

Official's Pre-Game Discussion

Typical Pre-Game Dual System Reference Card

Designate the head official/ who will retrieve rosters, coin toss and players talk, record keeping duties, medical releases, etc.

Familiarity with teams?

When/if need assistance on a call signal to be used

Move to best position for PK, CK, GK and Free kicks near goal

Designate who takes sub side first

Use clear hand signals.

Mirror all signals for good communication

Subs: Stop play by whistle, Subs must report prior to the dead ball, beckon subs onto the field, give 2nd whistle to restart

Hold IFK signal until ball has been touched or goes out of play.

Trail official will watch the injured player as lead official continues with play, if injury seems serious stop play immediately.

Meet at center circle at half-time, discuss the 1st half of game, make changes if needed.

Verify the score with the official.

Instruction to Timer: Start clock when ball is in play, Stop clock when signaled on a DQ, Caution, PK, injury and after a Goal. Count aloud the last 10 seconds of the time period. Signal when time has expired

Instruction to Ball Holders: Min. of 2 holders. Assist the flow of game, carry an extra ball, and retrieve the ball when it goes out of play. Place the ball on the ground or hand it to the nearest player for the restart. Be observant & helpful without interfering and do not coach your team from your position