

2016 AYSO U9-U14 DIVISION INFORMATION 2nd Half

The 2016 2nd half games are Oct 9th through Oct 29, followed by playoffs for the Volunteer Appreciation tournament on Nov 5 & 12. The teams have been organized into the Orca, Dolphin, and Porpoise flights.

Flights may consist of multiple pools. There will be playoffs for all flights, but only the Orca flight teams have a chance to advance to Area playoffs on Saturday and Sunday **Nov 19 & 20** in Camarillo.

The 2nd half division organization:

Division	#Teams	#Carp	Flight	Pools	Pool Size	Advance	Awards
U9B Notes a,b	22		Orca	A	5	top 8	1,2,3,3
				B	5		
			Dolphin	C	6	4	1,2
			Porpoise	D	6	4	1,2
U10B Note a	18		Orca	A	6	4	1,2,3,3
				B	6		
			Dolphin	C	6	4	1,2
U10G Notes a,c	28		Orca	A	6	4	1,2,3,3
				B	6		
			Dolphin	C	5	top 8	1,2,3,3
				D	5		
			Porpoise	C	6	4	1,2
U12B Notes a,b,e	22	1	Orca	A	5	top 8	1,2,3,3
				B	5		
			Dolphin	C	6	4	1,2
			Porpoise	D	6	4	1,2
U12G Notes a,c,e	20	4	Orca	A	6	4	1,2,3,3
				B	6		
			Dolphin	C	4	Pool winners + next two	1,2,3,3
				D	4		
U14G Note g	5		Continue League Play			4	1,2
U14B Notes g, l	8		Continue League Play			4	1,2,3,3

Notes	Pool Size	Explanation
a	6	Play 5 games within pool
b	5	Play 5 games cross pool. All teams from a pool of 5 MAY advance
c	4	Play cross pool and 1 within pool which will be used only for tie break.. top team from each pool, and next two highest teams advance
e	6	Games against Carpinteria teams are counting, but Carp teams don't advance to playoffs
f	6	Pool A will be top 6 1st half teams, Pool B lower 1st half teams
g	8	14G & B 2nd half games already scheduled, playoffs on Sat Nov 12
h	4	pool C & D winners advance + 2 wild cards
I		League season best record & winner of tournament advance to area playoffs. Final decision of which teams advance to area play is at discretion of the Regional Commissioner.

League scoring format:

'Points' (not goals) for League standings are determined by:

Win - 3, Tie - 1, Loss - 0, averaged over the games played within pool (because of scheduling some pools will play a full five games, smaller pools will play less counting games).

1st Tiebreaker - Head to Head play

2nd Tiebreaker – Fewest goals allowed, counting games

3rd Tiebreaker - Fewest Send-offs

4th Tiebreaker – Fewest Cautions

5th Tiebreaker – Goal Differential, counting games

6th Tiebreaker – Kicks from the penalty mark

Referee Bonus Policy for the U9, U10, U12, and U14 Divisions: During the five game days of the second half of the season (games 6-10), each team will need to complete a minimum of 10 referee credits, or have completed all 20 of its referee credits. Any team that does not fulfill this commitment will not be allowed to advance to the Volunteer Appreciation Playoff rounds.

Directors, Administrators, Field Monitors, and Referees have the authority to stop play for reasons of safety or conduct by spectators not in compliance with AYSO philosophy.

Note: The scheduler & Regional Commissioner may make adjustments to the playoffs as necessary. The Regional Commissioner will decide which teams will advance and represent AYSO Region 122 at the Area 10W Playoffs.