

Odyssey Football League Tiebreaking Procedures

The eight postseason participants in our league will consist of these eight teams:

1. The AFC East Division Champion with the best record.
2. The AFC West Division Champion with the best record.
3. The NFC East Division Champion with the best record.
4. The NFC West Division Champion with the best record.
5. The AFC Wild Card club with the best record.
6. The AFC Wild Card club with the second-best record.
7. The NFC Wild Card club with the best record.
8. The NFC Wild Card club with the second-best record.

(TB-1) TO BREAK A TIE WITHIN A DIVISION

If, at the end of the regular season, two or more clubs in the same division finish with identical won-lost-tied percentages, the following steps will be taken until a champion is determined.

1. Head-to-head sweep
2. Best Divisional Record
3. Strength of victory (see TB-3, rule 4.)
4. Power Rankings (see TB-3, rule 5.)
5. Points scored, (Not OPLB)
6. Coin toss

(TB-2) TO BREAK A TIE FOR THE WILD-CARD TEAM(S)

If it is necessary to break ties to determine the four Wild-Card clubs, the following steps will be taken:

1. If the tied clubs are from the same division, apply division tie breaker (see TB-1, rules 1-6)
2. If the tied clubs are from different divisions then apply the following steps, (3-7)
3. Head-to head sweep
4. Strength of victory (see TB-3, rule 4.)
5. Power Rankings (see TB-3, rule 5.)
6. Points scored, (Not OPLB)
7. Coin toss

(TB-3) OTHER TIE-BREAKING PROCEDURES AND NOTES

1. Only one club advances to the playoffs in any tie-breaking steps. Remaining tied clubs revert to the first step of applicable division or Wild-Card tiebreakers. As an example, if two clubs remain tied in any tie-breaker steps after all other clubs have been eliminated, the procedure reverts to step one to determine the winner. When one club wins the tie-breaker, all other clubs revert to step 1 of the applicable formats until we have all eight playoff qualifiers determined. So on and so forth.
2. The same steps will be used if more than two teams are tied. After one team can be eliminated from a more than two scenario then all remaining teams will revert back to step one to determine the winner. So on and so forth.
3. To determine the seedings for all 16 franchises, apply the Wild-Card Tie-Breakers, (TB-2, rules 1-7)
4. Strength of victory is defined as: $(Win=1) \times (That\ team's\ EOS\ winning\ \%)$ (EOS=End Of Season)
5. Power rankings are defined as: Each week the highest point scorer will receive 16 points, the second highest 15 points scaling down to the lowest receiving 1 point. Rankings will come out each week.