



REGULATION OF COMPETITION

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REGULATIONS

CATEGORIES:

UNDER 18	BOYS / GIRLS.....	2008-2009 or later
UNDER 16	BOYS / GIRLS.....	2010-2011 or later
UNDER 14	BOYS / GIRLS.....	2012-2013 or later
UNDER 12	BOYS / GIRLS.....	2014-2015 or later
UNDER 10	BOYS / GIRLS.....	2016-2017 or later
UNDER 8	BOYS / GIRLS.....	2018-2019 or later

* It is allowed to play mixed teams in the categories Under 12 and Under 10, participating that team in male category.

1. **It is allowed to the players play in an immediate superior category of the same club, always that it is from the same club.**
2. **Entities that have more than one team in the same category and gender, they will only be able to align their players on the team where they are inscribed.**
3. **No players inscribed in an entity, may play in another entity.**
4. **IT WILL BE INDISPENSABLE TO HAVE AVAILABLE AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH MATCH TO INSTANCES OF THE REFEREE OR CONTRARY TEAM THE ACCREDITATION, APROVED BY THE ORGANIZATION TO PLAY THE MATCHESOF THE TOURNAMENT, THE PARTICIPANT THAT DOES NOT PRESENT THIS ACREDITATION WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PLAY THA MATCH, BEING EXCLUDED OF THE MATCH. IT WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE COACH THE LINEUP OF A PLAYER WITHOUT ACCREDITATION.**



TIME OF MATCH

UNDER-18, UNDER-16 AND UNDER-14: two times of 20 minutes each.
UNDER-12 AND UNDER-10: two times of 15 minutes each.

In all of the categories, there will be a 5-minute break between the two parts of the match.

FIELD: Public Elementary School Antonio Machado 1 (Torrellano)
FIELD: Public Elementary School Antonio Machado 2 (Torrellano)
FIELD: Public Elementary School La Paz 1 (Torrellano)
FIELD: Isabel Fernández Pavilion Torrellano Sport Center
FIELD: Exterior Cour Torrellano Sport Center
FIELD: Artificial Grass Field 1 Isabel Fernandez Torrellano Sport Center
FIELD: Artificial Grass Field 2 Isabel Fernandez Torrellano Sport Center
FIELD: Artificial Grass Field 3 Isabel Fernandez Torrellano Sport Center
FIELD: Artificial Grass Field 4 Isabel Fernandez Torrellano Sport Center
FIELD: Pavilion of El Altet
FIELD: Esperanza Lag Pavilion in Elche

In case of inclement weather, the matches would play in field and schedule to determine by the organization.

REFEREE

The matches are referees by collegiate from the Royal Spanish Federation of Handball, Valencian Community Federation of Handball, and referees of foreign nationality. Foreign teams may bring a pair of referees from their country of origin, which will be special guests, and the accommodation and maintenance shall be borne by the organization.

REGULATION

1.- COMPETITION SYSTEM

A) The tournament will be played in five consecutive days, beginning on July 2 and ending on July 6, 2025. Dividing the teams in the competition groups and in the function of the inscriptions.

B) The competition will be played in the first phase by the League method, all against all in a single return.



C) In the categories of a single competition group, depending on the number of teams, semifinals may be established 1º - 4º and other semifinal 2º -3º, the winners will play the final and the losers will play for the 3º and 4º place.

With the other teams in the group, the same procedure will be followed to establish the final classification.

Or if the number of teams allows, a single group of the regular league competition will be established, all against all with a single return.

D) In the categories of two groups of competition, to establish the champion of the category, there will be encounters of semifinals and finals as follows:

SEMIFINALS (Single match)

A) 1º Group I -- 2º Group II
B) 2º Group I -- 1º Group II

C) 3º Group I - 3º Group II
D) 4º Group I - 4º Group II

E) 5º Group I - 5º Group II
F) 6º Group I - 6º Group II

FINALS (Single match)

Winners of A) - Winners of B) 1º y 2º Place
 Losers of A) - Losers of B) 3º y 4º Place

5º y 6º Place
 7º y 8º Place

9º y 10º Place
 11º y 12º Place

E) In the categories of three groups of competition, to establish the champion of the category, there will be encounters of semifinals and finals as follows:

SEMIFINALS (Single match)

A) 1º Group I -- 1º Group III
B) 1º Group II -- Best 2º Clasif.

C) 2º Group.... - 2º Group....
D) 3º Group I - 3º Group II

E) 3º Group III---4 Group I
F) 4º Group II - 4º Group III

G) 5º Grupo I - 5º Grupo II
H) 5º Grupo III - 6º Grupo I

I) 6º Grupo II-6º Grupo III

FINALS (Single match)

Winners of A) -Winners of B) 1º y 2º Place
 Losers of A) -Losers of B) 3º y 4º Place

5º y 6º Place
 7º y 8º Place

9º y 10º Place
 11º y 12º Place

13º y 14º Place
 15º y 16º Place

17º y 18º Place



Depending on the number of teams in each group, the qualifying rounds will be held successively in the same way as explained above.

However, and depending on the number of groups per category that the organization deems appropriate to make, according to the number of teams inscribed, the organization reserves the right to establish qualifying rounds and qualification systems in accordance with specific needs.

The time and the result of the encounter will be controlled by the referees, as well as the time of the exclusions. Those responsible for the scorer / timekeeper's tables are with character informative and of help to the referee, and the participating teams, never with decisive character.

F) There will be no timeout. There will not be a maximum number of players presented per team for the match

G) The matches will be played in accordance with the regulations that I collects from the Royal Spanish Federation of Handball (RFEBM) and the international Handball Federation (IHF). **Except for the norms of Torrellano Cup**, Norms set out in this documentation that will be of obligatory compliance, canceling those that mark the (RFEBM) and the (IHF).

H) Resin or adhesive substances of any kind shall not be accepted in the categories UNDER-8, UNDER-10, UNDER-12, UNDER-14 y UNDER-16. Any player who has resin, will be sanctioned with exclusion, and will not be able to return to the game while there is substance in his hand or shoes.

I) Individual defense shall not be permitted to one or two players in the categories UNDER-8, UNDER-10, UNDER-12 and UNDER-14. That player who would incur in this circumstance, will be warned his coach/responsible, in case of persisting in such circumstance the player will be sanctioned with 2 min exclusion.

J) The order and Schedule of the matches may not be modified for any reason, except by decision of the Tournament Competition Committee.

K) The Federative Delegates of the RFEBM have the power to intervene during the matches in the case of unsportsmanlike actions by the players or officials of the teams participating in the match.



L) A Competition Committee will be formed to ensure the possible incidents and special situations of the tournament. It is requiring a lot of education and respect from coaches and public, those coaches those do not have a correct behavior and sporty, will be severely punished by the committee, arriving in case of recidivism to disqualify the team of the tournament if these incidents do not cease.

1.13 The team that leaves the field during a match and without the authorization of referees or the organization will be immediately expelled from the tournament.

1.14 It will be considered as not presented to the team that is not on the field at the time set for the match, giving a courtesy margin of 10 minutes of waiting. In case that the delay is due to organizational problems, it will be the one that proposes time and field of play for the match.

1.15 Two absence during the tournament will mean the immediate expulsion of the same.

1.16 This Competition Committee may determine that a player or coaches who have been expelled for aggression against an opponent, a violent attitude, does not respect the norms of coexistence, disrespects to the referees or any other fault that may qualify as serious, cannot return to play more during the rest of the tournament.

2) CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

2.1 The points of the matches will be distributed as follows:

Win..... 2 points

Draw/Tie..... 1 point

Defeat..... 0 point

No presented..... Loss of the match and - 2 points less in the standings.

2.2 In case of a tie in points in the final classification between two or more participating teams and given that the competition is only one round, the classification criteria will be the following:

a) Tie between two clubs:

1. Results of the match played between the two teams (Gol average particular).
2. Highest number of goals in the overall score of the league (goal average overall).
3. Highest number of goals scored...
4. In the unlikely event that the tie persists, 7 meters throw, according to IHF formula, on a track to be determined by the Competition Committee.



b) Tie between more than two Clubs:

1. Points resulting from a particular classification among the teams involved.
2. Greater difference of goals between the teams involved.
3. Greater difference of goals intervening the rest of teams (goal average general).
4. In the unlikely event that the tie persists, 7 meters throw, according to IHF formula, on a track to be determined by the Competition Committee.

In the qualifiers, semi-finals, and finals, in case of a tie at the end of the match, would proceed as follows:

- 5.1 Extra time of 5 minutes. The team designated by the referee through a draw will make the kick-off.
- 5.2 In case of persisting the tie at the end of the extension, it will resort to the Golden Goal system. The team designated by the referee through a draw will make the kick-off.

3) THE REFEREES

3.1 The referees of the matches must be present on the field and prepared well in advance of the start. Being these the maximum responsible for compliance with the conditions and regulations issued for this tournament, as well as the verification of the documentation presented by each team.

3.2 The referees, at the end of each meeting will deliver the cards of the matches to the organization, for the immediate update of results and that any disciplinary infractions that may have occurred can be resolved by the disciplinary committee, whose final resolution will be communicated to the teams.

4) RESOURCES AND DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

4.1 Any appeal relating to the disputed matches, must be made no later than one hour after the end of the match, in writing, accompanied by € 100 bail, must be submitted to the Competition Committee for its resolution. If the appeal is resolved in favor of the plaintiffs, the amount of the deposit will be refunded.

4.2 The team that leaves the field during a match and without the authorization of the referees or the organization will be immediately expelled from the tournament.

4.3 It will be considered as not presented to the team that is not on the field at the time set for the match, giving a courtesy margin of 10 minutes of waiting. In case that the delay is due to organizational problems, it will be the one that proposes time and field of play for the match





4.4 Two absence during the tournament will mean the immediate expulsion of the same.

5) IDENTIFICATION AND DOCUMENTATION

2.3 Each participant must carry a document that fully identifies it, photocopies of documents will not be accepted, only originals (Identity card, passport, driver's license, federative license).

These documents will be presented to the organization at the beginning of the championship for its verification and issuance of licenses of the Tournament, these licenses will be the identification that they must provide in the matches and at any time that the organization requires the participants must provide an original document that proves their age.

5.2 Each team must deliver 20 minutes before the start of the match a list of players with number shirt, as well as the licenses of the Tournament of players and officials, in order to expedite the start of the match given the tight schedules of the same.

5.3 Anyone who is not duly identified cannot participate in the Tournament.

6) EQUIPMENT

6.1 Each team must present more than one set of t-shirts and with different color, so that in case of match of colors in the dress another can be available.

In this case, it is necessary to change the color of the shirt to the designated team in the competition calendar as a visitor.

7) BALLS

7.1 The balls that will be used during the Tournament will be those established by the organization for each category, taking into account the Royal Spanish Handball Federation.

7.2 The balls will have to be of the following averages:

- UNDER-18 Boys : 58-56 cm nº 3
- UNDER-18 Girls U-16 Boys: 54-56 cm nº 2
- UNDER-16 Girls , U-14 Boys and Girls : 50-52 cm nº 1
- UNDER-12 Boys and Girls, UNDER-10 Boys and Girls: 48 cm. Nº 0



7.3 The official ball of the Tournament will be of the brand **RASAN**.

Teams may not choose another ball from another sports brand; In case neither of the teams has Rasan brand balls to play the match, the organization will provide a ball for the match.

8) FLAGS

8.1 The Spanish teams must bring for the opening and closing ceremony of the Tournament, the corresponding flag of their club, city, or autonomous community to which they belong.

8.2 Foreign teams must bring the flag of their country and their club for this ceremony to give it a greater spectacular and colorful.

9) WATER

9.1 The organization will have water dispensers provided by Aigües d'Elx, which will be placed in a designated area in the Torrellano Sports Center.