

## Rankings for Provincial Championships

### For 12 Team Tournaments:

Teams will be ranked per the following:

- 1) Teams ranked first in their respective playdown pools will be ranked the highest. All teams that are first in their Playdown Pool, will be ranked against each other per League Standings.
- 2) Round 2 teams will be Ranked per their placing in the Round 2 Pool. All Round 2 teams will be ranked below the Round 1 qualifying teams.
- 3) Host teams will be ranked as follows:
  - a. A host team that finished first in their pool will be ranked by League standings amongst the first place finishers in each Playdown Pool.
  - b. A host team that finished second in their pool, the team will not proceed to Round 2 as they are removed from the Playdown process at this stage. Therefore, they will be ranked by League standings amongst the Round 2 Playdown teams.
  - c. A host team that finishes 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> in their pool will be ranked in the final place for the region (North or South).

Once the Rankings have been completed for North and South, teams will be placed in serpentine order into the three pools. The First place South team will start in Pool A, and serpentine through Pool B, C, C, B, A. The First Place North team will start in Pool C and serpentine through Pool B, A, A, B, C. In cases where there are an uneven number of teams from North and South, the 7<sup>th</sup> place team will fill in the 6<sup>th</sup> place team from the other region.

<u>POOL A</u>	<u>POOL B</u>	<u>POOL C</u>
South #1	South #2	South #3
South #6	South #5	South #4
North #3	North #2	North #1
North #4	North #5	North #6 (South #7)

12 Team Example: Team Names (ranking based on League, BGL or 123)

	Pool A (4 teams)		Pool B (4 teams)		Pool C (4 teams)
A1	A1 (1st)	B1	B1 (2nd)	C1	C1 (3rd)
A2	A2 (6th)	B2	B2 (5th)	C2	C2 (4th)
A3	A3 (7th)	B3	B3 (8th)	C3	C3 (9th)
A4	A4 (12th)	B4	B4 (11th)	C4	C4 (10th)

Results:		
Pool A:	Pool B:	Pool C:
1st (advance to Prov) - A2 (6th)	1st (advance to Prov) - B2 (5th)	1st (advance to Prov) - C2 (4th)
2nd (advance to R2) - A3 (7th)	2nd (advance to R2) - B1 (2nd)	2nd (advance to R2) - C3 (9th)
3rd - A1 (1st)	3rd - B3 (8th)	3rd - C1 (3rd)
4th - A4 (12th)	4th - B4 (11th)	4th - C4 (10th)

Therefore, the teams ranked first in each Playdown Pool will be ranked based on League Standings:

- North 1 = C2 (4<sup>th</sup>)
- North 2 = B2 (5<sup>th</sup>)
- North 3 = A2 (6<sup>th</sup>)

Teams A3, B1, and C3 would advance to Round 2, and the final positions would be awarded:

- North 4 = 1<sup>st</sup> in Round 2
- North 5 = 2<sup>nd</sup> in Round 2

**For 8 Team Tournaments:**

Once ranked, teams will be placed in the two Pools in a serpentine pattern. When there are an equal number of spots awarded to North and South, the Pools will look like the following:

<b><u>POOL A</u></b>	<b><u>POOL B</u></b>
<b>North #1</b>	<b>South #1</b>
<b>South #2</b>	<b>North #2</b>
<b>South #3</b>	<b>North #3</b>
<b>North #4</b>	<b>South #4 (or North #5)</b>

If the numbers allocated to each region are not equivalent, the Fifth ranked team will replace the Fourth ranked team of the opposite region.

**For Open Tournaments:**

Teams will be ranked based on League Playoffs. There will be an attempt to place the Host Team and the teams with No League as fairly as possible, based on Tournament and Exhibition play.