

To the Parents; Welcome to Nevada South Youth Soccer League.

This League is run with volunteers. All Board members, age group commissioners, and coaches are giving their time so that your child may participate in a great sport and have fun. If you have any time to volunteer, NSYSL would appreciate it. NSYSL can always use help assisting age group commissioners, such as making phone calls, of stuffing packets. You may even have some time to help at registrations, or file forms. If you don't have time to sign up as a coach, maybe you would be willing to help, by being an Asst. Coach or manager for your child's team.

REMEMBER PLEASE BE KIND TO YOUR VOLUNTEERS; THESE ARE PEOPLE THAT CARE ENOUGH TO GIVE THEIR TIME TO YOUR CHILD.

The following are the most commonly asked questions by parents:

# WHO WILL BE COACHING MY CHILD?

Your team will be coached by a volunteer parent. Some volunteer coaches already have a coaching license and new volunteer coaches are given the opportunity to take the class, and receive their coaching license. NSYSL is always in need of more coaches. If you are interested, please call the office for further information. 702-877-2248

# WHEN IS PRACTICE?

The coach will contact you in regard to practice nights, times, and locations.

-The standard is a Monday and Wednesday or, a Tuesday and Thursday.

- Usually around 6:00 or 6:30 pm and the practice usually lasts around an hour, depending on the age group.

Our commissioners assign players to teams, as close as we can to your zip code area.

# WHEN ARE THE GAMES?

NSYSL will try to schedule as many Saturday games as possible.

Ages U-4 through U-10 will have 7 or 8 games for the fall season. U-4 through U8 will play on Saturdays with 1 possible evening game.

Ages U9-U10 will play mostly Saturdays with an occasional evening game.

Ages U11-U14 will have 7 or 8 games for the fall season. U-11 through U14 will play Saturdays with occasional evening games.

# WHEN DO PRACTICES START?

Coaches should contact you by March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015.

# WHEN DO GAMES START?

U4-U8 – games will start around middle of March and finish the end of May. U9-U14 – games will start around the middle of March and finish right after May.

#### HOW MUCH ARE UNIFORMS?

We will provide team t-shirts for U4 throughU14.

However some teams want to use uniforms:

NSYSL leaves uniform decisions up to each individual team as to how they would like to obtain them. Some teams choose to find a sponsor. Since NSYSL is non-profit, a sponsor's donation is tax deductible. Often, a local business, or small business likes to sponsor teams for the tax deduction. Some teams choose to do fundraisers. (The office has fundraiser information). Some parents just decide to pay for their own uniforms. The price of the uniform would depend on what the team chooses. Younger age groups run around \$40.00 - \$50.00 per player. Older ones can be more, again, depending on what the team decides on.

#### WHAT SHOULD I GET MY CHILD?

Shin guards are mandatory, soccer cleats are highly recommended, but not required. Players will play better with cleats than tennis shoes. These can be purchased at sporting good stores or, even purchased at department stores.

#### WHAT SIZE BALL SHOULD MY CHILD GET?

U/5, U/6, U/7 AND U/8 play with a size 3 ball. U/9, U/10, U/11, AND U/12 play with a size 4 ball. U/13 and above use a size 5 ball.

# WHERE WILL THE GAMES BE?

The city gives us permits for several parks in the central west and northwest area. Where the players, play, depends on the age group of your child.

SOME OF THE FIELDS WE WILL BE USING ARE THE FOLLOWING: Bettye Wilson Main Complex – Tenaya and Lake Mead (Mostly U11- U14). Bettye Wilson West 20 – Buffalo and and Lake Mead (U4- U8). Buckskin Basin (Gowan Detention Basin) Tenaya , between Alexander and Cheyenne Centenial Park – 215 and 95. Kellogg/Zaher Complex – Buffalo and Washington (U9, and U10). Other fields are pending.

# PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE AT 702-<u>877-2248</u> IF YOU HAVE FURTHER QUESTIONS OR ARE ABLE TO HELP IN ANY CAPACITY.

THANK-YOU AND HAVE A GREAT SEASON.