

Soccer Chess for Beginners – The Play at Home Rules

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Introduction and Background

Playing Objective of the Beginner's Game

Object of the Game is to score more goals than your competitor within a defined timeframe i.e. a time you agree before starting – between 30 minutes to two hours.

NOTE : Soccer Chess is played on a Chess Board with opposing Teams at opposite ends.

The design of the ADVANCED version game board, and the rules for playing, can be purchased from Kinematic for AUS\$5.50* by emailing info@kinematic.com.au AND requesting the Advanced-SC game rules.

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Purpose of the Game

The purpose of the game is to have fun. It is also a FUN way to learn about Soccer and the importance OF VARIOUS PLAYING POSITIONS.

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Playing the Beginner's Game

Introduction to Playing the Game

The following explanation tells you how to set-up the board and arrange basic moves for the "Play at Home" version of Soccer Chess involving two players/teams.

Objective of the Game

The objective of the game is to score more goals than the opposition within a given time period.

Step 1: Building Your Team

Each Player builds his/her Team using the following guidelines.

Place your players on the board as you would for normal chess.

Step 2: Playing the Game

The idea is to move your ball – pawns – down the board to score a goal by getting them to the opposite end of the board.

Each pawn that reaches the opposite end is a "goal" only if it is on a square that one of your players, excluding the Goalkeeper (rook in normal Chess) can move to i.e. it must be on a square that either your Striker, Forward, Fullback or Midfielder can move to if it were not for the fact that your ball (pawn) is on the square. A pawn can be at the end of the board but must not be called a goal until the square it is on becomes a square onto which one of your pieces can move. When this happens, it becomes a goal.

Once a ball (pawn) has scored a goal, it is then moved to any position on the fourth row from the end of the board closest to that team's starting position. If there are no places on this row, the ball is moved to any position on the third row.

Opposition Team players, and balls, can be taken in the same way as for ordinary Chess. Taking a piece means that player has been "taken out of the game" by a superior player or team.

Winning the Game

A player wins when she/he has the most goals in the time period or when he/she has the most goals and the opposition team has no more balls (pawns) with which to score goals.

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Beginner's Soccer Pieces

Beginner's Soccer Pieces and Their Costs

Name of Chess Piece	The Name of this piece in Soccer Chess Terms
King	Coach
Queen	Striker
Bishop – first	Forward
Knight – first	Offensive Midfielder
Rooks	Goalkeeper
Bishop – second	Midfielder
Knight – second	Defensive Midfielder
Pawns	Ball

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Beginner's Pieces and Their Moves

Pieces and Their Moves

Name of Piece	Movement
Coach	Same as for King in normal Chess
Striker	Same as for Queen in normal Chess
Forward	Same as for Bishop on white squares in normal Chess
Offensive Midfielder	Same as for Knight in normal Chess
Goalkeeper	Same as for Rooks in normal Chess
Midfielder	Same as for Bishop in normal Chess but only 4 squares in any direction diagonally
Defensive Midfielder	Same as for Knight in normal Chess but only a 1x1 L shape in any direction
Ball	Same as for Pawns in normal Chess

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Soccer Chess Creator: Dr. Leigh Kibby

Dr. Kibby, known as “Dr. Leigh,” is one of the world’s truly creative geniuses having:

- founded the Noetic Psychology movement
- developed numerous new paradigms such as:
 - the Sustainability Triangle (Psychology-Sociology-Ecology),
 - L.E.T. (Language-Emotion-Thought) framework,
 - Affective-Cognitive Integration Model (the NEW Emotional Intelligence),
 - “The Intelligence of Emotions” and
 - Psychological Genome concept.

He is also of one of Australia’s leading trainers having taught Noetic techniques to over 2500 people including General Practitioners (Family Physicians), Police, teachers, youth workers and the Soccer sector.

Dr. Leigh also devised some of the most successful development programs for the unemployed - Empower Plan and Making the Change. His Paradigm Shift seminar has been described by senior executives as the most personally profound and professionally uplifting programs they have attended in their entire careers.

Other Games by Dr. Kibby include:

- Take- 2
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