Northern lights ladies classic

U9 Tournament Rules/Play Guidelines

1. 3-minute warmup prior to first game of two 22-minute games. \*Game length is 22 minutes.  
2. 1-minute rest between the two 22-minute games. \*Incidental contact may happen, but body-checking is not permitted.

3. No centre-ice line, therefore no icing.  
4. No blue-lines in play, therefore no offsides.  
5. Home teams will defend nets at end of the rink.  
6. Visiting teams will defend the centre-ice nets.  
7. Teams will share player benches with each team using the gate closest  
to the net they are defending.  
8. Main score clock will be utilized to keep time for both games simultaneously. \*No score is kept.

9. .Black puck will be utilized.  
1.0..Shifts will be 90 seconds with buzzer or whistle sounding to indicate player change.  
11.No stop time on clock. It will continue to run for each 22-minute game. \*Two face-offs during game only – beginning of each 22-minute game.

12.Officials are encouraged to blow whistle when puck is covered by goalie or when a change in possession is required.

13. Minor penalties will be noted. Non-offending teams controls puck following penalty.  
14. Penalty offender will sit out the next shift, but team does NOT  
play shorthanded.  
14. Should infraction occur which would normally require a player to be ejected from the game, the player will be removed from the remainder of the game, but team does NOT play shorthanded.