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Measures To Stop Excessive Scoring In Games:

At Tiki Taka football academy we look to develop all players at all ages and at all ability levels.

We want all children to both play and learn.

For Pre Academy - U11s age groups, the emphasis in matches should be footwork & skills', understanding and developing the Tiki Taka style of play & promoting respect for teammates & opposition alike.

The scores in these games will not be publicised and are only reported to the league in order to group the teams appropriately once they reach a competitive age bracket.

For teams at U12s and above, League and Cup football is deemed as "competitive". At Tiki Taka Football academy we encourage children at these ages to embrace challenge & play to win. However, this must never be to the detriment of the style of play promoted by the club or positive sporting attitudes.

Tiki Taka FA teams at all ages will experience, and should be prepared for, both victory & defeat.

Whilst this is the case, a hugely unbalanced scoreline in any direction may have a negative impact on the morale of the players and the quality of the game.

As a club we recommend the coaches & players take some or all of the following actions if such an event occurs.

Possible Excessive Scoreline In Favour Of TTFA:

- 1 Coach to rotate players in numerous positions at regular intervals.
- 2 Coach to ask/encourage team to play possession football to keep score down.
- 3 Coach to ask opposition coach to add other players to help implement power play after 4-6 goals age dependant.
- 4 Coach to ask if other team want to call game early.
- 5 Coach to discuss with referee what they think from a neutral perspective regarding situation.



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Possible Excessive Scoreline Against TTFA:

- 1 Coach to ask opposition to rotate players to see if that gives a more even outcome.
- 2 Coach to ask opposition coach to play possession football to keep score down.
- 3 If 4-6 goals down, Coach to ask for power play option where we can add another player.
- 4 If the score is excessive ask can the game be called early as a last resort.
- 5 Liaise with the referee regarding the situation.