

## 2018 North East Rugby Zone Tournament

Location: Lloyd Comp

Dates: May 30/31

**Cost: TBA - still waiting on Edmonton Ref Society to contact me back**

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Teams Declared for Zones:

Girls Teams	Boys Teams
Westwood	Lloydminster
Lloydminster	Cold Lake
Father Merc	
Cold Lake	

The playing rules used by the ASAA shall be those endorsed by the International Rugby Board (IRB) U-19 variations with the following clarifications:

1. Any player who requires a permanent replacement due to injury shall not return to the match. A player may be temporarily replaced due to a blood injury, but must be returned immediately after the bleeding is controlled or covered. This must occur within 10 minutes (for shortened game) or 15 minutes (for 60+ minute game) from actual time of leaving the playing field or the replacement becomes permanent as an injury replacement.
2. Should any player be ejected from a game due to dangerous play, that player is ineligible to participate in the remainder of the zone tournament. Should a player receive two yellow cards due to dangerous play in the provincial tournament, that player is ineligible for all subsequent games.
3. A team must begin a match with 15 players. During the match, a minimum of 13 players must be eligible to play at any time. This does not include temporary replacements for blood. If a team does not have enough players on the field, they forfeit the match.
4. If a match goes to uncontested scrums due to a team being unable to provide adequate front row players, that team shall forfeit the match.
5. All players must wear mouth guards at all times. Any player without a mouth guard during the course of play will be removed from competition until a mouth guard is obtained.
6. As our games are classified as finals, point iii of the ASAA tie break procedures will be used first, followed by I and then ii.

Tie Break Procedures:

- i. If there is a tie at the end of any of the Qualification games, each team shall choose three (3) kickers from the athletes on the field at the conclusion of the game, to drop kick at goal from the 15m line. The referee shall select the spot from which the kicks shall be taken (approximately at centre). The kickers from each team will alternate. All kickers will kick and the

team that scores the higher number of successful kicks out of three (3) shall be deemed the winner of the match.

- ii. ii. If there is no winner at the conclusion of (i), teams choose one player that was on the field at the conclusion of the game (this may include one of the first 3 kickers) to take all remaining kicks. The kick will take place at approximately the 15m mark and may be either a place kick or drop kick. This series of kicks will end once one team has had a successful kick and the opponent an unsuccessful kick. After the first kick at the 15m mark, subsequent kicks will be placed using the following: 1. If both kickers are unsuccessful twice, the kick will be moved 5m closer to the posts to a minimum of 10m. 2. If both kickers are successful, the kick will be moved 5m further from the posts.
- iii. iii. If there is a tie at the end of Final/Classification games, the teams will play one ten minute overtime period with teams switching ends at half, provided the game is not longer than 60 minutes. If there is still a tie at the conclusion of the overtime, the game will be decided by the Tie Break Procedure for Qualification games.

Schedule for the zone tournament:

<b>May 30</b>	<b>Teams</b>	<b>Referee</b>
Game 1 – 5pm	Lloyd Comp vs Westwood	TBA
Game 2 – 6:30pm	Cold Lake vs Father Merc	TBA
<b>May 31</b>		
Girls Constellation Game – 9am	Loser Game 1 vs Loser Game 2	TBA
Girls Final – 10:30am	Winner Game 1 vs Winner Game 2	TBA
Boys Final – 12:00pm	Lloyd Comp vs Cold Lake	TBA