



2023 National Wahine Toa U15 Girls 10's – Carnival Rules, Round Robin

- Control Centre is situated on half way of Field 1, Any Tournament/Referee matters, or issues, are brought to the Tournament Control.
- Changing rooms for each team will be made available & allocated.
- Tents / Gazebos can be brought into the grounds.
- Food & Refreshments will be available on the day.
- Lunches will be provided for each team.
- TikTok Team Challenge will be held (Compulsory).
- Prize giving will be held at the end of the last game on day 2

TOURNAMENT RULES:

1. All teams shall provide a team-sheet listing all their squad members that will be participating at this tournament prior to the commencement of the tournament. There is no restriction on the number of players named; however, no more than 17 players may take part in any one match (7 Replacements).
2. A player may play for another team at the tournament if sanctioned by the KCRU Staff running the Tournament.
3. Games are 2 x 10-minute halves. Half time in all matches will not exceed two minutes.
4. All games will run to time; therefore, teams must be ready to take the field immediately following the preceding game. A hooter system will signal the start, restart, and finish times for all games; however, the referee will be the sole judge of the actual finish time.
5. In the event of a team not being on the field at the start of their game the referee will award 1 converted try (7 points) to the opposing team. If the team has still not taken the field after 1 minute the opposing team will win by default.
6. Rolling Substitutions can be made at any time during the game with acknowledgement of the referee and through his/her assistant referee's.
7. All kick-offs, penalties and conversions are to be done with a dropkick, after a team has scored the same team restarts with a drop kick on or behind the half-way line.

8. (A) Scrums; All Scrums are Non- Contest/No Push/Win you own Ball (Safety)
(B) Line Outs; All Line Outs are Full Contest
9. Teams are to supply their own match ball. Match balls must meet the standard set out in the NZR 'Laws of the Game'.
10. Teams must be prepared to supply a Touch Judge to assist the match referee if needed.
11. In the case of a draw in round robin the result will stay as is.
12. A player who commits an act during a match which leads to that player being placed in the 'sin-bin' shall be placed there for a period of 2 minutes. A player who is placed in the 'sin-bin' twice during the tournament will be automatically suspended for one tournament match. Should that player be placed in the 'sin-bin' a third time during the tournament they will then take no further part in the tournament and may be required to appear before a judicial panel.
- a. Any player 'ordered off' during the tournament will not be able to take any further part in the tournament and will be required to appear before a KCRU Judicial Panel.
13. At the end of Pool Play, if two teams are tied on the same points then the 'who beat whom' rule will apply. If this rule cannot be applied e.g. both teams drew their pool game, then the ranking will be determined by point's differential. This rule will also apply where three or more teams are tied on the same points. In the unlikelihood of teams being equal on points differential then the following will apply:
The team scoring the most tries will be the winners, failing that then a coin toss will decide the winner.
14. The points system for the tournament is as follows. - Four points for a win, Nil for a loss, Two for a draw.

15. FINALS:

At the end of Round Robin Play, The teams ranked 1 & 2 will contest the Cup Final. The Teams ranked 3 & 4 will contest for the Plate Final and Teams ranked 5 & 6 will contest for the Bowl. The Team Ranked 7th and above will not qualify to play finals.

If both teams are equal at the end of normal time in Finals / Play off's, there will be a 1-minute turnaround. The two captains will immediately go to the middle of the field for a coin toss. Then the Golden Point Rule shall apply (the team that is the next to score be it Drop Goal, Penalty or Try) shall be declared the winners.