

12.13 Water polo (Saturday and Sunday)

Water polo is played on Saturday (09.00-17.00) and on Sunday (09.00-16.00) in the outdoor pool of the University of Twente.

1. A maximum of one men's and one women's team can be enrolled per OSSO/educational institution. The minimum number of players per team is 7 and the maximum number of players per team is 13.
2. If an unauthorized participant participates in the GNSK, a fine of €200,- will be charged to the OSSO for which that participant is eligible. The results of the team in question will also be cancelled.
3. The duration of the matches is set at 2×8 minutes gross playing time during the preliminaries and the play-off. During the semi-finals and the final the playing time is 4×4 minutes net. Should a free throw or penalty throw be awarded within the regulatory period, the half of the game shall not end until this free throw or penalty throw has been taken. The interval is 2 minutes.
4. The pool division is based on a draw.
5. Both the ladies and the men play half a competition after which play-offs take place and a final follows.
6. In the pool phase a draw is possible. If a match ends in a draw in the remainder of the tournament, 5 players of each team will take one penalty. If necessary, the throwing of penalties will be repeated until a decision has been made.
7. A team will receive 3 points in case of a win, 1 point in case of a draw and 0 points in case of a loss.
8. If in a pool teams end up with an equal number of victory points, then the mutual result will decide. If it is not possible to reach a decision in this way, the goal balance will decide. If no decision is reached, 5 players of each team take one penalty throw each. If necessary, the throwing of penalties will be repeated alternately until a decision has been made.
9. The teams must be present and ready to play at the time indicated in the tournament schedule. If this is not the case, or if the team is incomplete (less than 6 players), the team loses the game; the result is 5-0 in favor of the team present.
10. Before the start of the first game of each team, a nail check is carried out by a referee. Without a nail check a participant is not allowed to participate in the game, in the upcoming break of the game a nail check can be requested by a referee.
11. The team assignments must be made to the committee before playing the first game of the team.
12. Protests are not accepted as far as these referee's decisions are concerned.
13. Match balls will be provided by the organisation, practice balls must be taken by the organisation.
14. As far as no exceptions are made in the above mentioned points, games are played according to the KNZB water polo rules.
15. In all cases, the water polo committee reserves the right to make a binding decision.