



Tournament Rules – Stadium Basketball Cup 2018

All age-groups will be divided into groups where everybody plays against each other once. After the group stage is over the playoffs begins (this year there will only be one playoff to compete in per age-group).

Games Rules

A player may not play in more than one team in the same age group.

A player must have played at least one game in the group play to be able to participate in playoffs.

Games are played 4x6 minutes (effective time). We stop the clock the last two minutes in each game when a basket has been made.

Half time interval is 3 minutes long.

Teams are allowed only one time-out per half.

A tied game will be decided by sudden death. The first team to score wins even if that point is a free throw. Sudden death starts with a jump ball. The playoff finals are decided by a two minute extra period (overtime).

Zone defense is not allowed in age 03 – 05, but zone defense on your opponent's side is allowed no matter age group. Please note that when the ball passes the center line the team must play man against man defense. For age group 02 and older FIBA rules apply.

If a team leads with 20 points or more – no full court pressure is allowed. The 24 second rule is used for groups 04 and older. During the group stages the referees will take the 24 second clock. During the finals the 24 second clock will be handled by the scorer's table. The Cup uses the 3 team fouls per period rule. Free throw from foul #4.

Substitutions are allowed every time the game is stopped.

All games are played 5 vs 5.

The backcourt violation rule applies in all age groups – except Boys/Girls 04 and younger. Boys born

03 – 01 play with ball size 7. Boys born 04 and 05 play with ball size 6 and basket at 3,05 m. Girls born

01 – 05 play with ball size 6. Boys and Girls born 06 play with ball size 5 and basket high 2,60 m.

Players may not have represented another club after February 28th 2018. If more than one team end up with the same points it will be decided by the following:

1. Game score between the teams involved.
2. Point diff. between the teams involved.
3. Total point difference.
4. Total points made.

There is no guaranteed warm up time on the court.

With the exception of the above the Swedish Basketball Federation rules apply. Dolphins would also like to observe the rules of "Fair Play" which among other things means not "crushing" your opposing team.

Participants who commit a criminal offense will be suspended from the tournament immediately and be reported to the police and their regional basketball federation if appropriate.

Other rules apply Swedish Basketball Federation

