

Fair play point system for all games adopted for the Buckeye 2011-2012 season

- **One BTHL Fair Play Point will be awarded to each team before every game and in all divisions.**
- **The Fair Play Point will be removed if any of the following events occur during the game. This also includes any penalties assessed after the game.**
 - If one or more of the coaches is assessed a Game Misconduct or Match penalty during or after the game.
 - If one or more of the team's parents or fans are ejected from the game by the referee under the rules of USA Hockey. See Parents Code Of Conduct.
 - If the team exceeds the following penalty minute thresholds during a games regulation time or after the game is completed.
 - Midget Division games: 16 minutes
 - Bantam Division games: 14 minutes
 - Pee wee Division games: 12 minutes
 - Squirt Division games: 10 minutes
 - These thresholds will not be affected if the BTHL adopts the 1.5 minute penalty rule for Squirts and Pee wees.
- **For purposed of calculating the Fair Play penalty minutes, the following penalty equivalency minutes will apply.**
 - Minor or bench minor penalty: 2 minutes (except at Squirt and Pee wee if adopted at 1.5)
 - Major penalty: 5 minutes
 - Misconduct penalty: 10 minutes
 - Game Misconduct: 10 minutes
 - Match Penalty: 10 minutes
 - Check from behind: 2 + 10 minutes for a total of 12 minutes
 - Penalties assessed during overtime do not apply toward threshold.
- The Fair Play Points will used to determine the league standings per division and for seeding purposes for the Championship Tournament.
- Loss of the Fair Play Points will not be subject to any appeal.
- Fair Play Points will only be applied for approved league games and not during the Championship Tournament.
- Home team is responsible for recording the number of total points rewarded to each team on the score sheet. Remember a losing team can earn 1 point for Fair Play and a winning team can be awarded either 2 points or 3 points for Fair Play. The total number of points must be recorded at the top of the score sheet above each team's name and circled for clarity. Division directors must then report to the webmaster the total number of points earned for each game.