 5 minutes (13U) and 2 x 10 minutes (15U & 17U)
- C. Round-Robin games can end in a tie.
- D. Placement/Play-Off Games/Bronze Medal Games: No Extra Time.
- E. If a winner has not been determined after regular time, the games shall be decided by kicks from the penalty mark as governed by CSA Competition Regulations.
- F. Gold Medal Games: **Extra Time.**
- G. In the event of a draw after regular time, the Gold Medal Game will go to extra time. If a winner has not been determined after extra time, the games shall be decided by kicks from the penalty mark as governed by CSA Competition Regulations.

9.5 Substitutions

Unlimited substitutions shall be allowed at the referee's discretion during stoppage of play. A maximum of two substitutions will be allowed by any one team at any one time at the referee's discretion.

9.6 Game Sheets

Game Sheets must be filled out, signed by team staff, and submitted to the Referee prior to the start of the game.

9.7 Discipline

Discipline procedures and sanctions shall be governed by the regulations of SSA Provincial Competitions. A Sport Jury will consist of FSIN, Tournament Chairperson and/or a Saskatchewan Soccer representative.

9.7.1. Automatic Suspensions

A. Cautions (Yellow Cards)

- i. A player receiving three cautions during the First Nations Summer Games will be automatically suspended for one game.
- ii. A player receiving five cautions during the Saskatchewan Summer Games will be automatically suspended for two games.

B. Ejections (Red Cards)

- i. Any player or team official receiving a red card will be automatically suspended for 1 game. The incident will also be reviewed by the Tournament Discipline Committee and further suspension levied if it is deemed necessary.

10.0 Results

Win = 6 points, Tie = 3 points, Loss = 0 points

1 additional point for each goal scored during a game up to a maximum of 3 points

1 additional point for a shutout

11.0 Tie Breaking Procedure

- i. Previous Match Results:** The team with the greater number of points in matches between the two (2) teams tied in points shall be awarded the higher position. (Not used if 3 or more teams are tied in points)
- ii. Overall Goal Difference:** The team with the greatest goal difference in all round robin matches played between teams tied in the standings shall be awarded the higher position. Goal difference shall be calculated by subtracting goals conceded from goals scored.
- iii. Overall Goal Average:** The team with the highest goal average in all round robin matches shall be awarded the higher position. Goal average shall be calculated as goals scored divided by goals conceded. If a team did not concede any goals, this shall be considered as a higher goal average as compared to a team that has conceded a goal.
- iv. Fewest Goals allowed:** The team allowing the least number of goals shall be awarded the higher position.
- v. Most Goals Scored:** The team scoring the highest number of goals shall be awarded the higher position.
- vi. Penalty Kicks as listed in Appendix 1**

12.0 Protest Procedure

12.1 Sport Protests

Protest procedures shall be governed by the policies outlined in the FNSG Handbook. In addition, all protests must comply with the Policies and Procedures of the SSA as it pertains to Provincial Competitions.

12.2 Eligibility Protests

- A. The FSIN Sport, Culture, Youth and Recreation Board will act as the Jury for all protests dealing with the eligibility of Athletes.
- B. All protests must be communicated to the FSIN Games Director no later than 15 minutes after the end of the game.
- C. Protests must be signed by the Team Sport Contact/ Chef-de-Mission or his/her mission staff designate of the participating team. This designate must be submitted in writing.
- D. All protests will be accepted with no explanation from the Board. All protests must be dealt with within 15 minutes of the game ending or game stands as posted.
- E. A fee of \$500.00 will be in place for all protests. This fee will be given directly to the FSIN Games Director. Cash will be the only accepted form of payment. This fee will be put toward the Youth Championships if the protest is lost. Protest fee will be returned if the protest is won by the Team protesting.

13.0 Equipment/ Competitive Uniform

13.1 Equipment

- A. All players of a team, except the goalkeeper, shall wear matching uniforms consisting of jerseys, shorts and socks. Each player jersey, including the goalkeepers, must have a unique number on the back.
- B. If team colors are deemed similar, as determined by the match official, the team designated as “home” must change to their alternate jersey. (Pinnies to be supplied by host and made available at each field)
- C. All matches will be played with size 4 (U-13) and size 5 FIFA approved balls.
- D. Players shall wear shin pads and appropriate footwear (cleats or running shoes).
- E. No jewelry permitted.

13.2 Uniform Colors

Teams shall select appropriate competition uniforms adhering to the color schemes approved by the FSIN SCYR Board. The approved color schemes are as follows:

Tribal/ Grand Council	Colors
ACTC	Gold – black and white trim
BATC	Red – white trim
BOFN	Red – black and white trim
BRFN	Blue – white and green trim
BTC	Maroon – gold trim
FHQTC	Green – grey and white trim
MLTC	Blue – white and gold trim
OLFN	Black- white and gold trim
PAGC	Navy blue – white trim
STC	Navy blue – red, gold and white trim
SET4TC	Red – white and blue trim
TATC	Navy – red and white trim
Woodland	Forest green – grey, white and black trim

14.0 Officials

- A. Saskatchewan Soccer Association approved Officials
- B. Round Robin: 1 Referee for 13U games & 2 Referees for U15 & 17U games.
- C. Play-Offs: 2 Referees for every division
- D. Major Officials: 18-24 for the tournament
- E. Minor Officials: local venue coordinators and field marshals

15.0 Medals

130 Gold, 130 Silver and 130 Bronze medals.

16.0 Medical Services

First Response Team and minimum of one Physio/Trainer per venue will be provided by the host Lac La Ronge Indian Band.

17.0 Security

A minimum of two (2) security personnel will be on location at each of the venues at all competition times.

18.0 Contact Information

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19.0 Technical Package Certification

The below signature is to certify that this technical manual has been approved in its entirety by the Federation of Saskatchewan Indian Nations Sport, Culture, Youth and Recreation Board, the Games Manager and the Provincial Sport Governing Body Representative.

MEETING DATE:	July 12, 2024
FSIN CHAIRPERSON:	Tara Waskawitch
SPORT MANAGER:	Fenton Favel
PSGB REPRESENTATIVE:	Kellin Enslev

APPENDIX 1

TIE BREAKING PROCEDURE:

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- iv. Fewest Goals allowed:** The team allowing the least number of goals shall be awarded the higher position.
- v. Most Goals Scored:** The team scoring the highest number of goals shall be awarded the higher position.
- vi. Penalty Kicks:** Three shooters per team, sudden victory