

Youth Soccer



YMCA Youth Soccer focuses on three primary objectives: **Fun, Fundamentals and Character Development**. YMCA staff and volunteer coaches teach the fundamental skills of Soccer along with values like teamwork, sportsmanship and our core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility.

SOCCKER FEES

Members \$38.00
Non-Members \$48.00

Multi-Sport Reusable Jersey- \$10.00

Each player will be required to purchase a Multi-Sport Reusable Jersey. These can be used for all YMCA Youth Sports

Itty Bitty Soccer (3-5 yr. old) . . . Girls & Boys . . Saturdays . . 9:00 - 10:00 am		Spring Soccer Season Dates April 6th to May 18th No Games April 20th Team Building Skills Assessment April 6th (for 2nd-8th)
Kindergarten Soccer/ 1st Grade. . Girls & Boys . . . Saturdays . . . 10:00- 11:00 am		
Saturday Games- GIRLS 2nd / 3rd Grade . Saturdays . 11- 12 p.m. 4th/5th Grade . Saturdays . .12- 1 p.m. 6th-8th Grade. . Saturdays. . 1-2 p.m.	Saturday Games- BOYS 2nd / 3rd Grade . Saturdays . 11- 12 p.m. 4th/5th Grade . Saturdays . .12- 1 p.m. 6th-8th Grade. . Saturdays. . 1-2 p.m.	

2nd- 8th Grade PRACTICES - will be held 1 time per week and will be determined by the team coaches availability. Practice days and times will be after 5 p.m.

ITTY BITTY, KINDERGARTEN, & 1st Grade- Itty Bitty will practice for 30-40 minutes and play a game for the remainder of the time on Saturdays. Kindergarten/ 1st Grade will practice for 30-40 minutes and play games for 20-30 Minutes on Saturdays. Practices will include skills, drills and coach controlled games.

1st Grade to 8th Grade- 1st grade to 8th grade will practice 1 time per week and will be determined by the team coach(s) availability. Practice times will be after 5pm and go a hour. This program will run for 6 weeks and on week 1, all players will display current skills at the "Team Building Skills Assessment". Staff and Coaches will assess players current skills and roster teams based on skills assessment. **Game Play** will be on Saturday's and will consist of a 10 minutes team warm-up, games/2- 20 minute (running time) half's, with 5 minute halftime.

Coaches Clinic will be at 5:30PM on Thursday, April 4th at the YMCA

Family Information - Youth Soccer 2019

Parent(s) Last Name* _____ Parent(s) First Name* _____ Middle Initial* _____ Optional Family E-mail _____

Mailing Address* _____ City* _____ State* _____ Zip* _____ Emergency Contact Name* _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Emergency Contact Phone* _____

I will volunteer to coach for my child's team? Yes / No _____ Coaches Name _____
Shirt Size _____

I previously filled out a Background check form youth Sports? Yes / No _____ If No I filled one out today? Yes / No _____

Player Information

Participant Name* _____ Date of Birth* _____ Grade* _____ School Attends* _____ Gender* Male / Female

____ I have attached a check or cash for the selected session.

____ I would like to have the registration fee auto-debited from my YMCA membership account.

Signature * _____ Date _____ Staff Initials _____
By signing, I authorize the YMCA to use pictures of my Child for Promotional Purposes. * **Required to Register**



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Dear YMCA Youth Soccer Families,

Welcome to the first season of YMCA soccer. Registration is approaching fast and the YMCA want to keep you informed of important dates, minor changes and the opportunities that exist at your YMCA.

Registration

- Registration for YMCA members begins on Monday, March 4th, 2019 and is continuous thereafter.
- Please drop off, mail, register online or fax the enclosed form. No telephone registrations please!

2ed-8th Grade

- FOR KIDS IN 2ND/3RD GRADE, 4TH/5TH GRADE, AND 6th-8th GRADE, THIS 6 WEEK PROGRAM HELPS FURTHER KIDS SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE OF THE SPORT AS THEY MOVE INTO A COMPETITIVE SPORTS ENVIRONMENT. COACH-LED PRACTICES TAKE PLACE DURING THE WEEK WITH A ONE-HOUR GAME ON SATURDAYS.

Schedule

The program schedule will contain of Itty Bitty will practice for 30-40 minutes and play a game for the remainder of the time on Saturdays. Kindergarten/ 1st Grade will practice for 30-40 minutes and play games for 20-30 Minutes on Saturdays. Practices will include skills, drills and coach controlled games. 1st grade to 8th grade will practice 1 time per week and will be determined by the team coach(s) availability. Practice times will be after 5pm and go a hour. **Game Play** will be on Saturday's and will consist of a 10 minutes team warm-up, games/2- 20 minute (running time) half's, with 5 minute halftime.

Coaches

The program is made possible because of a large number of volunteer coaches. Please consider about volunteering to coach a team this season. Hope for and generally have 2 -3 coaches per team.

Experienced coaches - Branching out and mentoring a new coach this season.

Background Checks - all YMCA volunteers are required to complete the paperwork for a background check. Please fill out forms at time of registration, or I will send one out to you.

All coaches must complete a State Mandated online concussion education training. This will be provided at the coaches clinic, or a link with instructions will be given for those unable to attend coaches training.

Coaches Clinic- Thursday April 4th @ 5:30 pm at the Y. This is mandatory for the first time coaches. Previous year coaches are encouraged to attend if able. If you are unable to attend please contact Nicholas at 320.222.9622.

Contact

Please contact Nicholas at any time with your questions or concerns about the Soccer or any YMCA program. He can be reached at (320) 222-9622 or by e-mail at nicholasm@kandiyymca.org. You can also check out the website at www.kandiyymca.org. The website is full of YMCA information along with downloadable copies of the Soccer and other registration forms.

Hope to see you on the court!

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