



* Parent Orientation

Fall 2013

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 **Commissioners**

ALERT!

**You are
entering
an**



**By entering this
kids zone,
you agree to
the following:**

- Kids are #1
- Fun - not winning - is everything
- Fans only cheer, and only coaches coach
- No yelling in anger
- Respect the volunteer referees
- No swearing
- No smoking
- Leave no trash behind
- Set a proper example for our children

**If you can agree to the above, we welcome you.
IF NOT, WE ASK THAT YOU PLEASE LEAVE NOW.**

AYSO - it's for the kids!



**No dogs allowed
at the field**

- * **COMPLETE REGISTRATION** (required BEFORE player is assigned to a team)
 - * Birth certificates must be checked for all NEW players
 - * Payment must be received
 - * Volunteer application
- * Season is from September 7th thru November 16th
- * Picture Day is September 29th
- * Shinguards must be worn during games and practice
- * Soccer cleats (no baseball or football cleats)
- * Size 4 (U10 & U12), Size 5 (U14 and older)
- * No jewelry or hard barrettes, beads, balls in hair
- * Parents set-up and take down goals / flags / cones
- * Uniform includes jersey, shorts, socks

* **Info / Requirements**

- * Team roster release August 19
 - * Coaches & parents are notified
 - * Suggest team meeting shortly afterward to identify team volunteers
- * Uniforms available week of August 26
 - * Coach provides list of team volunteers to pickup uniforms

* Team Information & Uniform Distribution

* TEAM BALANCING

- * Players are evaluated prior to team assignment. MUST attend one date
- * NOT a tryout. All registered players will be assigned to a team
- * Contact your Division Commissioner if your child is unable to attend

* Boys & Girls U10

July 31, 6:00pm

August 2, 6:00pm

August 7, 6:00pm (**GU10 only)

August 9, 6:00pm (**BU10 only)

Girls U12

August 1, 6:00pm

August 3, 10:00am

August 6, 6:00pm

Girls U14

August 1, 6:00pm

August 6, 6:00pm

August 10, 10:00am

Boys U12

July 31, 7:00pm

August 2, 7:00pm

August 7, 7:00pm

Boys U14

August 2, 7:00pm

August 3, 10:00am

August 9, 7:00pm

No Assessments for U16/U19

* Assessment Schedule

- * Players are assigned to teams based on their rating during assessment
- * We do not keep the same team from prior year
- * Can I be placed on the same team as a friend?
 - * NO
- * Coach setup first team meeting
 - * Parents select remaining team volunteers positions
 - * Referee (3), Asst. coach, field setup, Team parent, snackbar
 - * Agree on practice day
 - * Decide on a team name
 - * Activate [Shutterfly team website](#)

* Team Assignment

- * Coaches and players arrive 30 min prior to scheduled time
- * Coaches prepare team
- * Parents setup field of play
 - * Goals, Flags, Cones
 - * Take down goals at the end of the match
- * Coaches Coach
- * Players Play
- * Parents Cheers
- * Don't be a sideline coach

* Game Day Activities

- * **Season schedule** will be posted September 1 at www.ayso1031.org
 - * Parents will be notified of schedule changes
 - * ON TIME IS LATE. ARRIVE 30 min prior to start time
- * **General time**
 - * U10: 11:00am - 1:00pm
 - * U12: 10:00am - 3:30pm
 - * U14: 2:00pm - 4:30pm
 - * U16 & U19: Times varies, Saturday and Sunday games at Kenneth Hahn and throughout the area (Santa Monica, Beverly Hills, Palisades, Hollywood, Culver City)
- * **Practice schedule**
 - * Decided by coach and team at first team meeting.
 - * Coach complete practice request form
 - * First come basis
 - * Available practice slots 6:00pm, 7:00pm

* **Schedules**

**AYSO IS A VOLUNTEER-RUN
ORGANIZATION.**

**WE CAN'T DO IT WITHOUT
YOU.**

VOLUNTEER TODAY.

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FOR EVERYONE

* Each team MUST fulfill these volunteer requirements

* Coach

* Assistant coach

* Referee. Officiate matches. Become a certified referee

* Team Parent - maintain roster / snack schedule, set up Shutterfly team website, organize season-end party, support picture day and trophy distribution

* Snack Bar - Sell Snack at concessions stand

* Field Set-up - paint field, set-up / take down goals, flags, cones

* Field monitor. Collect game cards, monitor bathroom, keep games on schedule

* Other Regional volunteer opportunities

* Team Responsibilities

* Because "Positive Coaching" is one of AYSO's guiding philosophies, coach training is one of our highest priorities. AYSO also provides a wide range of courses to continue instructing its volunteer coaches.

No Experience? No Problem

- * Our volunteer coaches receive complete training right from the beginning!
- * Training, certification, and mentors for all coaches.
- * Age- specific coaching courses provide training for coaches of every level of experience.
- * Complete with manuals, videos, handouts and outlines that are continually reviewed and updated.

*** Coaches/Asst. Coaches**

Next class August 10th 8:30-1:00pm (U10/U12)

- * AYSO referees do more than just enforce the Laws of the Game. Their job is to make sure the game is safe and enjoyable for everyone: the players, the coaches, the spectators -- and themselves.

Referee training that teaches not only the letter of the law, but the "Spirit of the Game."

- * Mentors
- * On-line course followed by in-class session; workbook for new referees.
- * Youth Referee Program (ages 12 and up)
- * AYSO referees are volunteers, so we want to be sure they have as much fun as the players do.

* Referees

Next class August 24th 9:30am - 1:00pm Ladera Sherriff Station

- * All U10-U14 teams are eligible for Divisional playoffs provided they meet the following team volunteer points
- * Referee (15 points)
- * Snackbar/Field monitor (4 points)
- * Field lining (3 points)

* Team Volunteer Points

- * Divisional playoff held at the end of the season Nov 23 and Dec 7 (tentative)
- * Division champions advance to Area tournament of champions (January)
 - * Winners advance to Section and State Championship (Feb & March)

*** League Champions**

- * At the end of the season, an All Star team is selected to represent the Region in Area and Section competition
- * Tryouts will be held in November
- * Players selected based on tryout and parent commitment
- * Selected players will participate in Area All Star tournament in January and February
 - * Followed by Section 1 and State Championship in March
- * Additional parent commitments: All Star uniforms, Warm-ups, travel

* All Star Selection

- * Formerly known as EXTRA, Player Development Program (PDP) provides players an opportunity to play competitive soccer concurrent with the primary season
- * Players selected based on tryout and parent commitment
- * Professional trainer works with players and coaches
- * Additional game on Sundays (some Saturdays)
- * Additional fees: uniforms, trainer, league match
- * Tryouts: same time as player assessment schedule

* Player Development Program (EXTRA)

- * Spring Select teams
- * In addition to All Star teams, select team are formed that participate in our Spring league and AYSO tournaments throughout Southern California
- * Additional commitments: Referees, tournament fees, uniforms/warm-ups, travel
- * Great opportunity to improve skills
- * A LOT OF FUN

*** Post-season Opportunities**

* Respect your coach's time

- * ON TIME is late
 - * Arrive 10 - 15 min before practice
 - * Arrive 30 min before game
 - * Call, email, text if you are late for practice or games
 - * Use the shutterfly team website calendar to indicate player availability
 - * Email to shutterfly team page forwards to entire team
- ## * Our volunteers work full time jobs (non-AYSO)
- * Ask how you can help

* **Etiquette**

REMEMBER

Coaches coach

Parents Cheer

Players Play

(Parent Pledge Form)

Return signed pledge to your coach

***Parent Pledge**

- * Stay current with Region news
 - * facebook: www.facebook.com/AYSORegion1031
 - * twitter: www.twitter.com/AYSORegion1031
- * Make sure we have your current/correct email
 - * Put ayso1031.org and ayso.org in your whitelist
 - * Update your child's registration as needed

*** More Information**