

Playing mode

C – Jugend / U 15 Jahrgang 2004/2005

Preliminary round:

Eight groups of 6 teams each. In each group every team plays against each other. The ranking is determined over the obtained results in each case.

Last sixteen:

The winning teams and the second placed teams play crossways based on the k.o. system. If the match is undecided after the regular playing time, then there will be a 11m penalty shoot-out. The winner is qualified for the quarter final; the losers play for the places 9-16.

Quarter final:

The winners of the last sixteen round meet as stated on the provided match schedule. If the match is undecided after the regular playing time, then there will be a 11m penalty shoot-out immediately to decide which team goes through to the semi final. The losers play for the places 5-8.

Semi-final:

The winners of the quarter finals meet in the semi-final as stated on the provided match schedule. One semi final will be played in **St. Johann in Tirol** and the other one in **Going**. If the match is undecided after the regular playing time, then there will also be an 11m penalty shoot-out to decide the winner.

Both winners are qualified for the final, which will be played in **Hopfgarten**.

Match for 3rd and 4th place: This match will not be played; the team with the better results in the semi-final, i.e. 1:2 is better than 0:1, is on 3rd place! Loosing by penalty shooting is to be considered at the evaluation as the better result.

Final:

Both winners of the semi finals play the final in **Hopfgarten**. If the match is undecided after the regular playing time, then there will be a 11m penalty shoot-out.

11 m – Penalty shoot-out:

If a match is undecided after the regular playing time, then there will be an 11m penalty shoot-out immediately, whereby **3 players** of each team, who were on the pitch up to the end of the game, will be chosen. In case of a draw after the shooting of these **3 players**, the penalty shooting continues according to the knock out system, whereby the other players who have been on the pitch up to the end of the match have to be nominated. A player can only kick a second time when all eligible players have shot a penalty. A player is not allowed to be substituted for just the 11m penalty kick.

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Placement Games:

The sixth placed teams of each group play for the places 41 – 48. Whereby each team has to play 2 more games. The final ranking will be determined on the results of the last placement game in comparison to the other placement game. i.e. a 2:1 is better than a 1:0 or a 2:3 is better than a 0:1.

The fifth placed teams of each group play for the places 33 – 40. Whereby each team has to play 2 more games. The final ranking will be determined on the results of the second placement game.

The fourth placed teams of each group play for the places 25 – 32. All teams have 3 more games. All places are played.

The third placed teams of each group play for the places 17 – 24. All teams have 3 more games. All places are played!

The losers of the last sixteen round play for the places 9 – 16. Here we play on two different football grounds, so the actual ranking will be determined on the direct comparison of the results at the other football ground. All teams have 3 more games.

The losers of the quarter finals have one more game for the places 5 – 8. The final ranking will also be determined on a direct comparison of the results at the other football ground.

Result comparison:

The following criteria apply:

- 1) higher result after normal playing time
- 2) same result, more scored goals, i.e. 3:1 - better than 2:0
- 3) draw, result after the 11 m penalty shoot-out.

Attention: We ask all teams to appear on time for the placement games. Please show fairness and respect to the other teams and play all placement games regardless for which ranking you play! Should a team not appear to a match, this will result in a 3:0 victory for the opponent and 3 points (group match).

Should it be necessary due to weather conditions, the organizer or the organizing team can shorten the match times or decide the Placement matches with a penalty-shoot out. If there is no other possibility we reserve the right to close the field.

Please note: Being there and taking part means sometimes more than winning at all costs!