

## INFORMATION PACKAGE

### COACH CHECK-IN:

**Medals:** Each participant will receive a gold medal. Coaches must pick-up their medals from the Headquarters upon check-in. Medals cannot be picked up sooner from the office. Coaches will present their own medals to their team either at the end of their last game or at a time they feel suitable. If your team is going to miss any of your games, for whatever reason, notify Headquarters so that we can notify the other team.

The diagram shows the 2nd Floor layout for the tournament headquarters. The floor is divided into several sections:

- Family Focus A** and **Family Focus B** (Left side)
- Trail App East A**, **Trail App East B**, **Trail App West A**, and **Trail App West B** (Center section)
- Sherwood A** and **Sherwood B** (Right side)
- washrooms upstairs** (Bottom left)

A sign at the bottom indicates **FREE ADMISSION!!** and **All Spectators Proceed Upstairs! (No Spectators On Field Level)**. The **Main Entrance** is located at the bottom center.

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## ADMISSIONS:

Saskatoon Youth Soccer Inc. hopes all spectators enjoys watching some free soccer over the weekend! No admissions will be charged.

## SCHEDULES & INFO PACKAGE:

A copy of the schedule and info package will be posted at the bottom of the stairs as well as upstairs on the bulletin board outside Headquarters near Sherwood field (turn left when you come up the stairs).

## DRESSING ROOMS:

Dressing rooms will be left open during the event. Do not leave valuables in dressing room.

## FIRST AID:

There will not be first aiders on-site during the event. Coaches are responsible for bringing their first aid kit with them to all games. There will be ice packs available for sale at Headquarters for \$2 each.

## GAME PROCEDURES:

1. Regular season rules apply.
2. All teams are guaranteed a minimum of 3 games.
3. Referees, results and game sheets will not be provided ~ the focus is on FUN.
4. The first team listed on the schedule is the home team.
5. Home teams are required to supply the game ball: U5 size 3 ball / U7 size 3 or 4 ball / U9 size 4 ball
6. Home teams must be prepared to change their jerseys if there is a color conflict. Have players pack a white t-shirt as an alternate jersey, or blue if team colors are white!
7. Each team is required to bring a set of cones to each game to mark out field dimensions such as corners and boundaries as agree upon by both coaches. Nets will be provided. Teams must NOT use flags on the artificial turf because they damage the fields.
8. Each allotted **45 minutes** of time will be utilized in the following way:
  - U5 / U7: Teams are to play fun drills, games or warm up activities for the first 16 minutes. Overall duration of the game is a total of 24 minutes with 2 x 12 min halves with timeouts roughly every 6 minutes and a 5 minute halftime.
  - U9: Teams are to have a brief warm up for the first 10 minutes. Overall duration of the game is a total of 30 minutes with 2 x 15 min halves with timeouts roughly every 8 minutes and a 5 minute halftime.
9. Due to the busy schedule please try to be on time and have respect of others time on the floor. Use common sense and be considerate with problems that arise. Work them out and be a good example for the kids!!
10. Once the assigned time on the schedule is up your game is over and the next set of teams may enter the field. If your game starts late for whatever reason your game still must finish at the assigned time on your schedule.



## FACILITY GUIDELINES:

1. Clean footwear only on fields-free of snow, mud or dirt. No outdoor shoes.
2. No food, gum or sugared drinks (such as Gatorade/PowerAde, energy drinks or coffee) on the fields.
3. Only plastic or metal bottles **with water** allowed on fields.
4. No walking or warming up on the Terry Fox Walking track or hard court fields. Be courteous to the walkers.
5. All spectators/viewing from upper levels only.
6. Only coaches and players in field area. Teams are encouraged to meet in lobby and have coach escort to field.
7. Please supervise your children at all times.
8. No photos in dressing rooms.
9. Spitting is prohibited indoors and outdoors on all Saskatoon Soccer Centre premises.
10. There is zero tolerance for violence, verbal abusive or foul language towards anyone, including SSCI staff in or around our facilities.
11. **ABSOLUTELY NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINK PERMITTED IN BUILDING!** Full Food & Beverage services available at Concession and Pleasureway Pub and Restaurant.

We would like to thank Xtratime Sports Soccer Locker for their generous support in being this event's PLATINUM sponsor!



We hope your team has a FUN and enjoyable WEEKEND!!

