

B14. COED LEAGUES

Co-Ed leagues at Olympus play a modified version of the U.S. Indoor Soccer Association Rules. Please see below for specific variations:

B14-1. Duration of Game – 22 minutes halves - 44 minute match time.

B14-2. Number of players/Gender of players

- a. Olympus co-ed is played **7 v 7**, with 6 players on the field and one GK
- b. For teams playing a full lineup, there must be **3 (three) women** on the field at all times.
- c. The GK can be of either gender.

B14-3. Forfeits/Minimum number to play a match.

- a. A team must have a minimum of 5 players to start a match.
- b. A team playing with 5 (five) players must have at least **2 (two) female players**.
- c. A team playing with 6 (six) players must have at least **3 (three) female players**.
- d. All teams are required to start one player at the GK position.

B14-3. Female players/'live' ball requirements

- a. The ball is not "live" until a female player has touched the ball in her team's offensive half of the field.
- b. If a goal is scored with a ball that is not "live," that goal is disallowed and the referee will restart play with the ball in the opposing GK's hands.
- c. If a goal is scored directly by a female player from her own defensive half, that ball is considered 'live' and the goal will stand, unless the play violates the three-line pass rule.
- d. All goals scored by female players are worth **2 (two) points**.
- e. All own-goals are worth **1 (one) point**, regardless of the gender of the scorer.

B14-4. Restarts

- a. All restarts for Co-Ed leagues at Olympus follow the unmodified adult rules.
- b. Although restarts are direct kicks, the results of a shot on goal will depend on whether the ball was 'live' before the kick was taken.
- c. If a female player has touched the ball in her opponents' half of the field, the ball remains live through the violation/restart and can be shot directly at goal by any player.
- d. If the ball is not live, the shot must either be taken by a female player or be touched by a female player before any goal can be counted.