

INTREPIDES TOURNAMENT RULES 2012

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TYPE OF TOURNAMENT

Moustiques (Bunny) Participation tournament with 3 games per team+ final for all team.

Novice, Atome, Benjamine, Junior, Cadette, Juvenile et Intermediaire: round robin tournament with 3 games guaranteed plus final between the first and second team.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

All Teams must be present a minimum of one hour before the scheduled time of their game.

An official Team Representative must present themselves at the Registration Table a minimum of one hour prior to the scheduled time of their first game. They must present the following information / documentation:

- **A Ringuette Canada Registration Form that has been approved by Ringuette Québec, including players ID cards (ID cards will be required at all games).**
- **The Coaches' 3M National Coaching Program Certificate and/or all other required approved coaching documents.**
- **All "Reserve" players (if applicable) must present an original Ringuette Canada Registration Form of the team for which the player plays, including players ID cards. (**
- **The Coach must sign a document that certifies that all the players participating in the tournament are those from the Ringette Canada Registration Form (including the Reserves) and that they are all wearing certified equipment that has been approved by Ringuette Québec.**

GAME SHEET

An official Team Representative must present themselves at the Registration office a minimum of one hour prior to the scheduled time of each game to verify and complete the official game sheet. They must:

- Indicate the captain(s) with the letter “**C**”, the assistant(s) with the letter “**A**”, the Goalie(s) with the letters “**GB**”.
- Fill in each player’s number.
- Cross-out the absent players, and write the abbreviation «**ABS**»
- Fill in the Reserve Players after the regular players and write the abbreviation “**RES**” at the end of their name.
- Fill in the Dispensation Players after the Reserve players and write the abbreviation “**DER**” at the end of their name.
- Establish the order of players from 1 to 5 who will be selected for the shoot-out in case of a tie after regulation time as by article 3.04.01, paragraph 4 of the Ringuette Québec Operation Guide (only required for moustique (bunnies), novice C, and finals and semi-finals).
- Registrars establishes by drawing which team will be the “Visitor” and which team will be “Home” (except for finals).
- If there is a similarity of Team Jersey colors, the “Visitor” team must change their Jersey to an alternative color. If this team does not have a second colored jersey, the organizing committee will provide an alternative set for the Visitor Team.
- For the Finals, the team that obtains the best record in their class will be granted the status of “Home” team.

NUMBER OF PLAYERS

A team can only have a maximum of 18 players and a minimum of 7 players.

GAME RULES

The game rules are those of Ringuette Canada’s most recent edition. The style of game “no zone” is applicable for the Moustique (bunnies) and Novice level. The style of game “**Any 3 In**” with a shot clock is applied for all other team categories.

For the first period, the team registered as “Visitor” will have possession of the ring and the “Home” team will have the selection of the zone.

No protest arising out of any game will be entertained.

There must be a minimum of 2 team officials and there can only be a maximum of 5 team officials behind the players' bench. All team officials must be 16 years and older. All categories except for Juvenile and Intermediate must have a minimum of one female behind the bench.

The minimum certification required is described in article 5.02.04 of the Ringuette Québec Operation Guide.

All questions and/or problems must be submitted to the Tournament Coordinator who will verify the rules. All responses coming from other persons other than the Tournament Organizing Committee will not be considered official.

GAME TIME

The organizing committee reserves the right to have the teams start the game 15 minutes before the scheduled time except for the first game of the day. They also reserve the rights to clean the ice between the two games, judging if necessary to respect the times of the games.

Once both teams are on the ice, 2 minutes will be timed for the warm-up.

A one-minute break will separate the two regulation 13 minute timed periods (15 minute periods for the finals).

A One 30 second time-out is allowed per team per game (including the extra period if necessary) and can be requested at any time.

If a difference of 7 goals occurs during the game, the balance of the game will be played with "continued time" (without the stoppage of the clock) until the end of the game. The scoreboard will only show a maximum difference of 7 goals. The real score will be written on the game sheet, however for the standings, a difference of 7 points will be counted.

While the game is in "continued time", if a penalty is called, it will be clocked at stop time.

During the continued time, if there is a time-out called, the time will stop.

All players or team officials who are given a misconduct penalty or match penalty have to serve the penalty as per Ringuette Québec rules. The committee will transmit the suspension information to the appropriate persons as per rule 5.02.10 of the Ringuette Québec Operating Guide.

Standings

The standings will be established based on the results obtained during the round robin of the tournament.

- For a game won, you will be awarded: 2 points
- For a game tied, you will be awarded: 1 point
- For a game lost, you will be awarded: 0 point
- For a game won by default, you will be awarded: 2 points
- For a game lost by default, you will be awarded: 0 points
- For a game won by default, 7 goals will be registered on the score sheet for the winning team and none for the team that lost.

For tie-breaking rules of the standings after the round robin, refer to the operation guide from Ringuette Québec Article 3.04.03.

Equipment

All team's equipment must conform to Article 3.02.02 of the Ringuette Québec Operation Guide.

The Moustique (Bunnies) coaches must wear a helmet when they are on the ice.

Dressing Rooms

Teams can only occupy their dressing room 30 minutes before their scheduled game and 20 minutes after the end of their game.

Cancellation of Participation

Teams will forfeit their registration fee if they cancel their participation to the tournament.

Emergency contact

During the tournament, it will be possible to reach a tournament official at each of the arenas.

Josée Dupuis (President tournament) (514) 512-4080
Saint Bruno Arena (450) 441-4954
Saint Basile Arena (450) 461-8073

Complet Registration includes

1. Complet registration form with the list of players and reservist, or copie of Ringuette Canada Registration Form that has been approved by Ringuette Québec, jersey numbers, and a copie of Dispensation Players.
2. Moustiques a check of 395.00 \$
3. Novice, Atome, Benjamine, Junior, Cadette, Juvenile and Intermediaire a check of 430.00 \$
4. After December 20, 2011 a fee of \$30.00 will apply to the registration fee.
5. Registration deadline is December 20, 2011

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