Game Duration

On Saturdays the hockey turfs are used from 8.00am through to 7.00pm. It is important that games are started and finished on time.

The time slot for each Junior Hockey game, in all Divisions is <u>50 minutes</u>, with the exception of Kwik Sticks which is **60 minutes**.

THIS MUST BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO.

The time slot should be used as follows (except for Fun Sticks grade):

3 Minute To get on the turf & get started - no warm up time allowed

20 Minutes First half (25 minutes for Kwik Sticks)

4 Minutes Half time

20 Minutes Second half (25 minutes for Kwik Sticks)

3 Minute To get off the turf

If there are delays in getting the game started or at half time the playing time must be <u>SHORTENED</u> accordingly. .

Teams must be coached to run to their "huddle" on the sideline immediately **after** the final whistle goes and complete their cheers and handshakes promptly.

ALL GAMES MUST FINISH SO THAT ALL PLAYERS ARE CLEAR OF THE TURF BY THE STIPULATED TIME.

NO EXCEPTIONS - Not even to play out penalty corners.

Timekeeping

The Official Time, in declining order of priority is:

The sound of the hooter, if used.

The ground clock, if no hooter.

The ground supervisor's watch, if no hooter or ground clock.

The umpires watch if no other time signal.

