



# Sport Technical Package

## Prince Rupert 2010 Northern BC Winter Games

### February 4 - 7, 2010

## FUTSAL

- Categories:** Junior Boys: 12-14 years  
Junior Girls: 12-14 years
- Participants:** 10 players plus 2 coaches/managers per team. Two teams (one male and one female) per region. A maximum of 160 athletes and 32 coaches/managers will be permitted for the sport.
- Backfilling:** Each region may only register the number of participants indicated above. Other participants must be registered as substitutes. Once registration is complete, the Northern BC Winter Games Society will backfill the unused spots from the list of substitutes, based on policy and ability to host.
- Rules:** 2006 FIFA Futsal Rules  
Condensed version is attached as an addendum to this Sport Technical Package. A complete version is available from the BC Soccer Association website ([www.bcsoccer.net](http://www.bcsoccer.net)).
- Eligibility:** Age as of December 31<sup>st</sup> prior to the Games.  
Participants must be members of the BC Soccer Association.
- Sanctioning:** BC Soccer Association
- Entry Fee:** \$75.00 per Athlete; \$25.00 per Coach/Manager. Fees for all participants from the region must be submitted with one cheque payable to the Northern BC Winter Games Society by the registration deadline. Cash or individual payments for athletes will not be accepted.
- Tournament Draw:** Round Robin. Modified Single Game Championship (single knockout).
- Officials:** A maximum of 8 officials are permitted for the sport. Officials must be named and registration submitted to BC Games Society staff by the Games registration deadline.
- Equipment:** The ball used for competition will be made of leather or another suitable material and will have a circumference of not less than 62 cm and not more than 64 cm. It will weigh no less than 400 grams and no more than 440 grams at the start of the match. The pressure of the ball will be equal to 0.4-0.6 atmospheres (400–600g/cm<sup>2</sup>) at sea level.
- Shin Guards are mandatory for all players.
- The only types of footwear permitted are canvas or soft-leather training or gymnastic shoes with soles made of rubber or a similar material.
- Goalkeepers shall wear colours that easily distinguish them from the other players and the referees.

**Awards:** Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be awarded in all categories or events, as specified in Sport Technical Package, where a competition exists. If there is only one person or team in an event or category, no medals will be awarded. This athlete/team may compete in an alternate category/event if the sport's rules permit. Only Northern BC Winter Games Society medals are permitted to be awarded.

**Venue Requirements:** Gymnasium that is a minimum of 25m to a maximum of 42m in length and a minimum of 15m to a maximum of 25m in width. If the gymnasium being used has basketball hoops that overhang the Futsal court these must be removed.

The goal size is 3 x 2 metres.

**Venue:** Conrad Elementary School and Lax Kxeen Elementary School

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**Registration:**

Online registration information is available from the Northern BC Winter Games Society Regional Representative.

**Deadline for the completion of online registration is January 6, 2010 unless an earlier deadline is set by the Northern BC Winter Games Society Regional Representative.**

- Registration is completed online by the designated contact for each sport in each region.
- Registration fees are to be submitted to the Northern BC Winter Games Society Regional Representative by the deadline.
- Completed Event and Team Lists (if applicable) must also be submitted to the Regional Representative by the deadline.
- Fees for all participants from the region must be submitted with one cheque payable to the Northern BC Winter Games Society by the registration deadline. Cash or individual payments for athletes will not be accepted.

For further information, contact your Northern BC Winter Games Society Regional Representative.

**No changes are allowed to this Technical Package without Northern BC Winter Games Society approval.**