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29th ANNUAL 2008 GIRLS SOCCER TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS
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60th ANNUAL 2008 BOYS SOCCER TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS
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THE SOCCER TOURNAMENT INFORMATION IS ARRANGED IN ELEVEN (11) SECTIONS.

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ALERT

1. **SCORES OF GAMES ARE TO BE TELEPHONED IN TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR IMMEDIATELY AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE GAME BY THE HOME TEAM. TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR FOR SOCCER IS CHARLIE SHAROS -- (860) 688-9940.**
2. All teams are required to report any red and yellow cards they receive when the game results are reported. Additionally each team is required to report red and yellow cards received by their opponent.
All teams are required to post scores for ALL league tournament and CIAC tournament games and red and yellow cards received by their team and opponent via the password-protected, on-line eligibility center by 9:00 a.m. the day following the contest.
3. The penalty report form requires that all home and visitor penalty cards be documented.
4. Officials will no longer record cards on the official score book. They will report all red and yellow cards online to CIAC after each game. Each school assumes the responsibility of recording all penalty cards into their respective score books for every game and reporting both their own and their opponents red and yellow card when posting their score on line.
5. THE CONCLUSION OF EACH CONTEST AT ALL LEVELS, EACH COACH IS REQUIRED TO INITIAL THE OPPOSING TEAM'S SCORE BOOK PENALTY FORM.
6. APPENDIX G (end-of-season penalty report form) MUST BE SUBMITTED VIA THE PASSWORD-PROTECTED ONLINE ELIGIBILITY CENTER BY FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2008.
7. *FOR THE BOYS/GIRLS TOURNAMENT* -- The accumulation of penalty cards (red/yellow) will be carried over into the tournament games as prescribed by CIAC policy.
8. Change of division forms for any team desiring to move up in division are due by **September 1, 2008**
9. Higher ranked team must wear white or light colored shirt (home uniform).
10. **Trainers** – The school should provide their own trainer. If the school does not have a trainer they must notify the tournament director
11. **Member schools must make every effort to complete their season as scheduled, including make-up games. Any effort to gain an advantage in tournament play by not playing a game is unacceptable and is subject to action by the CIAC board of control. Cancellation of any regular season contest / make-up to play in a league tournament will not be allowed.**
12. **New procedures have been put in place to streamline payment of tournament fees.** Athletic departments will be invoiced for tournament fees electronically via the online eligibility center once per season. The invoice will show all fees due based on number of qualifiers and other variables which affect the fees in various sports. Invoices will be available for download as soon as the qualifiers in all sports for the season have been determined. Please wait for this invoice before submitting payment for any tournament fees.

NFHS SOCCER RULES CHANGES 2008-09

- 1-1-1 The field of play shall be rectangular, 100 to 120 yards long and 55 to 80 yards wide. The following minimal dimensions are recommended:
- a. High Schools – 110 yards by 65 yards
 - b. Junior High Schools – 100 yards by 55 yards
- 4-3 Each head coach shall be responsible for ensuring that each of his/her players is properly and legally equipped.
- Add **PENALTY:**
Improperly Equipped Players (18-1-1-s)
Cautions will not be issued for improperly equipped player(s).
- Improperly equipped player(s) shall be instructed to leave the field of play when the ball next ceases to be in play. Play shall not be stopped for an infringement of this rule except that the referee may stop play immediately where there is a dangerous situation.
- In all situations, the removed player(s) may re-enter only after reporting to an official, who shall be satisfied the player's equipment and uniform are in order. There shall be no replacement until the next opportunity to substitute. However, the removed player may re-enter during the dead ball after reporting to an official, who shall be satisfied the player's equipment and uniform are in order.
- Illegally Equipped Players (18-1-1-r)**
The head coach shall receive the first caution issued (yellow card) for an illegally equipped player. All subsequent cautions (yellow cards) for illegally equipped player(s) shall be issued directly to the player(s) and not to the head coach.
- Illegally equipped player(s) shall be instructed to leave the field of play when the ball next ceases to be in play. Play shall not be stopped for an infringement of this rule except that the referee may stop play immediately where there is a dangerous situation.
- The removed player(s) who has not been cautioned may re-enter during a dead ball. Player(s) who have been cautioned can only re-enter at the next legal substitution opportunity. There shall be no replacement for non-cautioned players until the next opportunity to substitute. Cautioned player(s) may be replaced at the time of the caution.
- In all situations, the removed player(s) may re-enter only after reporting to an official, who shall be satisfied the player's equipment and uniform are in order.
- 5-2-2-d-2 Address good sportsmanship
- 5-2-2-d-4 Inquire of each head coach whether each of his/her players is properly and legally equipped. Any questions regarding legality of a player's equipment shall be determined by the head referee, or the center referee in a game officiated using the double-dual system of officiating.
- Delete
5-2-2-e Address coaches and players concerning good sportsmanship.

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2008 GIRLS AND BOYS SOCCER TOURNAMENT
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1.0 **DIVISIONS**

1.1 Only institutional members of the Conference may enter this tournament which will be in four (4) divisions. Placement of schools has been based on the girl or boy 9-12 enrollment as shown in the 2007-08 CIAC Membership Directory.

Girls:

LL -- 686 and over
L -- 492 - 685
M -- 305 - 491
S -- up to 304

Boys:

LL -- 704 and over
L -- 483 - 703
M -- 305 - 482
S -- up to 304

1.2 The 2008 Girls and Boys Soccer Championships will be played using an Open Tournament format.

2.0 **DATES/SITES/TIMES**

2.1 Member schools may start practice on, but not before, Saturday, August 23, 2008.

2.2 Member schools may play the first game on, but not before, Tuesday, September 9, 2008.

2.3 The last date for games to count for the 2008 Girls and Boys Soccer Tournament will be Thursday, October 30, 2008.

2.4 **Scheduled Playing Dates for the 2008 Boys Soccer Tournament:**

First Round - LL, L, M, S -- November 3, 2008
Second Round - LL, L, M, S -- November 5, 2008
Quarter-Finals - LL, L, M, S -- November 7, 2008
Semi-Finals - LL, L, M, S -- November 11, 12, 2008
Finals - LL, L, M, S -- November 14, 15, 2008

Scheduled Playing Dates for the 2008 Girls Soccer Tournament:

First Round - LL, L, M, S -- November 4, 2008
Second Round - LL, L, M, S -- November 6, 2008
Quarter-Finals - LL, L, M, S -- November 8, 2008
Semi-Finals - LL, L, M, S -- November 11, 12, 2008
Finals - LL, L, M, S -- November 15, 2008

2.5 The sites and times of the semi-final and final games will be determined by the Tournament Director.

All weekday tournament games shall start promptly at 2:00 p.m. If a later start is mutually agreed upon the tournament director must be informed of the new starting time. Games played on Saturday or a holiday, starting time will be at the mutually agreed time of the teams involved. The tournament director will determine the starting time if no mutual agreement is reached. From semi-final games on, the Tournament Director has the authority to schedule night games, consent from the participating schools is not required.

TOURNAMENT GAMES WILL BE PLAYED WITH TWO EQUAL HALVES OF 40 MINUTES DURATION FOR A TOTAL OF 80 MINUTES OF REGULAR PLAY.

- 2.6 In the event of inclement weather, the site director has the authority to postpone the game. The site director must immediately notify the tournament director. The postponed game will be played on the next day excluding Sunday, except in the case of the Championship Final games.
- 2.7 All first round, second round and quarter-final games will be played on the field of the higher ranked team based on the ORIGINAL PERCENTAGE RANKINGS. The host school shall provide a site director who should be someone other than the coach.
- 2.8 The Tournament Director will determine the sites and times for all semi-finals and finals. Night games may be scheduled. The Tournament Director will designate the site director.
- 2.9 In the event the host team does not have an available soccer field that meets the CIAC Soccer Committee recommended field of 65 yards by 110 yards long, the host site must contact the tournament director to seek permission to use their site. If the site is determined to be unacceptable the game will be moved to a neutral site or if a neutral site is not available to the site of the lower ranked team.

3.0 **ENTRY PROCEDURE**

- 3.1 **GAME RESULTS** – Must be submitted on a weekly basis (scores for all games through Saturday must be entered no later than the following Monday via the password-protected online eligibility center).

Regardless of regular season postponed games, the date of THURSDAY, October 30, 2008 MUST BE THE FINAL DAY TO COUNT for the tournament. All games played after the entry form has been submitted, must be completed, and scores and cards reported to the CIAC office via the password-protected online eligibility center by Thursday, October 30, 2008.

Note: Schools may set up access codes in the eligibility center to allow coaches to submit scores via the web site without requiring the school's main eligibility center password. Game scores are the only information that may be submitted in this manner.

- 3.2 **CHANGE OF DIVISION FORM** -- Optional, if filed must be by September 1, 2008 for the 2008 season. Once a school is approved for a change of division, this status remains in effect for three (3) years.
- 3.3 **OFFICIALS FORM** -- Must be completed and submitted via the password-protected online eligibility center by October 17, 2008.
- 3.4 **TOURNAMENT ROSTERS** – Must be submitted via the password-protected online eligibility center by Friday, October 24, 2008. Any request for changes after the initial roster is submitted must be made on a “support ticket” via the online eligibility center.
- 3.5 **ENTRY FEE** -- There is a \$75 entry fee for the girls and boys soccer tournament. **New procedures have been put in place to streamline payment of tournament fees.** Athletic departments will be invoiced for tournament fees electronically via the online eligibility center once per season. The invoice will show all fees due based on number of qualifiers and other variables which affect the fees in various sports. Invoices will be available for download as soon as the qualifiers in all sports for the season have been determined. Please wait for this invoice before submitting payment for any tournament fees.
- 3.6 **QUALIFYING RECORD FOR BOYS AND GIRLS** -- Win 40% of games against member schools, eligible out-of- state schools and the American School for the Deaf.
- 3.7 **CIAC LATE ENTRY POLICY**
 - **No tournament entries will be accepted after the established deadline except those approved by the CIAC Board of Control.**
 - Corrections requested by a school to an entry form that was submitted by the established deadline but prior to seeding/pairing data being published on the web site, will be assessed a fee of \$50 per correction to a maximum of \$250.
 - All requests for corrections must be submitted on a support ticket via the online eligibility center. **No phone request will be considered.**

- All regular season penalty reports must be electronically filed on the CIAC web site by 9:00 a.m., Thursday, October 30, 2008. Late fees will apply.
- All red/yellow cards for league and CIAC tournament games must be posted along with the results of the game on the CIAC web site.

3.8 **TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS VIOLATIONS** -- If a school fails to comply with tournament regulations and such requires the CIAC tournament sports committee, central office staff, or the CIAC Board of Control to redo any portion of the tournament pairings or such non-compliance adversely impacts the management of the tournament, an administrative violation fee of \$500 will be imposed upon the school before entry into the tournament will be allowed.

4.0 **EXPENSES/TICKETS**

4.1 The higher ranked team will host first round, second round and quarter-final games and the host team will pay all game expenses for these games, **including officials**. Admission will be charged at all quarter-final games. For quarter-final games, the host school will be reimbursed **up to \$350** for all costs which includes officials. If the host site cannot effectively charge and collect tickets at their site the game will be moved to a neutral site that can accommodate ticket sales or the site of the lower ranked team will be used. The visiting team will pay its own travel expenses.

4.2 Schools will bear all traveling expenses.

4.3 The CIAC Soccer Committee will pay all game expenses directly associated with the staging of the semi-finals and final tournament games.

4.4 Charges for admission for quarter-finals, semi-finals and finals will be: *

- Free – Children five (5) and under
- \$5.00 -- Senior Citizens (Age 65 and older)
- \$5.00 -- Students (Grades 1 - 12)
- \$7.00 -- Adults (All others not in the above categories)

* Subject to change

4.5 If in first and second round play schools wish to charge admission they should notify the Principal and Athletic Director of the visiting school in advance.

4.6 During the 2008 Tournament, the following passes will be honored at all games where an admission is charged.

- a. CIAC Soccer Pass (soccer varsity coaches must request from CIAC and provide a self-addressed stamped envelope)
 - b. Principal (or designee) of participating schools with CAS membership card or a lifetime membership card.
 - c. CIAC **Soccer** Officials Association membership card
 - d. Press Card
- No other complimentary admissions will be permitted.

5.0 **FORFEITS**

5.1 Member schools will be required to submit regular season schedules for all sports controlled by CIAC in which member schools participate. Determination of forfeitures will be based on this schedule.

A forfeit game shall count as a victory for the team declared the winner and as a loss for the team declared a loser in determining tournament qualifications and ratings. For tournament qualifications only the following reasons for a forfeit shall be accepted.

5.2 A team shall forfeit a game or games if through a violation it is required to do so under the CIAC Rules of Eligibility.

- 5.3 A team shall forfeit a game if the game official declares the game a forfeit as a result of a National Federation rule violation, or a team refuses to play after being instructed to do so by the game official.
- 5.4 Forfeitures will be honored by each CIAC sports committee when there is mutual agreement between the Principals of the two schools involved in the game not played. Each principal must submit on the official CIAC Canceled Game - Forfeiture Form his/her decision and it must be received in the CIAC office within 72 hours following the time of the scheduled contest. On the eve of a tournament when there is not sufficient time for normal administrative procedures (72 hours) if a question of team forfeiture arises the Executive Director or his designee, in consultation with the Chairman of the sports committee affected and the principals of the two schools will make an appropriate ad hoc decision in consideration of the best interests of the tournament as a whole.
- 5.5 All games listed on the original schedule and submitted to the CIAC which are not played and have not been forfeited in accordance with this policy will be considered by each sport committee as No Contest and shall not count for tournament qualification and ratings unless it affects the minimum number of games required to qualify for tournament participation. In this instance the sport committee shall review the evidence submitted by the teams involved and may grant an exception from the minimum game number requirement. The minimum winning percentage as determined by the individual sports committee must be met under all circumstances.

6.0 OFFICIALS

- 6.1 By October 17, 2008, each varsity head coach, is requested to submit via the password-protected online eligibility center -- a list of SIX (6) officials who in their opinion would be competent to officiate tournament games. In addition they may indicate TWO (2) officials whose services they reject.
- 6.2 **The host school in the first round, second round and quarter-final games must call their commissioner of officials and request that officials be assigned. Each commissioner has been made aware of this. Three (3) officials will be used from the quarter-finals on in all games.**
- The semi-final and final game officials will be assigned by the tournament and assistant tournament director from lists submitted by the commissioners of each board.**
- 6.3 Identity of the Officials assigned games by the Officials Coordinator will not be disclosed prior to the game.

7.0 PROTESTS

- 7.1 Each sports committee will establish a protest committee whose purpose will be to adjudicate all protests relating to the operation of the tournament, including the application and administration of tournament regulations. National Federation or CIAC game rule interpretations and game judgments by the game officials cannot be protested. The Protest Committee for each sport shall consist of the Assistant Executive Director for CIAC, the Chairman of the Tournament Committee, an administrator member of the sports Committee, the Tournament Director, and the Coaches' Chairman on the sport Committee. All Protest Committee decisions are appealable to the CIAC Board of Control as provided in the CIAC By-laws.
- 7.2 On the eve of a tournament when there is not sufficient time for normal administrative procedures and Board of Control hearings, if a question of interpretation of tournament regulations or the operation of the tournament arises, the Chairman of the CIAC Board of Control, the Executive Director of CIAC, and the Chairman of the Tournament Committee in question will make an appropriate ad hoc decision in consideration of the best interest of the tournament as a whole.
- 7.3 DECISIONS BY GAME OFFICIALS -- Protests arising from the decisions, interpretations and misapplication of the National Federation or CIAC game rules by officials during the contest will not be considered. The decisions and interpretations of the rules by the officials are final.

The record of the official scorekeeper at the conclusion of the contest is final unless an error is discovered. Such error shall be corrected as covered by specific contest rules.

Any team leaving the contest area before the conclusion of the contest because of dissatisfaction with the officiating will render the school liable to disciplinary action by the conference.

8.0 QUALIFYING

- 8.1 To be eligible for consideration in the tournament, a team must play a minimum of ten (10) games AGAINST VARSITY OPPONENTS and have a winning percentage of 40%. Only the first two games played with any single opponent will be included in the ten (10) games.
- 8.2 Only games played with Conference member schools, American School for the Deaf, or Region I out-of-state schools who are members of their state athletic association shall be considered.
- 8.3 Games played with non-member Connecticut secondary schools shall not be considered in the rating of teams.

9.0 RANKING/SEEDING

- 9.1 a. Ranking of teams for inclusion and for the purpose of pairings shall be based upon the winning percentage.
Each WIN equals - 2 / Each LOSS equals - 0 / Each TIE equals - 1
- b. Divide the total points by two (2) times the number of games played against teams as specified in 8.2. There must be at least TEN (10) games against eligible opponents. (See Section 8)
- c. Resolving Ties for Tournament Qualification: Whenever ties exist among the first round teams, they shall be resolved in the following order.
 - 1) Win/loss records of teams in competition with one another in regular season play.
 - 2) The team with the greatest number of combined wins and ties will be ranked higher in cases where the percentage is identical.
 - 3) Toss of the coin or by lot.
- 9.2 When more than one team is undefeated, the team with the most wins WILL be ranked first.
- 9.3 A TEAM MAINTAINS ITS INITIAL PERCENTAGE RANKING THROUGHOUT THE TOURNAMENT.
- 9.4 In case more than thirty-two (32) teams qualify, a qualifying round playing date will be established.
- 9.5 Order of play if more than 32 teams qualify for the tournament in any division.

If 33 teams	If 34 teams	If 35 teams	If 36 teams
32 vs 33	32 vs 33	32 vs 33	32 vs 33
	31 vs 34	31 vs 34	31 vs 34
		30 vs 35	30 vs 35
			29 vs 36
- 9.6 In case there are not thirty-two (32) teams that qualify, byes will be awarded to the appropriate number of higher ranked teams.

9.7 Tournament Format:

<u>First Round</u>	<u>Second Round</u>	<u>Quarter-finals</u>	<u>Semi-finals</u>	<u>Finals</u>
1 vs 32				
16 vs 17	1 vs 16			
8 vs 25		1 vs 8		
9 vs 24	8 vs 9		1 vs 4	
4 vs 29				
13 vs 20	4 vs 13			
5 vs 28		4 vs 5		
12 vs 21	5 vs 12			
2 vs 31			1 vs 2	
15 vs 18	2 vs 15			
7 vs 26		2 vs 7		
10 vs 23	7 vs 10			
3 vs 30			2 vs 3	
14 vs 19	3 vs 14			
6 vs 28		3 vs 6		
11 vs 22	6 vs 11			

9.8 ***Ranking and Pairing information will be posted on the CIAC web site on Friday, October 31, 2008 at -- www.casciac.org***

10.0 **SUPERVISION/SPORTSMANSHIP**

- 10.1 Players and coaches disqualified in a game will be required to serve the additional penalty as outlined in the CIAC Regulation on "Disqualification".
- 10.2 In the interest of crowd control and proper supervision the CIAC Board of Control has approved the tournament regulation requiring the principal of the participating schools or his/her designee to attend all tournament games. **The school administrator must identify him/herself to the site director.**
- 10.3 When a member school's coach is ejected from a game for an infraction as prescribed by the rules, the game may not continue until the member school replaces the ejected coach with a certified coach. If this cannot be accomplished within 15 minutes after the ejection, the official in charge will declare a forfeit win for the opposing team.
- 10.4 Use of tobacco products or possession of alcoholic beverages of any kind, including champagne, are not permitted on the field of play, including dugouts, or within the field or park at which a tournament game is scheduled. Many towns, or fields which we use have local ordinances prohibiting use of tobacco products or possession of alcoholic beverages. The principal or his/her designee at the game shall see that this rule is enforced and adhered to by the teams.
- 10.5 **Bench and Field Conduct**
- Personnel -- Only coaches, players, other team members, statisticians, managers and trainers will be allowed in the bench area.
- Conduct -- The above identified personnel shall not be outside the vicinity of the designated bench area.
- 10.6 Team members in uniform, coaches, managers and up to 20 cheerleaders accompanying the team will be admitted free of charge to each game. Bands and other musical groups, noisemakers that might interfere with the performance of the game, and large banners or streamers are prohibited and each school principal is responsible for compliance with this regulation.

11.0 TOURNAMENT RULES / PROCEDURES

- 11.1. a. In all tournament games prior to the "finals" the following shall be the procedure to resolve a tie score. After a five minute time out--
 1. A 10 minute "Sudden Victory" overtime period shall be played.
 2. Teams will change direction without a time out. A second ten minute "sudden victory" overtime period shall be played.
 3. First Round Penalty Kicks -- Five players from each team kick once alternately or until the lead is insurmountable.
 4. Second Penalty Kicks -- Five different players from each team kick once alternately or until the lead is insurmountable. There is no "sudden victory".
 5. If a tie remains, repeat step 3 and if necessary, step 4.
 - b. After each set of ten kickers from each team, players may be repeated. If a tie exists in the finals after the two overtime periods, co-champions will be declared. Penalty cards shall carry over into overtime periods.
 - c. There will be no sudden victory during any penalty kick rounds.
 - d. Yellow card penalties will carry over into all overtime periods. Players receiving yellow cards that carry over into the first penalty kick tie breaking round will be eliminated from participating in the first round of penalty kicks. Players receiving yellow cards during any penalty kick round will be eliminated from any additional penalty kick rounds during the match.
 - e. If a tie exists in the "finals" after the two overtime periods, co-champions shall be declared.
- 11.2 The tournament soccer ball for the 2008 tournament will be the BADEN Lexum SX 551 or SX 651. This ball shall be used for all tournament games including first and second round games. The higher ranked team shall provide three (3) official tournament balls for all games.
- 11.3 In cases where jerseys are of conflicting colors, the lower ranked team will wear jerseys or pinnies of a contrasting color. If a conflict is apparent at the time of rating and pairings, the teams involved will be notified by the tournament director. The lower ranked team will be required to appear at the game with jerseys of a contrasting color.
- 11.4 **The Site Director must provide a minimum of two (2) "ball persons" for each tournament game.**
- 11.5 In all cases where a toss of coin may be required, the higher ranked team will have the privilege of call on the coin.
- 11.6 Entering schools are reminded that in the event of severely inclement weather it may be necessary to play the soccer FINALS on Sunday afternoon, November 16, 2008. The game may not start before 12:30 p.m.
- 11.7 Regular season games if suspended in the first half, the game if rescheduled, must be restarted from the beginning with the score 0-0. If suspended after one full half of play the game will be declared an official game. Games suspended in the first half and not rescheduled will be declared "no game."
- 11.8 In CIAC tournament play a game suspended either in the first half or the second half will be rescheduled and play continued from the point of suspension with the score the same as when the game was suspended.
- 11.9 Terminated games during the regular season must be resolved by the authorities involved with the two member schools. Terminated games may: be declared no game, forfeited, be suspended and replayed from point of suspension, etc. CIAC terminated tournament games will be resolved by CIAC.

- 11.10 SEE APPENDIX F FOR THE REGULATION AND PENALTIES FOR YELLOW CARDS.
- 11.11 SEE APPENDIX G FOR THE PENALTY REPORT FORM THAT MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THE ENTRY FORM. IF YOU DO NOT QUALIFY FOR THE TOURNAMENT, THE PENALTY REPORT FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED AFTER YOUR LAST REGULAR SEASON GAME. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN PROBATION OR PROHIBITION.

APPENDIX A

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2008 BOYS SOCCER TOURNAMENT DIVISIONS

LL -- 704 and over (43)

Bridgeport Central	1141
Bridgeport - Warren Harding	773
Bristol Central	782
Cheshire	859
Danbury	1390
East Hartford	1014
Fairfield Prep.	893
Farmington	718
Glastonbury	1022
Greenwich	1404
Guilford *	563
Hamden	1119
Hartford - Bulkeley	763
Hartford Public	820
Manchester	1007
Middletown - Xavier	897
Monroe - Masuk	712
Naugatuck	755
New Britain	1616
New Haven - Career / Hillhouse **	810
New Haven - Wilbur Cross	891
New Milford	806
Newington	791
Newtown	857
Norwalk	808
Norwalk - Brien McMahon	852
Norwich Free Academy	1160
Ridgefield	854
Shelton	895
Simsbury	941
South Windsor	861
Southbury - Pomperaug	715
Southington	1092
Stamford	901
Stamford - Westhill	1148
Storrs - E.O. Smith *	571
Trumbull	1001
West Hartford - Conard	715
West Hartford - Wm. Hall	790
West Haven	918
Westport - Staples	908
Windsor	816
Woodbridge - Amity	816

L -- 483 - 703 (43)

Avon	535
Berlin	566
Bethel	511
Branford	586
Bridgeport - Bassick	703
Bristol - Bristol Eastern	616
Brookfield	540
Colchester - Bacon Academy	522
Darien	595
East Haven	547
East Lyme	632
Enfield	485
Enfield - Enrico Fermi	568
Fairfield - Ludlowe	660
Fairfield - Warde	593
Hartford - Weaver	645
Hebron - RHAM	531
Groton - Fitch	684
Ledyard	492
Madison - Daniel Hand	640
Manchester - Cheney Tech.	483
Meriden - Maloney	679
Meriden - Platt	591
Middletown	665
Milford - Jonathan Law	522
Milford - Platt Tech	583
New Canaan	645
New Fairfield	501
North Haven	650
Stratford - Bunnell	678
Torrington	664
Vernon - Rockville	565
Wallingford - Lyman Hall	553
Wallingford - Sheehan	496
Waterbury - Crosby	668
Waterbury - Kennedy	630
Waterbury - Wilby	613
Watertown	486
West Haven - Notre Dame	671
Wethersfield	614
Wilton	650
Windham	516
Woodstock Academy	577

* Requested higher division

** Co-op team

M -- 305 - 482 (43)

Ansonia	381
Ansonia - Emmett O'Brien	354
Beacon Falls - Woodland Reg.	423
Bloomfield	321
Bridgeport - Bullard Havens	431
Burlington - Lewis Mills	389
Danbury - Abbott Tech.	395
Deep River - Valley Reg.	307
Ellington	394
Granby Memorial	416
Griswold	377
Groton - Grasso Southeastern Tech.	341
Higganum - Haddam-Killingworth	376
Killingly	372
Killingly - Ellis Tech	406
Manchester - East Catholic	394
Meriden - Wilcox Tech.	438
Middletown - Vinal Tech.	429
Milford - Foran	458
Montville	403
New London	448
North Branford	370
Plainfield	448
Plainville	480
Redding - Joel Barlow	470
Rocky Hill	385
Seymour	421
Stonington	421
Stratford	471
Suffield	390
Tolland	430
Torrington - Wolcott Tech	415
Trumbull - St. Joseph	395
Waterbury - Holy Cross	396
Waterbury - Kaynor Tech.	443
Waterford	482
W. Hartford - N.W. Catholic	307
Weston	390
Windham Tech.	315
Windsor Locks	318
Winsted - Northwestern Reg.	375
Wolcott	476
Woodbury - Nonnewaug	383

S -- Up to 304 (46)

Bolton	129
Bridgeport - Kolbe-Cathedral	124
Bristol - St. Paul	133
Canton	278
Chaplin - Parish Hill	85
Clinton - Morgan School	304
Coventry	291
Cromwell	269
Danbury - Immaculate	234
Derby	230
Durham - Coginchaug	290
East Granby	135
East Haddam - Hale Ray	208
East Hampton	275
East Windsor	229
Fairfield - Notre Dame	291
Falls Village - Housatonic Valley	290
Hamden - Eli Whitney	258
Hartford - A.I. Prince Tech.	266
Hartford - Classical	127
Hartford - Sport & Medical Science	172
Hartford - University High School	205
Lebanon - Lyman Memorial	276
Litchfield	215
Litchfield - Wamogo	189
New Britain - Goodwin Tech.	265
New Milford - Faith Ac/Faith Prep.	27
No. Stonington - Wheeler	122
Norwich Tech.	294
Old Lyme	231
Old Saybrook	247
Oxford	144
Portland	180
Putnam	183
Somers	278
Stafford	259
Stamford - Trinity Catholic	244
Stamford - Wright Tech.	148
Terryville	304
Thomaston	205
Thompson - Tourtellotte	195
Uncasville - St. Bernard	198
Washington - Shepaug Valley	194
Waterbury - Sacred Heart	213
Westbrook	164
Winsted - Gilbert School	202

Contact CIAC if your school sponsors boys soccer but has been left off the list -- or if you are listed and no longer sponsor the sport.

SCHOOLS NOT SPONSORING TEAMS

Hartford - Capital Prep.	62
New Haven - Hyde Leadership	177
Stamford Academy	82

2008 GIRLS SOCCER TOURNAMENT DIVISIONS

LL -- 686 and over (38)

Bridgeport Central	1199
Bristol Central	704
Cheshire	793
Danbury	1444
East Hartford	1027
Fairfield Ludlowe	720
Glastonbury	1033
Greenwich	1289
Groton - Fitch	729
Hamden	1077
Hartford - Bulkeley	751
Hartford Public	764
Manchester	1076
Middletown - Mercy	695
Monroe - Masuk	701
New Britain	1529
New Haven - Cross/Hillhouse/Career**	1088
New Milford	788
Newington	737
Newtown	862
Norwalk	753
Norwalk - Brien McMahon	808
Norwich Free Academy	1291
Ridgefield	898
Shelton	795
Simsbury	727
South Windsor	790
Southbury - Pomperaug	703
Southington	1083
Stamford	880
Stamford - Westhill	1119
Stratford - Bunnell	686
Trumbull	1105
West Hartford - Conard	730
West Hartford - Wm. Hall	763
West Haven	870
Westport - Staples	817
Woodbridge - Amity Reg.	834

L -- 492 - 685 (38)

Avon	515
Berlin	501
Bethel	523
Branford	595
Bristol Eastern	658
Darien	607
East Haven	557
East Lyme	678
Enfield - Enrico Fermi	594
Fairfield - Warde	638
Farmington	668
Guilford	606
Hamden - Sacred Heart Academy	505
Hartford - Weaver	612
Hebron - RHAM	498
Ledyard	570
Madison - Daniel Hand	598
Meriden - Maloney	645
Meriden - Platt	612
Middletown	676
Milford - Foran	556
Milford - Jonathan Law	519
Naugatuck	667
New Canaan	583
North Haven	660
Redding - Joel Barlow	492
Storrs - E.O. Smith	625
Stratford	500
Torrington	627
Vernon - Rockville	661
Wallingford - Lyman Hall	632
Wallingford - Sheehan	494
Waterford	531
Watertown	494
Wethersfield	617
Wilton	609
Windsor	661
Woodstock Academy	585

** Co-op

M -- 305 - 491 (38)

Ansonia	377
Beacon Falls - Woodland Reg.	397
Bloomfield	311
Brookfield	484
Burlington - Lewis Mills	389
Clinton - Morgan School	331
Colchester - Bacon Academy	461
Deep River - Valley Reg.	311
East Hampton	323
Ellington	372
Enfield	442
Granby Memorial	334
Griswold	415
Higganum - Haddam-Killingworth	340
Killingly	459
Lebanon - Lyman Memorial	317
Manchester - East Catholic	367
Milford - Lauralton Hall	432
Montville	426
New Fairfield	440
New London	358
North Branford	359
Plainfield	467
Plainville	447
Rocky Hill	371
Seymour	454
Stonington	392
Suffield	451
Tolland	421
Torrington - Wolcott Tech.	305
Trumbull - St. Joseph	441
Waterbury - Holy Cross	404
West Hartford - N.W. Catholic	336
Weston	417
Winsted - N.W.	422
Windham	470
Wolcott	457
Woodbury - Nonnewaug	489

No Team -- If your school has a girls soccer team and is listed below or if you are listed in a division and do not have girls soccer this year, please notify the CIAC.

Ansonia - O'Brien Tech	173
Bridgeport - Bassick	604
Bridgeport - Bullard Havens	442
Bridgeport - Warren Harding	762
Danbury - Abbott Tech	173
Hamden - Eli Whitney Tech.	271
Hartford - A.I. Prince Tech.	317
Killingly - Ellis Tech..	158
Manchester - Cheney Tech.	88
New Britain - Goodwin Tech.	186
New Haven - Hyde Leadership	52
New Milford - Faith Prep.	32
Norwich Tech.	116

S -- Up to 304 (45)

Baltic - Academy of Holy Family	43
Bolton	146
Bridgeport - Kolbe-Cathedral	192
Bristol - St. Paul	126
Canton	252
Chaplin - Parish Hill	87
Coventry	278
Cromwell	304
Danbury - Immaculate	172
Derby	206
Durham - Coginchaug	297
East Granby	126
East Haddam - Hale Ray	208
East Windsor	226
Fairfield - Notre Dame Catholic	282
Falls Village - Housatonic Valley	272
Groton - Grasso Tech.	248
Hartford - Capital Prep.	82
Hartford - Classical	184
Hartford - Sport & Medical Science	227
Hartford - University	137
Litchfield	207
Litchfield - Wamogo	218
Meriden - Wilcox Tech.	270
Middletown - Vinal Tech	158
Milford - Platt Tech.	259
No. Stonington - Wheeler	117
Old Lyme	244
Old Saybrook	242
Oxford	124
Portland	190
Putnam	211
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Thomaston	174
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Waterbury - Kaynor Tech.	
Waterbury - Sacred Heart	242
Westbrook	147
Windsor Locks	274
Winsted - Gilbert School	206

Stamford Academy	53
Stamford - Wright Tech	106
Waterbury - Crosby	684
Waterbury - Kennedy	685
Waterbury - Wilby	597
Windham Tech	168

See the end of this packet for worksheets you can use to collect the information which needs to be submitted.

APPENDIX B

2008 GIRLS / BOYS SOCCER GAME RESULTS / TOURNAMENT ROSTER

Game results must be submitted on a weekly basis (scores for all games through Saturday must be entered no later than the following Monday) via the password-protected online eligibility center. Regardless of regular season postponed games, the date of Thursday, November 1 must be the final day to count for the tournament.

Tournament rosters must be submitted via the password-protected online eligibility center by Friday, October 24, 2008. Any request for changes after the initial roster is submitted must be made on a "support ticket" via the online eligibility center.

- Any number of eligible players may be used.
- Games that are postponed or suspended (except finals) shall be played on the next available date (excluding Sundays). Postponed or suspended FINAL games shall be played on the next available date including Sunday. This has been approved for 2008 tournament.
- Entry fee of \$75 must be sent to Michael H. Savage, Executive Director, 30 Realty Drive, Cheshire, CT 06410.

CIAC LATE ENTRY POLICY

- No tournament entries will be accepted after the established deadline except those approved by the CIAC Board of Control.
- Corrections requested by a school to an entry form that was submitted by the established deadline but prior to seeding/pairing data being published on the web site, will be assessed a fee of \$50 per correction to a maximum of \$250.
- All requests for corrections must be submitted on a support ticket via the online eligibility center. No phone request will be considered.

TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS VIOLATION – If a school fails to comply with tournament regulations and such requires the CIAC tournament sports committees, central office staff, or the CIAC Board of Control to redo any portion of the tournament pairings or such non-compliance adversely impacts the management of the tournament, an administrative violation fee of \$500 will be imposed upon the school before entry into the tournament will be allowed.

APPENDIX C

FORM FOR APPLYING FOR A HIGHER DIVISION IN THE 2008 BOYS OR GIRLS SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Must be submitted via the password-protected online eligibility center by September 1, 2008 for the 2008 tournament.

Placement of schools has been based on the 9-12 boy or girl 2007-2008 enrollment. Any principal desiring a change of division must make a request not later than September 1, 2008 for the 2008 tournaments. Once a school has been approved for a change of division, this status will remain in effect for three (3) school years.

APPENDIX D

SELECTION OF OFFICIALS FORM

Must be submitted via the password-protected online eligibility center by October 17, 2008.

Schools may list up to six (6) officials they would wish to officiate their games and may list up to two they would not wish to officiate their games.

A master list of soccer officials will be drawn up by the tournament director. In quarter-finals, semi-finals and finals, the best officials available will be assigned from this list.

APPENDIX F

YELLOW CARD RULE

1. Each player who is issued a yellow card is to be removed from the game (placed on "hold out") for ten minutes. A player who is on "hold out" may return to the game after ten minutes but must do so in accordance with the rules pertaining to substitution. When a game officially ends, overtime periods are part of a regulation game, a player on "hold out" is removed from "hold out" status even though there may be less than ten minutes to play. When a player is placed on "hold out" the team may substitute for the player, a team will not be required to play one down for this infraction.
 - 2.a. A player or coach is ineligible to participate in any soccer contest until withheld from the next soccer contest at that level of play when the player has been issued a third (cumulative) yellow card of the regular season, not game. The rule also becomes operative for the same player at the sixth, ninth etc. yellow card during the regular season. The game in which the third, sixth, ninth etc. cumulative yellow card is given determines the level of play. A player receiving a yellow card in a sub-varsity game and a yellow card in a varsity game has accumulated two for the regular season. **Any player who receives a third cumulative yellow card will be required to sit out the next game at that level of play. The player may not participate in a game at any level until he/she has sat out the required game at the appropriate level of play.**
 - b. In the event a player or coach receives their third, sixth, ninth, etc., yellow card at the last scheduled regular season game, or league playoff game, the player/coach shall be disqualified from participating in the next contest (league playoff game or CIAC tournament game).
- Note:** Any player who is issued the third (cumulative) yellow card and a red card in the same game will be disqualified for the next two games and is ineligible to play until the next two games at that level of play have occurred. A player receiving a combination yellow card/red card in a game has been issued the second yellow card for that game as well as a red card. The issuance of a red card only, does not count as one yellow card.
3. Each CIAC member school must maintain an official soccer score book. The issuance of each yellow and red card must be immediately recorded in that team's score book by the game official when the incident occurs. At the conclusion of the regular season each member school will report to the CIAC a summation of all red and yellow card penalties on the CIAC Penalty Report Form. Failure to do so may lead to a team's disqualification from post season play.
 4. A player rendered ineligible through a disqualification will be determined to be an ineligible player according to CIAC eligibility regulations. The use of an ineligible player will lead to a game forfeiture.
 5. Yellow card penalties will carry over into all overtime periods. Players receiving yellow cards that carry over into the first penalty kick tie breaking round will be eliminated from participating in the first round of penalty kicks. Players receiving yellow cards during any penalty kick round will be eliminated from any additional penalty kick rounds during that match.

TEAM YELLOW / RED CARD RULE

1. Varsity team that accumulates five (5) or more RED CARDS during the regular season shall be
 - Disqualified from CIAC tournament play for that season.
 - Required to attend a hearing conducted by the soccer committee.
 - Placed on soccer probation.
2. A varsity team that accumulates a TOTAL COMBINATION OF 16 RED AND YELLOW CARDS during the regular season shall be:
 - a. Disqualified from CIAC tournament play for that season
 - b. Required to attend a hearing conducted by the soccer committee.
 - c. Placed on soccer probation.
3. A varsity team that receives its fifth (5th) RED CARD OR MORE, or accumulates A TOTAL OF 16 RED AND YELLOW CARDS DURING TOURNAMENT PLAY, shall be:
 - a. Placed on soccer probation the following season.
 - b. Required to attend a hearing conducted by the soccer committee.
4. ALL RED CARDS accumulated during CIAC tournament play shall carry over to the next season.
5. A varsity team that has been placed on soccer PROBATION that accumulates A TOTAL OF 3 RED CARDS OR 10 YELLOW CARDS the following year shall:
 - a. Remain on soccer probation.
6. Penalty cards can only be accumulated at the SAME LEVEL OF PLAY. (Freshman, JV, Varsity)
7. Schools that fail to submit the required red / yellow card information will be subject to a fine as prescribed by the CIAC fine policy as well as probation or prohibition from tournament play.
8. All penalty cards accumulated during the season and during league tournament must be carried over the post season play, including the CIAC tournament.
9. All red / yellow cards must be recorded by BOTH SCHOOLS at the time the scores are required to be submitted electronically to the CIAC. **Scores and cards for all games including league tournament and the CIAC State Tournament games must be submitted electronically to the CIAC.**

APPENDIX G -- CIAC SOCCER PENALTY REPORT FORM

This report (including those with zero penalties) must be submitted to the CIAC office by all schools playing soccer at the conclusion of each season. A copy of this form must accompany all tournament entry forms.

Must be submitted via the password-protected online eligibility center by 9:00 p.m., October 31, 2008.

* Central CT = CC; Coastal Valley = CV; Eastern CT = CT; Greater New Haven = NH; Southern CT = SC; Western = WC

Attach a copy of this penalty report form in your soccer score book inside the back cover. Each school assumes the responsibility of recording all penalty cards into their respective score books for every game. Your score book must be available at each game. At the conclusion of each contest at all levels, each coach is required to initial the opposing team's score book penalty form. Failure to have it available may result in either probation or prohibition for your team. A copy of this form must be submitted to the CIAC on the day after your last regular season game regardless of tournament qualification and/or zero penalties. This form is to be executed for frosh, sub-varsity, and varsity levels of play.

YELLOW CARD CODE

1. Entering or leaving the field of play without permission.
2. Persistent infringement of rules.
3. "Dissent" by mouth or action.
4. Incidental foul language.
5. Use of electrical / mechanical equipment to assist in coaching.
6. Coaching outside team area.
7. Unnecessary delay (kicking, throwing ball away free kick)
8. Holding a shirt or short.
9. Deliberate verbal tactics.
10. Encroachment.
11. Intentional handball to stop an attack.
12. Deliberate tactical foul.
13. Other unsportsmanlike conduct.
14. Use of tobacco products at game site.

YELLOW / RED CARD CODE

(Player can be replaced -- no field player reduction)

1. Taunting
2. Second Yellow Card

RED CARD CODE

1. Intentional handball to prevent a goal.
2. An intentional foul against an opponent moving offensively with an obvious opportunity to score.
3. Spitting at another person.
4. Exhibiting other violent conduct or committing other serious foul play.
5. Using foul or abusive language.
6. Leaving the team area to enter the field where a fight or altercation is taking place, unless summoned by an official.

APPENDIX H

DUTIES OF 2008 BOYS OR GIRLS SOCCER TOURNAMENT SITE DIRECTOR

It shall be the duty of the Site Director to see that the following facilities are available well in advance of the start of the game:

1. **THE SCORE OF GAME MUST BE TELEPHONED TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR BY THE HOME TEAM IMMEDIATELY AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE GAME. CALLS MAY BE MADE "COLLECT". CALL NO LATER THAN 7:00 P.M. -- TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR - CHARLES SHAROS - (860) 688-9940**
2. In the event that a field is absolutely unfit for play because of excessive water the Tournament Director should be notified as soon as possible. (After a rain most fields may not be perfectly dry, but yet would be suitable for play.)
3. The field should be freshly lined, following official dimensions with field markings in agreement with the most recent National Federation Soccer Rule book rules. Corner flags are to be in place and each goal should be provided with the customary net.
4. A restraining barrier of some sort should be in place to keep spectators at least fifteen feet from the playing surface at all points. In most cases crowd ropes will be considered suitable.
5. An ADULT scorer and an ADULT timer will be provided by the Site Director and a sufficiently large scorer's and timer's table with bench or chairs will be made available for the game.
6. A suitable timing device -- the conventional time-clock -- and a loud horn or other loud noise-making device (not a whistle) will be available to signal the expiration of playing time. A loud horn should be used to signal the end of the game.
7. SUFFICIENT SECURITY PERSONNEL AS MAY BE DEEMED NECESSARY WILL BE ON DUTY TO CONTROL THE ANTICIPATED CROWD.
8. Emergency medical procedures should be established for the game.
9. Suitable benches and drinking water should be provided for the players. If a request is made, dressing facilities should be provided for any team which has more than twenty miles to travel.
10. All monies collected at the site along with ticket accountability should be sent to Michael H. Savage, CIAC, 30 Realty Drive, Cheshire, CT 06410. For accountability purposes (and for your records) payment (of all monies collected) to CIAC should be made by check (school/central office check). A list of expenses which includes all fees should accompany the check so the CIAC may then be able to make payment by check.
11. During the 2008 Tournament the following passes will be honored at all games where a fee is charged:
 - a. Official CIAC Soccer Coaches and Committee pass
 - b. Principal (or designee) and athletic directors of the two competing schools
 - c. Gold Pass (retirees and lifetime CIAC pass)
 - d. Press card
 5. CIAC **Soccer** Officials Association membership card
 - f. No other complimentary admissions will be permitted.
12. Team members, coaches, managers and up to 20 cheerleaders accompanying the team will be admitted free of charge to each game. Noisemakers that might interfere with the performance of the game and large banners or streamers are prohibited and each school principal is responsible for compliance with this regulation.
13. **Site Director must provide a minimum of two (2) "ball persons" for each tournament game.**

APPENDIX I

CONNECTICUT INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC CONFERENCE 30 Realty Drive, Cheshire, Connecticut 06410

TO: All Boys and Girls Soccer Coaches
RE: General Instructions Regarding Game Management

Coaches check the following items with each other:

- a. Directions how to reach field.
- b. All weekday tournament games will START NO LATER THAN 2:00 P.M., unless a night game is mutually agreed upon. Time for Saturday or holiday games will be by mutual consent. If not agreed to by both schools the tournament director will make the final decision.
- c. The higher ranked team is required to supply three (3) official tournament game balls. The official game ball is the BADEN SX 551 or 651.
- d. Arrange for color of jerseys of a contrasting color to those worn by the higher ranked team.
- e. Be certain of dressing arrangements if needed.

NOTE:

First round, second round and quarter-final games will be played on the home field of the higher ranked team. Home team secures and pays officials for first round, second round and quarter-final games. Tournament director will assign officials for the semi-final and final games.

Visiting teams arrange for busses.

In the event the host team does not have an available soccer field that meets the CIAC Soccer Committee recommended field of 65 yards by 110 yards long, the host site must contact the tournament director to seek permission to use their site. If the site is determined to be unacceptable the game will be moved to a neutral site or if a neutral site is not available to the site of the lower ranked team. If home field does not meet minimum standards, the CIAC must be notified by October 3, 2008.

Inclement Weather -- Play the next day (excluding Sunday). If the field is still unplayable, the game may be played at the lower ranked team's field.

Home team must call in scores to Tournament Director Charles Sharos, H - (860) 688-9940 at the conclusion of the game.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Coaches are requested to inform all site directors to honor the special game passes which are issued to Soccer Committee members who will act as observers during the tournament.

ATTENTION: (Check list)

- The field should be freshly lined. Each goal provided with the customary net.
- A restraining barrier should be in place to keep spectators from the playing field at all points. In most cases crowd ropes will be considered suitable.
- Suitable benches should be provided for all players.
- A sufficiently large scorer's and timer's table with bench or chairs will be provided.
- See Official Tournament Rules for admission prices and complimentary tournament entrance procedures.
- Although most of you have the situation well under control with your students/athletes, alcohol has shown up on the field after some championship games (brought in by spectators, but nonetheless, on the field). The proper word by your athletes might be enough to control this situation and avoid embarrassing the team and tainting their achievement.

THE CIAC BOARD OF CONTROL HAS ADOPTED THE FOLLOWING PLAYER - COACH EJECTION / DISQUALIFICATION POLICY. THIS POLICY IS EFFECTIVE AS OF JULY 1, 1995

THE FOLLOWING POLICIES FOR DISQUALIFICATION SHALL APPLY IN ALL SPORTS.

1. Any student-athlete who physically assaults an official, coach, opposing player or spectator, will be immediately dismissed from the team for the remainder of the season.
2. When an athlete or coach is ejected from a contest for unsportsmanlike behavior or fighting, including taunting, the athlete or coach is ineligible to participate in the next contest at the same level of play (even if the next contest does not occur until league or CIAC tournament play or next year). If one or more different-level contests are scheduled prior to the next contest at the same level of play, the athlete or coach shall be ineligible to participate in the next (but no more than one) contest at all other levels of play.
3. Upon the second disqualification, if that violation is for initiating a fight or retaliating in a fight (as determined by the game official), that student-athlete will be dismissed from the team for the remainder of the season. Otherwise #2 remains applicable.
4. A school's first incidence of non-compliance will result in forfeiture and a \$250 fine; a school's second incidence of non-compliance will prohibit the school from entry in the next CIAC tournament for that sport, or from the remainder of the current tournament if the disqualification occurs during a CIAC tournament or during the last regular season contest/day of competition.
5. Any CIAC team that accumulates five (5) or more disqualifications for flagrant misconduct, unsportsmanlike conduct, including taunting, retaliating in a fight, or physically assaulting an official, coach, opposing player or spectator during the course of one season will be barred from CIAC post-season competition. The number of disqualifications must be completed on all tournament forms. Disqualification from the team under #1 constitutes one disqualification in team totals.
6. Disqualifications from the last contest of one season carry over to the next season in that sport for undergraduates and coaches, or the next season of participation in any sport for seniors.
7. If the playing rules for a sport specify an additional penalty, the additional penalty will apply. The CIAC disqualification rule applies to all disqualifications with the exception of reaching the limit of personal fouls in basketball and lacrosse; reaching the limit of technical violations in wrestling; or being disqualified by the rules in ice hockey and lacrosse, which does not require a next game disqualification.
8. Any misconduct or disqualification of a coach will count towards the team's total number of disqualifications.
9. Each game official will notify the Assigner for that game who will notify the CIAC office (203) 250-1111 immediately following the game of all disqualifications. The CIAC will notify the affected school administration prior to 12 noon on the following day of the game suspension. It will also be the responsibility of the Assigner for that game to notify the athletic director of the offending school the morning of the next school day. The Athletic Director or Principal of the school having the disqualified player or coach must notify their next opponent.

In soccer, an accumulation of two yellow cards in one game against the coaching personnel or team bench will constitute a red card against the head coach and will restrict that coach from coaching his/her team in any contest until withheld from the next contest at that level of play.

APPENDIX K

2008 BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER TOURNAMENT FORMS LISTING

All tournament forms must be submitted via the online eligibility center section of the CIAC web site. This area of the site requires the school's user name and password for entry.

Worksheets for collecting the information needed to submit the online forms can be found on the following pages. These worksheets are intended for giving to coaches to provide information for submission to the school officials who will be filing the information online. Under no circumstances will printed forms be accepted in lieu of submissions via the eligibility center.

The following forms must be submitted for the sport of boys and girls soccer.

1. Officials Selection - Due October 17, 2008
2. Tournament Roster - Due October 24, 2008 *
3. Game Results - Must be submitted weekly
4. Change of Division -- Optional -- **if being submitted due September 1, 2008 for 2008 tournament.**

* For these forms, you may find it easier to print out a copy of the actual web form, instead of using the worksheet, since the web form will be filled in with your eligible players and/or game schedule. Any form in the online eligibility center can be printed without being submitted.

& If schools choose to do so, they may set up access codes which will allow coaches to enter game results without having the main school eligibility center password. Access codes can be set up in the online eligibility center by selecting the appropriate option from the "Administrative Actions" menu. Once the code is setup and the schedule is entered in the eligibility center, results may then be entered at http://www.casciac.org/scripts/submit_scores.cgi.

FORM: Boys/Girls Soccer Officials

INFORMATION REQUIRED:

Requested officials (up to six):

Official	Board
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	

Officials not accepted (up to two):

Official	Board
1.	
2.	

Name of Principal:

Name of Athletic Director:

Name of Head Coach:

Head Coach Home Phone:

Head Coach School Phone:

CIAC ONLINE ELIGIBILITY CENTER WORKSHEET

FORM: Boys/Girls Soccer Results

INFORMATION REQUIRED:

Game Results

Date MM/DD/YYYY	Opponent	Score Games Won	Score Games Lost	Score Games Tied	Your R/Y Cards	Opp. R/Y Cards
1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						
5.						
6.						
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						
11.						
12.						
13.						
14.						
15.						
16.						
		Total Wins	Total Losses	Total Ties		

Principals Name:
Athletic Director Name:
Head Coach Name:

Home Phone:
Home Phone:
Home Phone:

School Phone:
School Phone:
School Phone:

Size of Home Field in Yards:
Condition of Field for Tour. Play:

Width:
Excellent / Good / Fair / Poor

Length:

List any fields you deem unsafe or unplayable:

CIAC ONLINE ELIGIBILITY CENTER WORKSHEET

YELLOW CARD CODE:

1. Entering or leaving the field of play without permission.
2. Persistent infringement of rules.
3. "Dissent" by mouth or action.
4. Incidental foul language
5. Use of electrical/mechanical equipment to assist in coaching.
6. Coaching outside team area.
7. Unnecessary delay (kicking, throwing ball away after free kick).
8. Holding a shirt or short.
9. Deliberate verbal tactics.
10. Encroachment.
11. Intentional handball to stop an attack.
12. Deliberate tactical foul.
13. Other unsportsmanlike conduct.
14. Use of tobacco products at game site.

YELLOW/RED CARD CODE:

1. Second Yellow Card

RED CARD CODE:

1. Intentional handball to prevent a goal.
2. Intentional foul against an opponent moving offensively with an obvious opportunity to score.
3. Spitting at another person.
4. Exhibiting other violent conduct or committing other serious foul play.
5. Using foul or abusive language.
6. Leaving the team area to enter the field where a fight or altercation is taking place, unless summoned by an official.
7. Taunting

OFFICIALS BOARDS:

Central CT = CC

Coastal Valley = CV

Eastern CT = CT

Greater New Haven = NH

Southern CT = SC

Western = WC