Everything you need to know when coming to Millet's 24th Annual Millet Classic Tournament!

Thank you so much for registering for our **24**th **Annual Millet Classic Tournament**. Whether it is your first time or if you are a returning team, we are so pleased you are joining us!

ACCOMMODATION: please make your reservations

Lions Campground is located centrally in Millet with access just behind the Agriplex. (Teams will be getting a town map at check in). Please contact Zella at 780-387-4260 or 780 387-1396 to book your spot.

Pipestone Links Golf Course and RV Park is just minutes outside of town, and is owned by a newly inducted "honorary member" of Millet Soccer Association. He has been instrumental in the upkeep of our fields by donating his "turf" expertise. You can email <u>info@pipestonelinks.com</u> or phone 780-352-8788 to make your reservation.

Other campgrounds are available in Wetaskiwin, 13 km south of Millet and Leduc, 16 km north of Millet as well as in and around Wizard Lake (20 minutes) and Pigeon Lake (30 minutes).

Hotels/Motels: There is no such accommodation in Millet. You will have to research where you would want to stay and make your bookings. Leduc and Wetaskiwin are both close to us, and within 15 minutes' drive. Edmonton (south) is within 30 minutes' drive.

FOOD:

For the convenience of players, coaches, family members and team spectators of all <u>U7 and U9</u> <u>teams</u>, a Hot Food Truck will be located at Paul Pay Fields throughout the Tournament. For <u>U11</u> <u>teams</u>, there will be a Hot Food Truck located at Moonen Heights Fields throughout the Tournament, and for <u>U13 teams</u>, there will be a Hot Food Truck located at Pipestone Park Fields.

For those who want to sit down to eat in a dining establishment, there are a number of locations in town, listed below:

Ivy's Family Restaurant, 5106 – 50th Street **Sweety Pies** (The Old Bank Building), 5002 – 50th Avenue **Leanne's Bar & Grill**, 4802 – 50th Street **Burger Barn**, 5003 – 47th Avenue

All of the above are open throughout the daytime on Saturday and Sunday until 8:00 p.m.

TOURNAMENT:

Players will receive a participant package upon check-in. This will contain maps of the town, indicating field locations (also sent via email), gifts from the Town of Millet and some "goodies" from us at MSA.

Your coach will have received a Game Schedule prior to the Tournament, so once your Coach has checked your team in, you can all head to the fields! Check in will be at our Headquarter sites, which is Paul Pay Soccer Field for U7 and U9, Moonen Heights Fields for U11 and Pipestone Park Field for U13 ... follow the signs.

Our Organizing Committee has tried to accommodate all teams that wished to participate in our Tournament. In some Age Groups, this has meant that we have an unusual number of teams competing with the result that we have had to schedule some games with a slightly shorter break

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between them than we would customarily like. If your team is affected by this, please accept our apologies – we do hope it does adversely affect your team's enjoyment of the Tournament!

If you would like a refresher on the Rules of this Tournament, please refer to our web site <u>www.milletsoccer.ca</u> under the tournament tab or ask to view these at our Headquarter sites.

Please know that dogs are welcome as long as they are well behaved and picked up after. We have had a few issues with this in the past but we don't want to ban dogs, as they are part of the family. This year, we will be actively watching dog behavior and asking owners to remove their dog if they (dog or owner) are behaving in an inappropriate manner. Your dog should be on a leash at all times and must not enter the field of play, not dig and not scare children. Also could you please ensure that your dog is cleaned up after? If you can not ensure your dog acts in an acceptable manner, please leave them at home. Thank you for your understanding on this touchy subject.

THINGS TO DO: SATURDAY ONLY

<u>Millet Museum, Archives & Visitor Services</u> will be open all day Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Take a look at the four Long Term Exhibits – Millet: From a Signpost in a Slough, Veteran's Memorial Wall, The Village of Millet and Millet's Pioneer Women – and other unique room displays dating back to the 1900-1950 period. You will be surprised at what you see in a small museum!

ALL WEEKEND

Paul Pay Fields - Kids always love a <u>BOUNCY CASTLE</u>. We will also be having a face painter, carnival games and other fun things to keep you entertained at the Paul Pay Fields.

<u>Pipestone Splash Park</u> - located next to Pipestone Soccer fields, as long as you are respectful of the little ones there, this will be a great way to cool down.

<u>Pipestone Park/Creek Recreational Walking Trails</u> – accessed from all soccer field venues, the Trails and Park system is the Town's pride and joy! Also, just opened last year, let your dog enjoy the freedom of our new Off-Leash Dog Park located at the western end of our Trails!

I hope this gives you a clear picture of what to expect while with us. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact myself at <u>ttt12321@hotmail.com</u> or <u>780-237-2464</u> and <u>780-887-8527</u>.

I truly look forward to seeing you on the fields.

Yours Truly, Tim Taylor Millet Soccer Association, President