

# “Spring 2008 Coach/Assistant Coach Meeting Agenda”

## U8 & U 10 Division Boys/Girls

### Welcome/Thank you /Introductions

- Introduce Board Members
- Introduce Division Coordinators
- List open positions for Fall 2008/Spring 2009 season

### AYSO Philosophy

- Five Philosophy

### Packet Content

- What should be in your packet

### Schedules (Rebecca Hoskins)

- Game schedules.
- The game schedules are not perfect so if you see any problems, please let Rebecca know.
- Do not cancel, change or switch any games without contacting Rebecca first (269) 795-1131. She needs to check field availability.
- Please start and end games on time

### Snack Shack (Rebecca Hoskins)

- Volunteers are needed so call Rebecca Hoskins at (269) 795-1131.
- Purpose of the Snack Shack 1) Information 2) Supply food & drink 3) Fund raising

### Awards

- Pick up date is May 10<sup>th</sup> next to the Snack Shack from 8:30 to 1 PM. Coach, assist Coach or Team parent may only pick up the awards. Please make arrangements.
- **Please, please, please take the time and make it special and hand out the awards.**

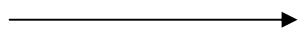
### Field & Equipment

- Please do not allow players to hang on or around the goal post or nets.
- Respect school property, clean up after yourselves.
- **Bottom line take care of the facilities the school allows us to us this area.**
- Watch weather the first week of practice if ground is wet/muddy might need to cancel practices due to tearing up the grass.
- If you have bad equipment (soccer balls) please contact Katie Alverson.
- Please return first aid kits to Katie Alverson at registration on May 31<sup>st</sup>.
- Coaches Shirt next season. We can get free coaches' shirt all the same color (Silver). Or coach can purchase team color shirt. Assist would have to purchase a coach's shirt either silver or team color.

**\*\*UNIFORM NOTE\*\* Any problems with uniforms please direct parents to call our AYSO Phone Line 1-800-873-0507**

### Coaches Guidelines & information (Paul Huyser)

- Only two practices per week prior to the first game after which U8 will practice once a week and U10 will continue practicing twice per week.
- Practice can only be outside. Do not reserve a gym through Community Ed.
- Practice starts Monday, March 31st (Due to weather and lack of volunteers Fields may not be ready by than)
- First game is on Saturday April 19th
- Please try to keep substitution breaks to a minimum. (Half time is between 5-10 minutes)
- Remember before anyone plays four quarters everyone else should play three quarters first.
- Players should stay near their coach for substitution purposes. Let parents know that if their child does not stay near the team they may be overlooked for their playing time.
- The **home team** will supply the game ball.
- Division Specifications- Only one adult (coach/Assist) from each team is allowed on the field.
- **No jewelry-** no exception.
- Ask Spectators to stay off the fields and from behind the goals.
- Remind parents/other to be respectful to referees, coaches and players. Cheer for the kids **ALL OF THEM!!!**
- **All players must wear shin guards** at practice and games including appropriate shoes. Socks must cover shin guards.
- Inter-play schedule: **Please contact the coach of the team your playing early in the week to ensure everyone is on the same page.**
- Privacy Act-**Protect your roster.** The information on your rosters is privileged and **must not** be given out to anyone for any reason.
- **NO GAMES ON MAY 24<sup>th</sup> MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND.**

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*If you have any Coaching issues contact Division Coordinators:*

*Div .U8 Boys – MARK KAISER (269) 945-0785*

*Div. U8 Girls – TAMMY KING (269) 795-4262*

*Div .U10 Boys – MICHAEL GARRETT (269) 948-0365*

*Div. U10 Girls – KATIE ALVERSON (269) 795-7703*

**Referee Moment (Sehbaz Sabri)**

- **Rules and guidelines**

**Evaluation**

- Evaluation forms- Fill out and turn in the registration box next to the Snack Shack by May 10th.
- You must turn in your evaluation before you receive your awards for your players.

**Events**

- **AYSO Soccer Camp**-July 28<sup>th</sup> to August 1st. (Please hand out flyers to team) **Soccer Camp Fund Raiser** – Information coming
- **TK Community Soccer night May 7<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> both games are at 6:45pm**
- **KASI Tournament June 7<sup>th</sup> & 8th**

**Open questions** (Any Board Member)

**\*\*REGISTRATION NOTE\*\***

If you need additional **PLAYERS** due to drops, please contact the Regional Registrar, Julie Martin on the Middleville AYSO Phone Line @ 1-800-873-0507 Option #1 – Registration Line.

She also needs to know about ALL drops in order to keep everyone with the same amount of players.