

Schwan Cup Overtime Procedure

At this time we will take a TWO minute rest period, followed by an EIGHT minute stop-time sudden-death overtime. During this, each player will play with six players on ice, pending any penalty situations which may affect the on-ice strength. Teams will switch ends for overtime.

Should the overtime end in a tie, we will break the tie with a THREE player shoot-out.

Schwan Cup Shootout Procedure

If a game remains tied at the end of the overtime period, the teams will proceed to a shootout. The rules governing the shootout shall be the same as those listed under Rule 4-7 — Penalty Shot.

(NOTE 1) *The teams will not change ends for the shootout. The visiting team shall shoot first and the teams shall alternate shots.*

(NOTE 2) *Three (3) players from each team shall participate in the shootout. The players shall proceed in such order as the coach selects prior to the start of the shootout. All players listed in the team's lineup on the official scoresheet, excluding goaltenders, any player serving a 10-minute misconduct or a player who has been assessed a game-misconduct or game-disqualification penalty, are eligible.*

(NOTE 3) *Once the shootout begins, the goalkeeper cannot be replaced unless injured and no warm up shall be permitted for a substitute.*

(NOTE 4) *Each team will be given three shots, unless the outcome is determined earlier in the shootout. If the score remains tied after each team has taken three shots, the shootout will proceed to a "sudden death" format. Each team will shoot once per round and the shootout will end only after a round in which one team has scored and one team has failed to score. No player may shoot twice until everyone who is eligible has shot and, if all eligible players have taken their turn, the order of shooters shall remain the same as in the previous round unless a player is incapacitated or otherwise ineligible to participate.*

(NOTE 5) *If a team declines to participate in the shootout procedure, the game will be declared as a shootout loss for that team. If a team declines to take a shot, it will be declared as "no goal." Because shootouts are not part of a regulation game per MSHSL or NFHS rules, any game decided in a shootout shall be declared a tie in each team's record and statistics accrued shall not count towards a team's or player's season totals.*