



### **Facilities and Location**

#### **Round Lake Park Outdoor Rinks**

16691 Valley View Road

Eden Prairie, MN 55346

### **League Format**

- *Regular Season:* Each team will play a 7 game regular season. Team schedules are released one week prior to the start of the season.
- *Playoffs:* Playoffs will begin the week following the regular season. Playoff schedules will be posted on the Friday following the final regular season game. Every team will play at least two playoff games.

### **Equipment**

- *Jerseys:* All team members must wear a similar color jersey.
- *Helmets and mouth guards:* It is MANDATORY that ALL players wear helmets and mouth guards in Eden Prairie Adult Broomball Leagues! This is for the safety of all league participants. NOTE: It is mandatory that the goalie wears a helmet/facemask
- *Balls:* Each team is required to bring its own broomball each night. Since this is an outdoor league - we use outdoor broomballs during the regular season and playoffs. There is not a specific ball designated as the official ball.

### **Roster and Players**

- All teams must submit a completed roster one week prior to their first game.
  - Rosters should be submitted through the team's online team account.
- Each player on your roster must be at least 18 years of age.
- All games played without a roster will be forfeited.
- A team must have four players to avoid a forfeit. (5 Minute Grace Period)

### **Game Time**

- Games will begin promptly at the scheduled start time
- A game consists of two 22 minute halves and 3 minute intermission
- In case of a tie, there will be 4 minute sudden death overtime. Each team will play with 4 players on the ice and no goalie. If neither team scores after 4 minutes there will be an additional 3 minute overtime with each team playing with 3 players and no goalie, if still tied a 2 minute overtime will be played with each team playing with 2 players and no goalie. If still tied it will be considered a tie- unless it is a league championship game. In case of a league championship game one minute overtimes will continue until teams are down to 1 player per team in one minute overtimes until a goal is scored.
- "Special" Co-Rec Rule: Men's Goal = 1 point and Female Goal = 2 points
- Games cancelled if wind chill falls below (- 20) Degrees or (+ 6) Inches of snow

### **Rules Not Listed**

- Any rule not listed in this manual will be governed by the USA Broomball Rule Book. League Rules will follow the USA Broomball style of icing
- Floating Blue line is in effect. Blue line is used to determine on-sides for when a team is entering the opponents end of the rink. Once the zone has been obtained by the attacking team - the zone -"opens up" back to the red-line and that additional portion of the zone is added to the offensive attack area. This remains in effect until the ball is cleared from the zone - (ball crosses the red-line).

### **Player Conduct**

- If a player/team is fined, they will not be allowed to take the ice again until the fine is paid. The fine is \$20/player ejection & \$20/unannounced forfeit/Alcohol Violation. The fine must be paid with a check made out to "City of Eden Prairie".
- Any ejected player is fined \$20 and done playing for the evening. Plus the player/players ejected must also sit out their team's next game. This also includes playoff games. Any player/players ejected twice in one season are automatically suspended for the remainder of the season.
- *Smoking/Alcohol* – No smoking is allowed in Eden Prairie parks. Players and coaches may not drink any alcoholic beverage before or during the game. At no time is alcohol allowed on the player's bench, adjacent rink area, or warming houses! No drinking of alcoholic beverages by anyone connected with a game is allowed. Penalties for infractions will up to the discretion of the Recreation Supervisor.

### **Forfeits**

- If you must forfeit, please notify the opposing team manager and the Adult Athletics Supervisor (952-949-8438 or [adultathletics@edenprairie.org](mailto:adultathletics@edenprairie.org)) as soon as you know your team will not be able to play (if possible, prior to 4:30pm to give the staff time to notify the officials).
- An unannounced forfeit (less than 24 hours) will result in a \$20 fine per infraction. Any team that has two unannounced forfeits in one season may be removed from the league for the remainder of the season and possibly the following season as well.

### **Standings**

Standings can be found online at [www.edenprairie.org/broomball](http://www.edenprairie.org/broomball) then click on Standings.

**WEATHER LINE - (952)949-8449** - Games are determined by 4pm.

Thanks for participating in Eden Prairie Adult Athletics!

Good luck this season and have fun!

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