

Friday, November 13, 2020



To All D6 Associations

As we all know, as anticipated, this has been a challenging year due to COVID-19 related issues. As a result, District 6 reduced the number of league schedules from 16 games to 14 games knowing that teams may not be able to complete a full 16-game season. We hoped that two less games would free up additional ice to game reschedule games. Additionally, we eliminated any rescheduling fee for rescheduled games due to COVID-19.

As we continue to see a spike in positive COVID cases in Minnesota, District 6 will take the following additional step for the remainder of 2020-21 season:

## **EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY**

### **Elimination of ice resurfacing between periods**

All games where ice resurfacing occurs between periods will cease immediately. Thus, allowing the games to be completed without the need to spend additional 15 minutes in the locker room during the resurfacing break. This includes all invitational tournaments and district playoffs.

### **Game Reschedule requirement**

District 6 is lifting the requirement that each team must play all games scheduled by the end of the season.

Although it is encouraged that cancelled games be rescheduled by the end of the season, however, we understand that due to available ice and continued COVID infections rate, some teams simply will not be able to reschedule all scheduled district games.

### **Final Standings**

If there are team/s within the league that CANNOT complete the full 14-game schedule, the final season standings will be established by winning percentage and teams will be seeded to playoffs accordingly.

We greatly appreciate your flexibility and understanding!

Thank you!

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