

NBSL - USCG
FORT LAUDERDALE
YOUTH DIVISION



GOALS

Our goal is creating a fun environment for youth to increase their physical activity, learn sportsmanship and skills that will help them succeed in future endeavors both on and off the field. We are committed to the growth and development of beach soccer throughout the US by hosting professional and youth events. NBSL provides recreational, healthy, and competitive level beach soccer for participants ages U8 to U18 for boys and girls.

TOURNAMENT

Date: January 8-9

Time: 7AM - 6PM

AGE DIVISIONS

Teams organization in divisions based on the age / year birth of the child.

Saturday January 8	Format	Roster Size
BOYS U9	6 x 6	12 Players
BOYS U10	6 x 6	12 players
BOYS U12	6 x 6	12 Players

Sunday January 9	Format	Roster Size
BOYS U11	6 x 6	12 Players
GIRLS U12	6 x 6	12 players

STADIUM / FIELD LOCATIONS

Fort Lauderdale Beach Park
1100 Seabreeze Blvd
Fort Lauderdale FL 33316

See attached PDF for maps of the fields.

TEAM REGISTRATION FEES:

All age divisions: \$300 Per Team

RULES OF COMPETITION:

NBSL events will be played under FIFA rules, below are guidelines for play. This manual will be distributed to all coaches and referees. If any disputes occur the League Organizing Committee will have the final say.

The rules of beach soccer are based on the Laws of the Game of association football, with several modifications.

Please click on this link to find the Laws of the Game PDF and a video provided by Beach Soccer Worldwide.

<https://beachsoccer.com/laws-of-the-game>

Laws of the Game Overview

- **Pitch:**
- 35-37m in length and 26-28m in width
- Flags mark edge of penalty area and halfway line
- **Team:**
- 5 players of each team
- Unlimited (rolling) substitutions
- Maximum of 12 in matchday squad
- **Game:**
- 3 period, each of 12 minutes
- No draws in beach soccer
 - 3 minutes of Extra Time
 - Penalties (3 each – followed by Sudden Death)
- Win in Normal Time is worth 3 points
- Win in Extra Time is worth w points
- Win on Penalties is worth 1 point
- A direct freekick is awarded for every foul
 - Fouled player should take the shot
- No offsides
- No walls (blocking freekicks)
- No footwear with the exception of socks
- Throw-ins taken with hands or feet
- Headers are allowed in beach soccer

EQUIPMENT:

Each team must provide the complete uniform (jersey and short) to the players. All players must wear same color to distinguish themselves from other teams. Shoes and shinguards are not allowed. Players are allowed to wear socks to protect their feet from the heat.

POINTS AND TIEBREAKERS:

Point system during group stage is as follows:

- Win in normal time is worth 3 points
- Win in extra point is worth 2 points
- Win on Penalties is worth 1 point

In the event of a tiebreaker following group stage the following tiebreak criteria will apply:

- Total number of points
- If still tied – Head to head result
- Total goal differential to a maximum/minimum of +/- 5 per game.
- If still tied – Goals in favor
- If still tied – Goals against
- If still tied – A series of 3 penalty shots from the penalty spot

ROSTERS:

Coaches please fill out the attached NBSL event roster or submit your FYSA roster by email by Friday at 5PM.

HYDRATION:

Player safety is a top priority here at NBSL, very important each player brings plenty of water through the day.

AWARDS:

Trophy Awards are presented to the 1st place and medals for the 2nd places each Division.