

# GORHAM PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

## 3rd & 4th GRADE COED SOCCER RULES

OFFICIAL SOCCER RULES WILL APPLY EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- a) ONLY (8) PLAYERS ON THE FIELD AT ONE TIME INCLUDING (1) GOALIE.
- b) GAME WILL CONSIST OF (2) - 25 MINUTE HALVES.
- c) (5) MINUTES WILL BE ALLOWED FOR HALFTIME.
- d) SUBSTITUTIONS MAY BE DONE ANY TIME THE BALL IS OUT OF PLAY.
- e) THERE ARE NO OVERTIMES. GAMES MAY END IN A TIE.

REMEMBER; THIS IS A GAME BEING PLAYED BY KIDS. THE OBJECT OF THIS PROGRAM IS TO IMPROVE SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE OF THE GAME. WE EMPHASIZE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP AND FAIR PLAY, NOT THE NEED TO WIN. PLEASE ENCOURAGE THE USE OF PROPER EQUIPMENT (SHIN GUARDS, MOUTH GUARDS AND CLEATS). ARGUING BY COACHES, PLAYERS OR PARENTS / SPECTATORS WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE STOPPAGE OF THE GAME.

ALL GAMES WILL BE PLAYED ON THE PROMENADE FIELD OR THE MILAN VILLAGE FIELD (LOCATED BEHIND THE FIRE DEPARTMENT). GAMES SHOULD BEGIN ON TIME, AS SCHEDULED.

ALL PLAYERS MUST PLAY UNLESS THE PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN NOTIFIED ABOUT A DISCIPLINARY ACTION. ALL PLAYERS MUST PLAY AND SIT EQUAL TIME UNLESS NUMBERS DICTATE OTHERWISE.

**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT ACCORDING TO TOWN ORDINANCE 172-1, THERE CAN BE NO DOGS ALLOWED “ON THE TOWN COMMON, PUBLIC PARKS, CEMETERIES AND SCHOOL PROPERTIES AT ANY TIME...”.**