



EMS League Rules & Admission Fees

As of April 3, 2023

FORMAT:

5th Grade and Below–Games will include two **16-minute** running clock halves with the clock stopping the last two minutes of the game if lead is 15pts or less & 2-minute half-time.

6th thru 8th Grade–Games will include two **18-minute** running clock halves with the clock stopping the last two minutes of the game if lead is 15pts or less & 2-minute half-time.

10 min after Game time is forfeit time; teams must be ready to start 10 minutes before posted start time. Awards will be given to each Division Champion

End of League Playoffs Tournament is via two-game guarantee, seeding will be determined by best regular season record, point spread, and/or head- to-head rules

RULES: National Federation of High School Rules with the following exception:

1. Double bonus shot on 10th team foul. No Bonus shots on 7th team foul

OVERTIME: If required, a three (3) minute overtime period will be played, with running clock the first two minutes and stop clock the last minute. Double overtime is decided by sudden death.

HOME/VISITOR: In the event venue-sourced workers are not supplied, the First Team listed is the "Home Team" and provides the official bookkeeper. The "Visitor Team" provides the clock operator. The Home Team also provides the game ball. Team uniforms must match with legible numbers.

TIME-OUTS: Two 1-minute time-outs per half. Timeouts DON'T CARRY OVER. One 1-minute time-out for the initial overtime period only.

PROTESTS: Coaches must file protests against suspected ineligible players prior to the start of the game. ACA staff only will handle protests.

TEAM ROSTER: Coach must complete and submit a ACA Team Roster Form, per team, prior to first game; Coach may make changes to the roster through Week 4 of League. Coach must possess and be prepared to present proof of eligibility for every player upon roster submission.

ENTRY FEES: Daily Pass - \$6.00 for adults/HS students and \$4.00 for students (1st -8th). Coaches - two coaches per team will be admitted free with Coach's ID/stamp.