

| Policy Name: Digital Game Management and Official Schedule Platform | | | | Date of Approval June 8, 2024 | | l | Effective Date: June 8, 2024 |
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| Approved by: HNO Board of Directors | | Prepared by: Board of Directors | | | Replaces Previous Versions New Policy | | |
| Review Cycle Annually | | | | | | | |
| Responsible Board of Directors | | | | Consulted Board of Directors | | | formed NO Members |

PREAMBLE:

With the use of the Spordle Platform, HNO and its Members will Improve Administrative Efficiency in the following ways:

- Interface with the HCR
- Electronic tracking of Maltreatment infractions, penalties and suspensions.
- Coaches and its Members will be notified of major penalties and suspensions
- Game sheets will be easily accessible
- Game notes can be placed directly on the game sheet
- Referees and linesmen assignments are done online and easily tracked and exportable
- Tracking of referee supervisions
- Ability to generate a variety of reports

POLICY:

Effective starting the 2024-2025 season, all Hockey Northwestern Ontario, Teams, Leagues and Associations are required to utilize the Spordle PLAY digital platform,

Games:

Applies to all games within HNO (regular season games, tournaments, exhibition games, playoff games and all Hockey Northwestern Ontario championship games).

Exception: U7, and U9. U9 will use the e-game sheet and scheduling platform for games played during the transition phase in accordance with the U9 Policy.

Teams, Leagues and Associations are responsible for uploading their respective game schedules.

Officials:

Teams, Leagues and Associations must coordinate and enter officiating assignments through their referee-in-chief and/or scheduling assignor.

All game assignments should be accurately recorded.