

## YYSA City Tournament

Coach's;

Welcome to 2011 YYSA City Tournament. The tournament will decide which teams will advance to the state tournament which will be hosted in Sioux Falls this year from June 3rd - 5th. Schedules will be provided at a later time once it is final. Top 3 teams from the U10 Boys and Girls and the top 3 teams from the U12 Girls and the top 2 teams from the U12 Boys will advance.

We will allow the teams to play within the same guidelines as ruled for the state tournament. One of the biggest changes is the substitution rule. The basic rule is simple, teams with the possession of the ball can sub always (except during corner kicks and indirect/direct free kicks). The team may also sub if the other team has possession as previous stated and is also subbing. For example, Team Blue has the throw in and wants to sub. Team Red also can sub at this time and visa versa. Any questions can directed to me.

Always, please respect the referee decisions. Any discrepancies can be directed either to me or to Kevin Bray, the Referee Chair.

Play all players at least 50% of each match..... This is mandated from the state board.

Teams not qualifying for the state tournament will need to turn in their Player Draft Form into myself, Deb Lillie, or Kevin Bray prior to the end of their tournament.

After completing the final games, the top 3 teams will receive medals as follows:

- U12G the top 3 teams will receive their medals after the final games on Tuesday at the fields
- U12B the top 2 teams will receive their medals after the final games on Thursday at the fields
- U10G the top 3 teams will receive their medals after the final games on Thursday at the fields
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After the completion of the tournament for age group a Drafting Meeting will take place as follows:

- U12G Coach's of the top 3 teams will meet at the Lewis and Clark Soccer Complex Club House after receiving their awards on Tuesday
- U10G Coach's of the top 3 teams will meet at the Picnic Area next to the basketball court at Memorial Park after receiving their awards on Thursday
- U12B Coach's of the top 2 teams will meet at the Lewis and Clark Soccer Complex Club House after receiving their awards on Thursday
- U10B Coach's of the top 3 teams will meet at the Picnic Area next to the basketball court at Memorial Park after receiving their awards on Thursday

Some areas to remember about drafting:

- No drafting of players and or contacting players prior to the drafting meeting. The order of the draft will be based on finishing of the tournament. i.e. #1 team will choose first and etc.
- In case of bad weather I have the Summit Center as a backup location to host the meeting
- We will discuss procedures for the state tournament, i.e. rosters, player cards etc

I will be at the U12 fields tomorrow night, otherwise I will be out at Memorial Park for the rest of week.

If you have any questions feel free to contact.

Again, thank you for volunteering your time as a Coach for YYSAs.

Dave L. LaCombe  
YYSAs Coaching Chair