Competition Arena (Ice Hockey)

DESCRIPTION: This is a team event where two teams play against each other. The team with the most points at the end of the play period wins.

Using 3 robots per team, participants will work together to score points on the other team. One CEENBoT per team will be designated as the Goalie and will have an identifier placed on it. Goalies are the only CEENBoTs allowed within the Goalie zone. Goalies are allowed to go within their own Goalie Zone, and throughout the Center Zone. The other two CEENBoTs on each team may only travel within the Center Zone; designated by two taped Blue Lines.

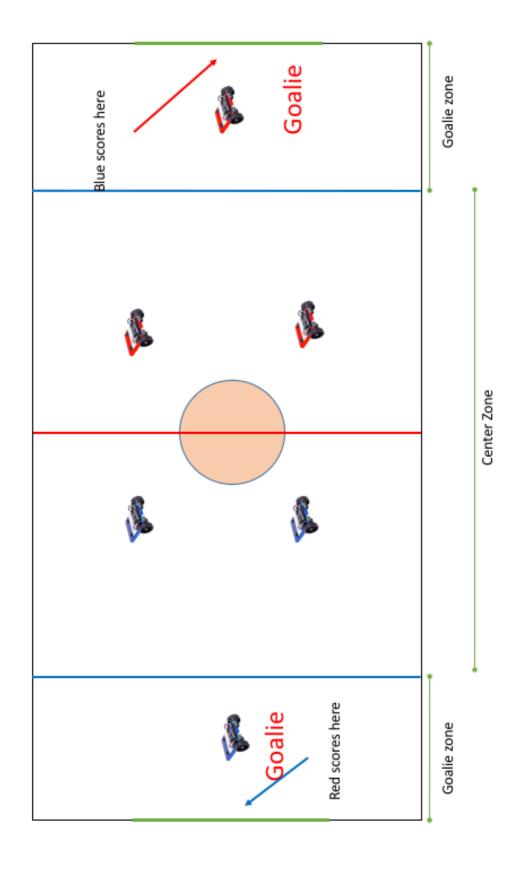
THE ARENA

The field of play is a 16' x 8' rectangle with wall approximately 4" tall. A red line will mark the center line, and blue lines will mark the Goalie Zones. Goal areas on each side will be marked with some sort of tape on the wall. A faceoff zone will be in the center of the arena and marked with tape.

Play will begin with a face off in the center of the arena. Goalies must be in their zone to begin and all CEENBoTs must be outside of the center circle, an on their own half of the arena. Play begins when the referee releases the puck in the middle of the circle and yells "GO!" Play continues for 3 minutes. Goals are scored whenever the puck hits the goal area of the back wall. After a scored goal, a referee will retrieve the puck for another faceoff as the CEENBoTs reset to their start locations. The clock does not ever stop during the match. The team with the most points at the end of the time period wins.

RULES

- 1. Only the Goalies are allowed in the Goalie zone. If another CEENBoT enters a Goalie zone (more than half of the bot over the line), it will be removed from play and put into a Penalty Box for 15 seconds. Play continues as this happens (no stoppage to remove or reintroduce bots)
- 2. Incidental bumping will likely occur in this game. But **intentional** bumping is NOT allowed. Intentional bumping or pinning of another Bot against a wall will result in the offending Bot being placed into the Penalty Box for 30 seconds. **A player called for intentional bumping twice in one match will be ejected** and the team will continue play with only two CEENBoTs.
- 3. Referee decisions are final. This is a game for fun and should be treated as such. Players should be respective of their opposing team and practice good sportsmanship. Aggressive behavior toward other CEENBoTs will not be tolerated.



Goalies may be "pulled". IE, they can go both within their own Goalie zone, and into the Center Zone. Other CEENBoTs can ONLY be within the Center Zone, from Blue Line to Blue Line Only the Goalie is allowed in the their respective Goalie Zones