Scorers Responsibilities

- Players names must be recorded in alphabetical order on the scorecard prior to the start of play, and subsequent player must be added to the card before they take the court.
- Scorers stand together on the sideline at the middle of the court.
- Scorers need to record goals scored and centre passes taken and check regularly with each other.
- Scorers need to record player positional changes.
- Call the correct centre pass if appealed to by an umpire.
- Notify the umpires if a wrong centre pass is indicated (prior to the pass being taken)

In the event of a **score discrepancy** – the Official (white) score card stands – it is not the umpire's responsibility to manage any score issues.

Tactical Changes (Inters and Seniors Only)

- If a tactical substitution occurs (bench player taking the court), the playing position they take must be recorded against their name.
- Please record the tactical changes made with a mark (|) in the space under the Team Name and the Goals Scored box.

Timers Responsibilities

Home team

- Start timing on the umpire's whistle at the start of each quarter. 15 mins (Inters & up), 12 mins (13U), 10 mins (9U & 11U)
- Hold time when signalled to do so by the umpire and restart timing when the umpire signals for play to resume.
- Follow and notify the umpire when 10 secs remain at the end of a quarter.
- Notify the umpire (clearly) when time is up.

The umpires whistle signals the end of play.



Umpire's Time Signal

Away team

- Time the quarter breaks – 3 mins, 5 mins, 3 mins (Inters and up) 2 mins, 3 mins, 2 mins (9U, 11U & 13U)
- Notify the umpires when there are 30 seconds and 10 seconds remaining before the start of a quarter.
- Time any injury time – 30 secs
- Notify the umpire when 10 secs remain prior to the end of a stoppage for injury/illness, blood or an emergency.

In the event of a Suspension or Ordering off (options)

Option 1

- Scorer needs to record the time on the timer in the suspension box on the scorecard.
- Timer needs to inform the umpire when 2 mins/4 mins (whichever is applicable) has elapsed from the time noted at the point of suspension/ordering off.

Option 2

- The Away timer, times the suspension – in the event of an interval across the suspension period, the home timer will time the break.

Option 3

- The suspension period can be timed on an additional timer, if available.

Please note that the suspension period is game time – if an interval occurs, the suspension timer (if using) will need to be held until play resumes in the next quarter.