

NWC PLAYER MOVEMENT



PRESEASON and DURING SEASON:

- No Community shall be allowed to go to another Community in the District and poach players.
- In the event there is no program for an age group, then this would be allowed, with priority going to the closest community first.
- If two communities do not have enough players to form their own team, but have enough to combine, then they could do so PRESEASON.
- In the event a team folds during the season, any players from this team wishing to join an existing NWC team may do so, with priority again being the nearest community first.
 - Teams gaining players in this manner may only take up to 3 players.
 - These players must compete with their new team for at least 2 games, prior to being allowed to play in Soccerfest. **see the two special circumstances below*
 - *Ex 1: A team folds *two weeks* before Soccerfest. The coach/manager of the team picking up any of these players, would put these new players on their roster (to be submitted 7 days prior to Soccerfest), in order for them to participate in the upcoming weekend. NWC would verify that those players had played both games, based on the gamesheets from the weekend - making them eligible for Soccerfest.
 - *Ex 2: If a team folds the *week before* Soccerfest, players from that team could not participate for another team in Soccerfest, and can only be picked up (for Provincials) after Soccerfest.

SOCCERFEST:

- There is no Player Movement allowed during Soccerfest.
- Any Player Movement before Soccerfest must be done a minimum of 7 days prior (see examples above).

POST SOCCERFEST:

- Up to four (4) Players on the original roster may only be replaced under the following circumstances:
 - Injury
 - Illness
 - Unavoidable work or school commitment
 - Roster is depleted to fifteen (15) players or less (and can only be brought back up to sixteen (16))
 - NWC may request proof of the above prior to allowing the replacement
- Replacement/Removed players are to be shown as such on the NWC Roster Form, and must also be noted on the ASA Replacement Player Form, to be submitted along with the NWC Roster Form, to the NWC Registrar.
- Winning teams that are proceeding to Provincials, may pick up additional players (up to 2) from the other communities in the District, as long as those players have played at least one league game (as per ASA rules) during the season. These players must be from the same or lower age, and the same or lower Tier.
- Players can be picked up in this fashion, as long as their original team is not proceeding to Provincials.
- The deadline to add these players is 3 days after Soccerfest. **Maximum Youth Roster size is Twenty (20) Players.**
- Replacement players should be done **FIRST**, and **THEN** additional pickup players added to roster **AFTER**.

Any Questions or Concerns, regarding any matter, should be directed to your Community NWC Representative ONLY.

