## APPLICATION TO HOST A TOURNAMENT OR GAMES


*List of types of teams and toumaments is on reverse side of this form.
$\square$ RT RESTRICTED FOURNAMENT -Open only to members of US Youth Soccer and its State Associations.
$\square$ Team will be restricted to teams within the state association $\square$ Teams will be invited from all US Youth State Associalions/Afiliates only.
ख UT UNRESTRICTED TOURNAMENT Other US Soccer Members as listed: US Club, AYSO, JSS

## International

$\square$ Teams as listed:

The Hosting Organization agrees to be bound by and comply with the terms contained in the TOURNAMENT AND GAMES HOSTING
AGREEMENT and all applicable rules of the apprquing State Association or Affiliate.
Signature of Designated Official of Hosting Organization


APPROVAL
(For Official Use Only)STATE ASSOCIATION OR AFFILIATE

By


## US Youth Soccer

TOURNAMENT OR GAMES HOSTING AGREEMENT

| In consideration of permission being granted to |  | East Hudson Youth Saccer League, Inc. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | or games at The Hudson Valley Sports Dome |  |  | Milton | $\frac{\text { New York }}{\text { (State) }}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | (City) |  |

On the dates of Jan. $14 \& 15,2023$, we agree to the following conditions:
ABIDE BY RULES: We shall abide by all statements made in our approved US Youth Saccer Application to Host A Toumament or Games, in our tournament invitation, in our toumament rules, in the US Youth Soccer Travel and Joumament Policy and in this US Youth Soccer Toumament or Games Hosling Agreement. We agree that all decisions regarding acceptance of teams into a tournament shall be fainty and impartially made and shall not be based upon race, creed, color or national origin and that we will not advertise by any means the toumament or games until all appnovals are received.
INVITATIONS: The tournament or games approval form shall accompany all toumament or games Invilations distributed.

HOUSING: We agree that we will not require a leam to use only accommodations approved or provided by the hosting organization or other organization, unless disclosure is made on the tournament application form of the required hotel'motel names and the guaranteed rates.

PROCURING LIABILITY INSURANCE: We have procured liability insurance coverage for the toumament or games with limits of not less than $\$ 1,000,000$ per occurrence $\$ 2,000,000$ aggregate and on Umbrella Liability Policy with minimum limits of not less than $\$ 5,000,000$ per occurrencel $\$ 5.000,000$ aggregate which names the State Association or Affilite with which the Hosting Organization is a member. A copy of the cerificate of insurance, IF REQUIRED, is attached issued by parmonmel
REQUIRING MEDICAL AUTHORIZATIONS: We shall require all teams participating in the toumament or games to provide medical releases for each player in an appropriate form (paper or electronic). These authorizations shall be reviewed by the Hosting Organization at registration and kept in the possession of a team official at all times.
ADVANCE PUBLICATION OF RULES: We agree that Dur tournament or games rules shall be included with the invitation sent to each team and shall, again, be published to all teams accepted prior to the start of the tournamentigames.
CREDENTIALS CHECKS: We agree that we shall conduct credentials checks to ensure that all players are registered with US Youth Soccer or US Soccer or a member thereof or their national association, properly rostered with their team, and participating in accordance with representations set forth on the US Youth Soccer Apprication Lo Host a Tournament or Games. We agree that we will not modify or mark in any way original rosters or member passes; and will not regisler any player, coach, or team official or issue any member pass.
USE OF US SOCCER REGISTERED REFEREES: We agree that we shall use for all games only US Soccer registered referees who are in good standing_ (unless US Soccer has prented a waiver to allow the use of authorized referges from another country), and shall use a one-or 3 -referee system. We intend to use a 3-reteree system for the following age groups:
an adequate number of US Soccer registered referees available in the area during the tournament or game dates to cover the scheduled games. We have selected the following assignor to assign referees for the lounament or games (NOTE: ONLY US Soccer certified assignors may be used, phone (),

| Address Brian Baer |
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| City Hopewell Junction |

AVAILABHLTTY OF POLICE AND RESCUE SERVICE: We have notified the local police, ambulance, and emergency rescue services of the date of the toumament or games and the times and fields which will be used for games, and have been advised by them that they will be available to render assistance if needed. We will use the following method(s) of contacting emergency services Cell Phones

TOURNAMENT OR GAME RULES - BEHAVIOR: We agree that our tournament or game rules contain provisions ensuring that the behavior of teams, players, coaches, and spectators is appropriately controlled, including specific provisions that-

- Spell out the disciplinary measures to be imposed for the issuance of red and yellow cards or other improper conduct;
- indicate what procedures will be followed regarding protests and appeals;
- indicate that all disciplinary measures imposed by hasting organizations shall be limited to placing restrictions upon an individual's group participation in the tournamentjgames;
- record the issuance of all red and yellow cards and other matters involving the conduct of a team, its players, coaches, and supporters and also report them immediately to the home State Association and the home club/league of the team; and
- state that the home State Association or member thereof and the home club or league shall, except in the case of referee assault or abuse, have the responsibility for imposing, should circumstances warrant, additional penalties within their respective jurisdictions with regard to any matters arising from the tournament or games.

TOURNAMENT CANCELLATION: We agree that our tournament or game rules shall state what refunds, if any, shall be made to participating teams if all or a portion of the tournament or games is cancelled by the hosting organization for any reason.

POST TOURNAMENT OR GAMES REPORT: We agree that we shall file any required Post Toumament or Games Report with the State Association or Affiliate granting us permission to host this toumament or games within 30 days after the conclusion of the tournament or games. We understand that failure to file the report may preclude the tournament/games host from receiving approval for any toumament/games for the following seasonal years until the report is filed. The Post Tournament or Games Report shall include the following information:

- the number of teams participating in each age group (boys and girs);
- if a champion is determined, the name of the champion for each group;
- the number of teams from each State Association, Affiliate, other Organization Member, or foreign country;
- If "Sportsmanship Awards" are given, the criteria for the award and to whom awards were given;
- the number of fields used for the toumament/games;
- the name of the sponsor, if any; and
- the names and teams of all players issued red and yellow cards, and details of any other matters involving the improper or unsporting conduct of a team, its players, coaches or supporters. NOTE: Any incident of referee assault or referee abuse by a player, coach, manager, club official, or game official must be reported to the alleged offender's home State Association; or member thereof immediately, but in no event later than $\mathbf{4 8}$ hours after an incident of referee assault or abuse..





Tournament Promotion

Dates for<br>1) November 1, 2023<br>2) December 1, 2023<br>3) January 1, 2023 Email Blast:

## Free service to our members!

Agreement: I contract Eastern New York Youth Soccer Association (ENYYSA) to advertise my sanctioned US Youth Soccer tournament. ENYYSA will email coaches on the dates indicated above (maximum number of email blasts equal to 3 ). I will email a banner (jpeg format, with dimensions of EXACTLY $500 \times 100$ pixels*) and a flyer to diana@enysoccer.com. The banner will be placed on ENYYSA website www.enysoccer.com and flyer will be emailed to registered travel coachers.

| Signature |  |
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| Date |  |
| *ENYYA will not post bamers that are not $500 \times 100$ pixels, ENYYSA reserves the right to edit the size of the banner. not content, to cptimize advetising on ENYYSA website. <br> State Approval: |  |
| Date Approved | Authorized By: |
|  | Permission to Host on File? YES NO |

# 2023 Jim Slater Memorial Tournament Rules 

## Registration:

Teams must register 30 minutes prior to scheduled kickoff of their first match.
There will be a $\$ 3$ dollar charge for entry of non-players and coaches.
Teams absent at the start of a scheduled match will be forfeit and be charged with a loss with zero goals scored.

Teams winning by forfeit will be awarded three (3) goals and three (3) points for a win.

## Players Passes:

Only registered players with valid player passes will be allowed to participate. A GotSport Team Roster with player photos, player passes (if roster with no photos), medical release forms and approved Guest Player Release forms, if appropriate, must be presented at Registration before starting play.

Players may not play for more than one team per session (AM, PM or Evening) at the same time.
A maximum of three (3) Guest players are allowed per team. Exceptions may be granted at the discretion of the Tournament Director. Requests must be made by 12:00pm ET January 11, 2023. No requests will be considered after that time

Rosters are frozen after the first match played.

## Weather:

The tournament will be held snow, rain, or shine. There will be no refunds for nonappearance due to weather.

## Laws of the Game/Tournament:

All rules are F.I.F.A. rules except where stated otherwise.
Casts of any type and ALL jewelry are strictly prohibited. Long pants are allowed.
Each team will play a maximum of four (4) matches. All matches are twenty-five (25) minutes in length with continuous clock (no stoppage time for any reason) and there are no halftime breaks. There will be a minimum of two (2) minutes in between matches.

## All matches will start and end with a horn by the Tournament's timekeeper.

Coaches are responsible to have their team ready to play within one minute of the finish of the previous match.

The home team is the team listed on the left side of the schedule. In the event of a conflict of colors, the home team must change jerseys.

Cleats are not allowed in the Hudson Valley Sports Dome. Indoor shoes or Sneakers are allowed.
The visiting team will kick off.
Substitutions shall be unlimited and may be on the fly.
Substitutes may not enter the field of play until the exiting player is off the field. There is no offside.

Balls over the touchline will be a throw in.
On all restarts the opposing team must be at least five (5) yards from the ball.

## Keeper Play:

After taking possession of the ball in the penalty area, a goalkeeper may not play the ball over the midfield line. An infraction of this rule will result in an indirect free kick to the opposing team at the center midfield spot. The goalkeeper is free to play the ball anywhere on the field when playing the ball outside the penalty area.

Goal kicks may not be played over the midfield line. An infraction of this rule will result in an indirect free kick to the opposing team at the center midfield spot.

Balls hitting the ceiling or fixtures which are within the boundaries of the field of play are in play and play will continue.

Slide tackling is prohibited and will be considered Dangerous Play, and result in an indirect free kick to the opposing team.

Heading by any U9, U10 and/or U11 player will be considered Dangerous Play, and result in an indirect free kick to the opposing team.

## Tournament Scoring:

Scoring - For round robin and preliminary rounds the ranking will be determined by the total number of points ear1ed. The team with the highest number of points will be ranked first, the second highest second, and so forth. Points will be earned as follows:

Win $=3$ points
Tie $=1$ point
Loss $=0$ points
If teams are tied, ties will be broken in the order listed below:

1. Winner of the head-to-head game. (If more than two teams are tied, this Tie Breaker is eliminated.)
2. Most Wins
3. Fewest goals against
4. Most Goal Differential (Max 3 Per Match)
5. Coin Toss

In the case of a three-way tie, after a determination has been made with respect to first place, second place will then be determined by using the same order listed above, starting with the first tie-breaker for the remaining 2 teams.

## 4 Team Divisions:

If due to registrations it is necessary to create a division with four (4) teams, the following special rules will apply:

- Each team will play three (3) scheduled matches for points.
- After three (3) matches, the teams will be ranked using the point system above
- The third ( $3^{\text {rd }}$ ) and fourth ( $4^{\text {th }}$ ) place teams will play a consolation match, which may end in a tie.
- The first ( $\left(151^{\text {sI }}\right.$ ) and second ( $\left.2^{\text {nd }}\right)$ place teams shall play a championship match. The winner of this match shall be the division champion regardless of points earned in the earlier matches. If, at the end of full time, the championship match is tied, the teams shall bypass overtime periods and go straight to kicks from the mark. All players shall be eligible to take kicks regardless of whether they were on the field of play at the end of the match. After five (5) kicks have been taken by both teams and no winner has emerged, Coin toss will be used to determine the winner.

Decisions of the referee are not subject to appeal.

## A player or coach who receives a RED CARD is AUTOMATICALLY EJECTED FROM THE ENTIRE TOURNAMENT, and the team must play short for the remainder of that match.

Two (2) YELLOW CARDS to any player or coach during a match will result in a RED CARD.

The Tournament Director shall have final say over anything not covered in these written rules.
All participants and spectators will be expected to observe the game in progress from the stands and not block entrances, exits, etc.

Each team and player participating in the tournament does so as his/her own risk and agrees to accept all responsibility for any injuries. The East Hudson Youth Soccer League, its directors and officers and any tournament official and the Net accept no responsibility for any injuries.

Additional information, material and/or corrections may be issued on tournament day.
Smoking, outside food and outside drink are strictly prohibited throughout the facility.
Coaches are responsible for team/spectator behavior.


