



# Half Century Club League

## Rules and Format

### Fall 2006

Games are 11v11.

Two 45 minute halves with 5 minute half time.

One referee per game.

The HCC League Committee consists of the League Director and Team captains.

FIFA rules are followed with the following exceptions:

1. No slide tackles.
2. No rough play – even if it's considered legal.
3. Substitutions are unlimited on any dead ball or restart.
4. Roster size is unlimited.
5. Yellow carded players must sub-out for a 5 minute cool down timeout.

Player Eligibility:

1. Each player must be at least 50 years old by game date.
2. Each player must have signed each the WAA Liability Waiver and the Lucent Liability Waiver.
3. Each player must have registered and paid dues to the summer HCC soccer program.

League Standings:

Points are awarded as per: 3 win, 1 tie, 0 loss, 0 forfeit

Ejection from Game and League:

1. A player is ejected from a game when they receive a Red Card (or 2 yellow cards). For each red card issued the offending team must play one man down for the remainder of the game. The carded players can not play in the next league game.
2. The HCC League committee can choose, by majority vote, to eject any player from the league for any reason, such as a tendency for violent play or unsportsmanlike conduct.

Team Roster to Referee:

Each captain is required to hand a copy of their roster to the referee before the start of each game. The roster includes name, jersey number (if applicable), and a check box indicating Yes/No for each of:

1. player is age 50 by game date
2. player has signed WAA waiver
3. player has signed Lucent waiver

A player is not allowed on the field unless they are listed on the roster and all checkboxes show "Yes".

Enforcement of Age Requirements:

The requirement for the player to be age 50 by game date is enforced by trust and challenge. The captains may review the rosters held by the referee. At any stoppage of play a captain may ask the referee to perform an age challenge of a specific player. The referee will ask the player for proof of age via drivers license or state ID card. If the player is of age 50 or over they must accept the compliment. If the player is less than 50, then they are ejected from the game and the offending team forfeits the game.

Delay of Game Start:

Each team must make a strong commitment to start on time. A team will forfeit if they do not take the field with 7 players by 10 minutes past the scheduled start time.

Playing Time:

Playing time is decided by each team or team captain. There is no league policy for equal playing time.