

John Csikos Alberta Open 35th Annual Technical Information Sheet

Technical Information: FINA rules will be followed with the following exceptions

*Coach/Official meeting will be announced to the teams registered

- 14U will be 6 minute stop time, 1 minute break between quarters, 2 minute break at half, 6 on 6 + goalie, please note that if we are running out of time between games, the table supervisor and referee will determine if the time will run after a minor foul.
- Tie games will stand in the round robin portion of the event - Play-offs will be 'golden goal' rule.
- **2 timeouts per game**
- Players can be entered into 2 age group categories, but please ensure that there is the minimum requirement for each age category to field a team. There must be 7 players at the start of the game, no delays will be accepted, and your team will then have a forfeit and not be eligible for the medal round.
- **Teams must be able to fulfill their schedule in the event of a conflict.**
- **Any team who forfeits from a game will not be eligible for the medal game.**
- **No athlete names can be added to the roster unless they go to the tournament organizer to approve and the organizer will inform the table.**
- Coaches must verify rosters and sign the game sheet at the beginning of each game.
- We will be using the modified NCL rules. (document posted). 14U will NOT be using the 6 metre line.

12U only format and rules

- 12U is 7 min running time, 1 minute break between quarters, 2 minute break at half, 6 on 6 + goalie, no shot clock, smaller nets, pool will be reduced to 15m wide and 20m in length.
- No shot off of a corner throw.
- Goalie cannot cross over half.

WP4s Rules

- 3 on 3 + goalie, 10 minute running time, no shot clock.
- Rules attached

Registration for the Tournament:

NO ATHLETE WILL BE ALLOWED ONTO A ROSTER AT THE EVENT UNLESS THERE IS PROOF OF REGISTRATION WITH THEIR PROVINCIAL/NATIONAL BODY and determined by the tournament organizer, they have the right to deny this request.

Protest Format: \$100.00 cash is required for any protest. The deposit will be reimbursed if the decision is in favor of your protest. All protests must be made in writing and within 30 minutes from the time of the end of the game. A protest must be signed by the head coach. The protest committee shall be comprised of 3 senior people from each pool, a referee, the tourney pool coordinator and another selection.

Awards Ceremonies: All medal games will be held on Sunday and the medal ceremonies upstairs beside the north entrance. WP4s- 10:00am
12U/14U- 2:15pm

Important Reminders

- Warm up for the first game of the day starts 15 min before the start of the first game. Warm up for the subsequent games begins immediately following the end of the previous game. **You will not be allowed to use any other pools in the Repsol Center other than the designated game pools we have booked.**
- Only registered coaches and athletes that are listed with the club will be allowed on the team bench.
- Athletes, coaches & officials should access the facility via the pool side entrance at the customer service desk with your AB Open access pass,
- Merchandise will be available to purchase on Friday, Saturday & Sunday times will be listed at the gate.
- Hospitality room is available to coaches, referees and officials only during the weekend.
- Have fun, respect the officials, referees, volunteers, other teams and Repsol Centre staff.

- The hot and cold tub is not available for tournament participants.