



## GAME SCHEDULING POLICY

Over the past few sessions, requests for game changes have continued to grow in number, frequency, and difficulty. It is the goal of The Courts to attempt to meet team's needs to the best of its ability by taking into consideration requests that are made prior to the registration deadline and before the schedules are released. It is impossible to fulfill all requests, but a majority of them can be met if they are known about when a team is registered.

### PRIOR TO THE REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

- **A team may block specific dates of play during the session.** Blocking specific dates will be taken into consideration, but simply asking for "no weekends" or "no Tuesdays" for example are difficult to considered. It is the intent of the courts to first use the primary days of play for scheduling purposes and secondary days of play as alternatives. The Courts reserves the right to use secondary days, so requests should be made with that in mind.
- **A team may request to not play before or after a certain time.** These requests are taken into consideration with travel and work schedules in mind. Specific times should be designated, but simply asking for "no late games" for example will not be considered. The Courts reserves the right to evaluate where teams are located and meet these requests accordingly.
- **A team may request to be placed in opposing leagues as other teams due to the sharing of players.** Players may only play on one team per league, but they may play on multiple teams in different leagues. The Courts will attempt to put these teams in different leagues if there are enough leagues available to accommodate. If there are not enough leagues available to separate teams into different leagues, players will have to choose which team they will play on in that league. In extremely rare cases, The Courts does reserve the right to amend this policy.

### ITEMS THAT THE COURTS WILL NOT SCHEDULE AROUND:

- **Scheduling different game times for teams that share a player/players.**
- **Scheduling different game times due to a coach working with three or more teams that play on the same day.**
- **Scheduling games on alternate days due to teams not being able to play on a majority of your primary days of play.**

Please respect the fact that the more requests each team asks for to accommodate their own schedule, the more hardships it causes for the other teams involved. Please limit your requests to only those that are truly essential.