2026-27 Courts4Sports Futsal League/Tournament presented by Back2BackMinistries www.back2back.org

We want the games to emphasize skill development & fun. Emphasis on dribbling, passing, ball control and shooting. Pele, Messi, Ronaldo & many of world's soccer greats developed their game in futsal. The official indoor game of FIFA.

We use official Futsal Laws of the Game.

Scores will be posted on scoreboard and in the standings at a maximum of 5 goals.

Please be respectful of the opposing team and do not run up the score. Great challenge is to have each player touch the ball before any shot, including keeper, if defense touches start over. Real futsal, skill development and fun

A win is 3 points in the standings and a tie is 1 point in the standings.

Home team sits on side where scoreboard says home. (makes it easier for fans to tell score) Home team responsible to change in case of jersey color conflict Home team will be listed first on the score sheet.

Futsal is intended to be no contact or limited contact. Emphasis on skill, speed and field vision.

Standard FIFA Futsal Rules with these House Rules:

1. No timeouts.
2. One minute halftime.
3. Teams don't switch benches.
4. If the balls hits ceiling or basketball hoop, it's a kick in to the team who didn't touch the ball last.
5. If there is a yellow card, player must be subbed out for 2 minutes.
6. If there is a red card, the team must play short for 5 minutes or until scored on.
7. Slide tackling that is safe and legal is permitted.
8. Kicking or throwing the ball into other courts to delay or end half or game may be cautioned and can add untimed play to completion.
9. At the end of the half or game if there is a foul, the kick will be taken even if time expires (referee discretion).

Stand 5 meters from ball during kickoff, not the center circle. Kickoffs are Direct.

Kick-in must be touching the color and must be totally **stopped** before it is struck. (5-meter clearance by defender)

Goalie Box is 3-pt area (color of court lines) Penalty mark is foul line, 6 foul pk line is second white line.

During the 6th direct kick offense, there is a second line pk for each foul of the half (total restarts at halftime).

Safe sliding is legal according to FIFA Futsal rules.

4 seconds goalie possession in any situation. No interference when ball is in keeper's hands

Goal clearance must be distributed with goalkeepers hands. When the goalkeeper makes a save they can use hands or feet. Clearance from a save can result in a goal. You cannot score off a throw.

Corner Kicks, Indirect or Direct kicks must be given ***5 meter*** clearance by opposition.

Do not foul intentionally. Set the wall quickly at 5 yards without being warned. Play ends at referee discretion.

Referee discretion to award change of possession at any time due to delaying restarts.

Subs must enter in front of their team bench. You may not enter until your teammate is completely off the court.
(no competitive advantage) Tag in with hand touch on the color of the sideline.

1 minute halftime to talk with team and allow referee to reset the 5 foul count.

Players must have shin guards and socks covering them. No jewelry.

There must be one adult/coach (over 21) on the sideline the whole game, every game.

No intentional fouls, no dissent of any kind, no trash-talking or taunting of any kind.

**No profanity of any kind at any time for any reason. (this can get you removed from property/league/tournament)

Coaches, players and parents, please clean up after the game. (Coaches must sign on score clipboard after each game)

Any issues with dissent or disrespect by players, coaches or fans can result in removal from the league/tournament without refund.

Any complaints, please see Coach McCollum immediately.

No arguing or yelling at officials or coaches or players. We are all working together to have a positive & encouraging atmosphere of skill development and fun! We want this league/tournament to be family-friendly.

I Corinthians 10:31 "If you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all to the glory of God!"