ANNOUNCER / SCORER DUTIES

- Obtain team rosters and starting line-ups from coaches.
- Review pronunciation of names. If uncertain, check with a member of the respective team.
- Test the public address equipment for proper function.
- Check music source for the National Anthem (unless live music is provided).
- Announce starting line-ups.
- Request all to rise and join in singing the National Anthem
- Announce all goals scored and assists, giving player names and numbers, with elapsed time (calculate from time remaining).
- Announce penalties assessed, and when a team returns to full strength following a penalty.
- Announce when there is one minute left in a period.
- After each period, announce shots on goal for that period, and the total for the game to that point.

SAMPLE SCRIPT

1. Good evening, and welcome to the Le Sueur Community Center for tonight's game between the **Minnesota River Bulldogs** and the *(town)*_____ *(nickname)*_____

2. Here are your starting line-ups:
   For the Visitors
   In goal: # ____ *(player name)*_____
   On defense: # ____ _____
                      # ____ _____
   and at Forward: # ____ _____
                      # ____ _____
                      # ____ _____

   The _____s are coached by _____

   And now, starting for the BULLDOGS…
   In goal: # ____ _____
   On defense: # ____ _____
                      # ____ _____
   and at Forward   # ____ _____
                      # ____ _____
                      # ____ _____

   The Bulldogs are coached by _____

3. We now ask you to rise and remove your hats while _____ sings our National Anthem.
   OR
   We now ask you to rise and remove your hats as we play our National Anthem.

HOW TO ANNOUNCE GOALS AND PENALITIES

Scoring:
Scoring for the *(team name)*_____s at __:_____ into the ___ period; team name time # ___, *(player name)*_____, assisted by # ___, *(player name)*_____.

Penalties:
A penalty has been assessed to the *(team name)*_____'s # ___, *(player name)*_____ at __:_____ for *(offense)*_____.