

ASSISTANT SCORER

JOB DESCRIPTION

The Assistant Scorer is primarily responsible for the recording of shots on goal and the plus-minus records. He shall be responsible to the Official Scorer when coordinating his duties. A workable, cooperative relationship must exist between the two people. He shall be seated in the press box or an equivalent location next to the Official Scorer. They shall not be located in the penalty bench area.

PROCEDURES

PRE-GAME

1. The Assistant Scorer shall report to the Official Scorer forty-five (45) minutes before the start of the game. The Official Scorer will coordinate the Assistant Scorers duties.

DURING GAME

1. When a goal is scored, record:
 - A. The number of all players on the surface at the time of the goal.
2. Record the SHOTS ON GOAL by each team by the following definition:
 - A. Shots on Goal blocked by the goalkeeper.
 - B. Shots on Goal blocked by a defending player other than the goalkeeper that would have gone into the goal, but was prevented from doing so by a member of the defending team.
 - C. Goals scored.
 - D. Empty net goals.
 - E. However, DO NOT include shots from a team's defending zone (e.g. clearing the puck on a line change or when defending a power play) UNLESS the shots are, in your judgement, deliberately directed at the opposing team's goal.
 - F. Therefore, it is not true that saves plus goals = shots on goal.
3. Immediately upon the end of a period:
 - A. Report the number of shots on goal by both teams to the Official Scorer.

- B. Report the plus-minus records of the players to the Official Scorer.

POST GAME

- 1. Immediately following the game:
 - A. Report the Shots on Goal in the 4th quarter by each team and the total Shots on Goal for the game to the Official Scorer.
 - B. Double check to make sure that the plus-minus records are accurate.

PRE-GAME COUNTDOWN

GAME TIMES		ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBILITY
<u>7:05</u>	<u>7:30</u>		
6:23	6:57	Horn sounds to notify the teams that warm-ups can begin	Game Timer
6:24	6:58	Home takes surface for warm-up.	Pen. Attend
6:25	6:59	Visitors take surface for warm-up.	Pen. Attend
6:35	7:00	Clock starts for 15 minutes of uninterrupted warm-up time.	Game Timer
6:49	7:04	Horn sounds for 1 min. warning.	Game Timer
6:50	7:05	Horn sounds. All players leave surface immediately. Home team leaves first.	Game Timer
6:50	7:15	Reset the clock for 12:00.	Game Timer
Clean the surface prior to game. Set clock to 10:00. Do not count down this intermission.			
6:52	7:17	Officials/Teams 5 min. warning.	Pen. Attend
6:54	7:19	Officials/Teams 3 min. warning.	Pen. Attend
6:57	7:22	Officials/Visitors take surface.	Pen. Attend
6:58	7:25	Home takes surface to start game.	Pen. Attend
7:00	7:25	Announce line-ups.	Announcer
7:02	7:27	National Anthems.	Announcer
7:05	7:30	Center surface face-off.	Referee
End of Quarter Teams skate to bench area.			Linesman
Set clock for 2:00 (after 1st and 3rd Quarter)			Game Timer
End of 2nd Quarter (half-time), set clock for 15 minutes. (10 minutes for T.V. games)			Game Timer
Start of 3rd Quarter		Officials/Teams 5 min. warning.	Pen. Attend.
		Officials/Teams 3 min. warning.	Pen. Attend.
		Officials/Visitors take surface.	Pen. Attend.
		Home takes surface.	Pen. Attend.
		Center surface face-off.	Referee