# Coaches & Managers Tournament Information

Welcome to Westside Invitational Canal Cup Soccer Tournament!!!

# TOURNAMENT WEBSITE

First off, I would like to thank you all for choosing to participate in our Canal Cup tournament on June 8th, 9th and 10th at <u>Grace & Truth Sports Park</u>. We realize how many different choices you have and are pleased that you chose us and are looking forward to being your host.

Below you will find all the information you need to know regarding participating in our tournament, with links to each form you need and all other pertinent information.

# **Grace & Truth Sports Park**

373 North Greece Road – Hilton, NY 14468 Please be courteous and follow the rules that have been provided by the park to keep the tournament a safe and fun environment.

- No Pets Allowed
- No Alcoholic Beverages
- No Grills or Open Fires
- No Smoking
- No Admittance When Gate is Closed
- Field Usage by Permit Only
- Do Not Leave Vehicles in Park. Not Responsible if Vehicle is Locked in Overnight
- Owner is Not Responsible for Lost, Stolen or Damaged Property or Vehicles

# Schedules/ Standings

At this time all schedules have been finalized however last minute changes may come up. Make sure to check the website frequently for any changes.

Our scores will be updated throughout the day on the GotSoccer website. The GotSoccer website offers the ability to register for notifications of score updates if you are interested. It is very important that you visit our website Saturday evening for informational updates, should there be any. Also, if you are in a 6-team division, then you will need to check and see what time and what field your first Sunday match is on. We will not be calling you to tell you when/where to go. It is your responsibility to inform your team.

# Team Bag Pick-Up

If all documents are submitted online correctly, team bag pick-up will be required one hour prior to your first game at the tournament headquarters. If you have added any players since the online check-in process concluded, you must bring the guest player form along with a copy of the player pass at team check-in.

- Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup> Registration begins at 5:00pm
- Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup> Registration begins at 7:15am

Please note that individual game cards/game rosters are NOT required for this event. There is no check-in with the referee prior to each individual match. You are however subject to an individual game audit as per our Tournament Rules, so keep player cards/books with you at all times. You must also have your player medical forms accessible if needed.

# **Youth Clinic**

Saturday, June 9th at 6:20pm on Field 3E. The youth clinic is being run by NYS Champion Varsity Coaches Nino Pilato (McQuaid Boys) and Jamie Schneider (Spencerport Girls). Pre-registered participants will need to check-in 15-30 minutes prior to the start time to pick-up their t-shirts.

#### **Coaches Game**

Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm on Field 1. COME CHEER on your coaches as they play a game against their opposing coaches. There will be prize drawings, giveaways, and a 50/50 raffle. Pre-registered participants will need to check-in 15-30 minutes prior to the start time to pick-up their t-shirts.

# Tournament Rules (Click Here)

We also follow the NYSWYSA zero tolerance policy as part of our tournament.

# Sportsmanship

Please remember that in the spirit of good sportsmanship and to provide the best tournament experience for all teams, we have instituted a **maximum goal differential of three (3)** to be used only when necessary to break ties in the standings. It makes no difference if you win 6-0 or 3-0. It will be recorded the same either way. Please keep this in mind during your matches. There will be a Sportsmanship award to be handed out at all pool play games to the player on the other team that you felt exemplified the best sportsmanship in the game.

#### **Award Presentations: U11-U19**

We have <u>Champions</u> **and** Finalist awards for teams in all divisions. After your Championship match, please proceed to our registration area where a Tournament Official will greet you and direct you through our presentation.

# **Participation Awards: U9 and U10**

For our U9 and U10's, **every** player on **every** team gets a participation award. These will be included in the coach's bags upon team check-in.

#### Vendors

- Grace & Truth Concession Stand
- Kona Ice Sno-cone treats
- Nancy's Fried Dough & Funnel Cakes Fried snacks & Fresh-squeezed lemonade
- Harbor Photography Unique team photos including a post-tournament link for ordering
- Northwest Designs Customized tournament apparel
- Premier Sports Authentic professional soccer kits
- Rochester Lancers
- Games Dunk Tank, Blow-up Goal & Radar Gun

#### **Inclement Weather**

Should we need to temporarily halt our event due to inclement weather, we will simultaneously inform all of our Field Marshalls, who will then attempt to immediately get the attention of the Field Referees. The event will restart, as per our tournament rules, after consultation between the event Head Referee and the Tournament Committee.

#### What if I have a problem at the event?

Go to the registration area and ask for a Tournament Official, or get the attention of one of our Field Marshalls located throughout the facility. They will have radios and should be able to get help quickly in an emergency.

#### **Miscellaneous**

Please be checking your email for important information that may be added and or updated all the days leading up to the tournament.

Once again thank you for choosing us to be your soccer tournament host and we are looking forward to having you take part in our fun, yet competitive soccer tournament. Feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns that you may have.

Sincerely, Tammy McGrath & Amy Shanahan Westside Invitational Canal Cup Tournament Directors