

Sand Duels Beach Soccer

Cards & Fighting Policy

- **Yellow card:** Player must leave the field for a “cooling off” period. Can be substituted for at the time of the card. Carded player may reenter play at the next dead ball.
- **Second yellow card:** If a player is issued a second yellow card during a single game they are eliminated from playing the remainder of that game. Player may return to play in next scheduled game.
- **Red card:** Players are eliminated from current game and the remainder of the tournament, referees will notify tournament organizers. Team must play a player down for remainder of game where red card was issued.
- Tournament organizers and referees have a **zero tolerance policy** toward fighting.
- Any and all fights will result in a red card and the player(s) being eliminated from the remainder of the tournament.
- Team elimination: an entire team can be eliminated from the tournament for the following
 - Fight between players that escalates to involving multiple members of each team
 - Coaches, players, parents, team fans entering the field of play from sideline
 - Unsportsmanlike conduct including but not limited to offensive or abusive language or gestures; racial, ethnic or gender slurs
- Referees will notify tournament organizers who will determine if additional sanctions are needed.