



## 2026 Spring Renegades In-House League Rules

### Scorekeeping:

We will be using GAMESHEET this Spring for Scorekeeping. If there is ever an issue with an iPad. We have BLANK scoresheets at both rinks and/or we could print one out on this website.

1. Each team should have at least one person helping with scoresheet and scoreboard (directions at the rinks)
2. Only show a 5 goal differential...
  - a. For example: if Home Team is winning 7-0, scoreboard shows H-5 , A-0
  - b. In above example: If Away Team just scored... scoreboard **now** shows H-6, A-1

### Rules

- **If there is a shortage of players on either team**, coaches should do their best to mix and match rosters to create two even teams... **The purpose of Spring is to have fun and get movement. We're not running up the score and we're not cancelling games/forfeits.**
- Home team wears WHITE. Away team wears RED.
- **Each game slot is 60 minutes.** In order to fit a game in that time frame, use the below template:
  - Warmup – 3 minutes
  - Periods – 12 minutes (if it can fit in an hour... if not, do 11 min)
  - Penalties – 1:30 minutes
  - **NO TIMEOUTS**
  - **NO OVERTIME & NO SHOOTOUT**
  - Running Clock – Starts in the 3<sup>rd</sup> period if there's a 5 goal differential..
    - Running Clock STOPS when lead cuts back to **3 goal differential.**
- USA Hockey Game Rules

### Zero Tolerance

- **USA Hockey and AHAI Zero Tolerance Policy in effect for players, parents, fans, and all participants**
- **24 Hour Rule – Refer to the Renegades 24 Hour Rule in the Parent Handbook.** The 24 hour rule is designed to prevent families and friends from voicing their concerns with emotional ties to the game that just occurred.
- **Please refer to the Player and Spectator Expectations in the Parent Handbook.**

### Championship

Top two teams from each division will play in the championship



## Standings & Tiebreakers

**\*\*Following the NWHL Tournament Standings & Tiebreaker Rules:\*\***

“The standings for each bracket will be determined on the basis of two (2) points for a win, one (1) point for a tie and zero (0) points for a loss. If two or more teams have an equal number of points, their position in the standings will be determined in the order listed below. If there are more than 2 teams tied then the tie breakers are applied until 1 or more teams are eliminated, after which the remaining tied teams go back to number 1 and start over. **(Tiebreakers are used in ascending order ONLY)**

1. Most games won in tournament.
2. Results of head-to-head competition, used only when all teams who are tied in points have played each other. If all teams have not played each other, go to #3.
  - a. a. If there are 3 or more teams tied, and all teams have played each other than sequencing of those teams will be based on points in those head to head games.
    - i. i. Most wins in games between tied teams
    - ii. ii. Most points in games between tied teams
3. Fewest Goals allowed in tournament (maximum of 5 goal differential per game).
4. Most goals scored (maximum of 5 goal differential per game). 5. Earliest goal scored in the first tournament game.”