

**Intramural Soccer Employee Take-Home Rules Test - Spring 2009**

The purpose of having you complete this test **before** the soccer clinic is to help you be more prepared for the clinic, and allow more time for on-field instruction. Please return this completed test to the Intramural Office by 12 noon on **Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup>**, so it can be graded before the clinic. Please take a copy of the rules to help with the test. The mandatory soccer clinic will be held Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 7-11 p.m.

True/False

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. A minimum of four (4) players are required to start the game.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. During regular season play, if the score ends in a tie, it will remain a tie.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. During the play-offs, if a game ends in a tie, it will remain a tie.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. At the kick-off, the ball must travel forward its circumference before being touched by a player of either team.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. After a goal is scored, the ball is put back into play by the goalie.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Teams will not switch sides at half-time break.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. A "drop ball" can be touched by either player before it touches the ground.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Any team can substitute on corner kicks.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Having possession of the ball at the end of the first half determines which team starts with the ball in the second half.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. A yellow card will result in a penalty kick being given to the opposing team.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Rubber or molded cleats are permitted.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Either team can substitute on throw-ins.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. If a ball partially crosses the goal line within the goal, it still counts as a goal.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. Any foul occurring by defensive team inside the penalty box results in a penalty kick.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. A goal-kick is awarded when the offensive team kicks the ball over a touch-line.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. Offsides will be called when there are fewer than two defensive players between an offensive player and the goal they are attacking when the ball is kicked.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. If team "b" kicks the ball over the goal line, team "a" will put it back into play with a throw-in.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. Play will be stopped immediately when a ball hits the ceiling within the field of play.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 19. Slide tackling is permitted by all players.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20. As long as a ball is contacted before time expires, it will count as a goal if it completely crosses the goal line even after time expires.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 21. A co-rec team may begin play with 4 women and 2 men.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 22. A goalie is allowed to punt the ball after gaining possession.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 23. If a player receives two yellow cards, then that player is ejected and the game is over.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 24. If a player is out of bounds, but the ball is on the sideline boundary line, then the ball is considered out of bounds.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 25. If a team does not have enough players to start a game, they may wait for players to arrive and start the game late only if the other team agrees.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 26. A team's field players need the same color shirts, but no numbers are required.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 27. Bandannas with knots, baseball hats, and barrettes are examples of illegal headwear.

Fill in

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What is the maximum number of players allowed on the field for each team?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. How long is a half?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. What way can a goalie move after the whistle is blown on a penalty kick?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. How many infractions result in an indirect kick for a team?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. How far away from the ball must the defenders be on a direct kick?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. For play-off situations, what type of overtime period will be played if game is tied at the end of regulation play?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. If play is stopped due to an injury when neither team has possession of the ball, how will play resume?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. When a ball contacts the ceiling within the field of play, the ball is dead and the non-kicking team will gain possession at the nearest \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. During a throw-in, how many feet must remain in contact with the ground until the ball is released?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. A player can throw the ball back to their own goalie on a throw-in as long as the goalie \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. What is the penalty for a player found to be wearing jewelry?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. A player must receive a yellow card before being given a red card.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. How long is the grace period before a forfeit is declared?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. In the last two minutes of the game, the game is ended by the mercy rule when a team falls behind by this many goals.
15. When does the clock stop? (be specific)

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16. Give examples of when a penalty kick will be awarded.

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