

WWBL Rules BOYS 4-5

GAME 4 - 10-minute quarters.

GAME CLOCK Running time throughout the game **EXCEPT:**

A) The last 2 minutes of the game:

B) When a ref is “helping a player”:

C) During the shift change.

D) When a player is shooting the 1st of 2 foul shots. As soon as the ref gives the ball back to a player for their 2nd foul shot, the clock starts.

FOULS 5 FOULS/PLAYER. NO 1 AND 1 SHOOTING FOULS, **2 shots on the 10th team foul.** As soon as the ref gives the ball back to a player for their 2nd foul shot, the clock starts.

PLAY No back-court pressure until final 2 minute of game. If you up by 15 pts or more, pressing is not allowed.

Ball Size: 28.5”

SUBSTITUTIONS At the 5-minute mark of each quarter, the scorekeeper will let the ref know subs are due in. The ref will stop play at the 1st opportunity. The scorekeeper will stop the clock at 5 minutes, regardless. At the 5-minute stoppage, EVERY player on the bench must enter the game. No player may play 3 consecutive “shifts” in a half (unless a team only has 7 players). If a team only has 7 players, 1 player “will be forced” to play 3 consecutive shifts but then MUST sit for the 4th. If a team only has 6 players, they may sub at any dead ball whistle, ONLY the team with 6! EVERY player must sit a few minutes if you only have 6 players. You can NOT keep subbing the same 2 kids and letting the other 4 play the entire game

LINE UP CHANGES At the half, a coach may shuffle his line up again. In theory, a player might play the final 2 shifts in the 1st half and when the coach reshuffles his lineup for the 2nd half, that same player may play the 1st 2 shifts in the 2nd half.

TIME OUTS ONLY 2 TIME OUTS PER GAME!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

OVERTIME 3-minute overtime. 1st 2 minutes running time, last minute stopped. Sub at will. If the game is still tied after the overtime, the game will be a tie.

SCOREKEEPERS

The person scorekeeping is in charge, not the officials. I have the utmost faith in the scorekeepers chosen and they know the rules and what is to be expected. At no time are the officials to question the scorekeepers!