

2024 FC Edmonds Orca Cup

July 26-28

Tournament Rules

Tournament Director: Tim Jones?

Tournament Location

Headquarters will be located at Edmonds-Woodway High School ?

Field Locations: Games will be played at 5 different turf fields in the area

1. Edmonds-Woodway High School: 7600 212th St SW, Edmonds, WA 98026
2. Meadowdale High School: 6002 168th St SW, Lynnwood, WA 98037
3. Meadowdale Playfields: 16700 66th Ave W, Lynnwood, WA 98037
4. Lynnwood High School: 18218 North Rd, Bothell, WA 98012
5. Mountlake Terrace High School: 21801 44th Ave W, Mountlake Terrace, WA 98043

The following are not allowed at the fields of play: dogs or other pets, smoking/vaping, alcohol, illegal substances, weapons of any kind, campers/RVs, overnight parking.

Team Registration

Teams must check in 1 hour prior to their first match. At check in, provide a final copy of your team roster signed by the club registrar. Roster must detail players name, date of birth, jersey number, coach. Teams are required to have medical release forms and concussion compliance forms for each player signed by their parent or legal guardian.

Player cards are not required. Guest players must be listed on the official roster and approved by your club registrar. No handwritten names allowed. Players are only allowed on one roster and cannot play for multiple teams.

Refund Policy ? (Teams that withdraw after the entry deadline will forfeit their team fee. If teams withdraw prior to the entry deadline, a \$100 processing fee will be charged.)

Player Age and Eligibility

Boys and girls U11 to U19 are eligible to participate in the tournament and must be eligible to play in their respective age division, born on or after January 1st.

- U-11: 2013
- U-12: 2012
- U-13: 2011
- U-14: 2010
- U-15: 2009
- U-16: 2008
- U-17: 2007
- U-18: 2006

U-19: 2005

Roster Size

U11, U12: 9v9, roster size up to 14

U13 and above: 11v11, roster size up to 18

Rules of Play: FIFA Laws of the game will apply, except as amended below

Each team will play a minimum of three games. Teams have unlimited substitutions during any stoppage time as permitted by the referee. There will be no overtime periods or stoppage time.

Referees: all matches will use referees certified by the United States Soccer Federation.

Uniform: home team will wear light colored uniforms, Away team will wear darker colored uniforms.

Match Length: 9v9 and 11v11: 30 min halves, 5 min half-time

Equipment/Field Setup: home teams will provide game balls. Each team will provide tent/bench. Shin guards are required for all players- no exceptions. No jewelry of any kind can be worn during play. Soft casts/splints/protective equipment are permitted per discretion of the referee. Spectators of both teams shall remain on the opposite side of the field.

9v9 U11 or younger: deliberate heading is not allowed for U11 and under. Build out lines will be in effect. No punting or drop kicks by the goalkeeper

9x9 U12: Heading is allowed for U12. There are no build out lines. Punting and drop kicks are allowed by the goalkeeper.

Preliminary games can end in a draw. Championship matches will have no overtime period. If the match ends in a draw, the teams will proceed with penalty kicks from the mark per FIFA rules to determine the winner.

Forfeit: an automatic forfeit will be given if:

1. A team is not ready to play with a minimum number of players to field the game within 5 mins of the scheduled game. For 9v9: 7 players, for 11v11 9 players. In a forfeit, the final score will be 0-1. A team that forfeits a match will not be permitted to proceed in the tournament finals.
2. A team fails to check in at Mandatory registration
- 3.

Scoring for preliminary games as follows:

Win: 6 points

Draw: 3 points

Loss: 0 point

Goals: 1 point for each goal up to a maximum of 3 points.

Shutout: 1 point

Red card: minus 1 point

Tie breaking: In the event that teams are tied in points after the preliminary round, the below tie breaking system will be applied:

1. Most number of wins
2. Fewest goals allowed
- 3.

Reporting of Scores: the winning team will ?

Protests/Disputes

Game conduct is under the jurisdiction of the referee decision; no protesting or appeals are allowed on or off the field. Any matter not covered by the rules of this event will be decided by the Tournament director or designated official.

Conduct and Discipline

Cheating is not tolerated. Any team caught cheating, in any manner, will immediately be forfeited out of the tournament and be referred to their State association for further disciplinary action.

Everyone will be expected to demonstrate good sportsmanship. Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their players and spectators. Coaches may also be shown a yellow or red card for offenses earned.

Any player receiving 2 yellow cards or one red card in a match will be sent off the field and said player will not take part in the next match of the tournament.