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Chili Soccer Association Registration Packet

2024 Registration Fees

Travel: September 1, 2023 - December 31, 2023
House: December 17, 2023 - January 16, 2024 (discount fee)
January 16, 2024 - March 16, 2024
Tykes: March 16, 2024 - May 16, 2024 (late registration)
December 17, 2023 - January 16, 2024 (discount fee)
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Registration Period	Travel	Travel-Elite	House	Tykes
Discount fee <i>Registration completed by above end date</i>	NA	NA	\$90	\$50
Regular fee <i>Registration completed by above end date</i>	\$445 *	\$895 *	\$100	\$60
Late fee <i>Registration completed after registration ends</i>	NA	NA	\$140	\$80

* Includes \$15 fee collected at tryouts

Note: The registration fee installment payment option is only available for the Travel and Travel Elite Programs. If paying by installment, your total registration fee will be split into thirds. The first payment is due when you accept your roster position offered by the team. The second payment is made on October 31st and the final payment is made on January 15th of the next year.

READ THIS INFORMATION CAREFULLY

— — — ATTENTION SOCCER FAMILIES — — —

Chili Soccer Association now has secure online registration!

This makes registering your child(ren) for soccer faster, easier and allows for additional payment options! We encourage every family to try our new on-line system and enjoy the discounted fees for early registration!

It's simple – log on to our website www.chilisoccer.org and use the link to the on-line registration system. If your child is new too Chili Soccer, you will also have to provide us with a copy of their birth certificate. Instructions are also provided on-line.

Be sure to include any special requests, including requests for “playing up”, at the time of on-line registration in the box provided. Special requests cannot be guaranteed.

Questions concerning registration can be directed to the CSA Registrar, Lorie Perez by email registrar@chilisoccer.org

- * Registrations completed **after** the registration period is closed will be subject to the "Late Fee". Late registrants may be put onto a waiting list. If there are positions available after the initial teams are formed, the player will be notified. You may NOT be notified until just before the season begins or even after it begins. If there are no positions available, a full refund will be given. **Late TRAVEL registrations will be accepted, for NEW players only, up through April 30, 2024.**

Registrations received that do not include the appropriate payment OR birth certificate will be returned.

Special requests

Special requests are not guaranteed! Special Requests will only be considered if:

- Submitted online or received in writing along with the player's registration form
- Received by the registration deadline

Requests received after the deadline, after team formation is complete or requests made verbally will not be entertained. NO EXCEPTIONS!

Refund Policies

The only circumstances under which a refund will be given are:

- When a player is not offered a position in any CSA program, a full refund is granted, except for the tryout fee of \$15.
- When a player is cut or switches from the Travel Program to the House, the difference between the cost of Travel and House is refundable.
- Requests for refunds made before May 1st (for House) or June 1st (for Tykes) will receive a 50% refund
- No refunds for Travel players after cuts are completed
- No refunds for House after May 1st and Tykes after June 1st
- **Requests for refunds must be in writing and directed to the commissioner of the program.**

2022 Board of Directors/Contacts

(refer to www.chilisoccer.org for full listing)

Position	Name	Email
President	Kelly Sudal	president@chilisoccer.org
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House Commissioner	Mike Tompkins	house@chilisoccer.org
Tykes Commissioner	Dave Johnson	tykes@chilisoccer.org

Interested in sponsoring the Chili soccer program?

If you or your company is interested in sponsoring a Chili Soccer team, please contact the Director of Sponsors, Jim Lepore 755-8000.

Sponsorship is a very important and necessary program for Chili Soccer. Your financial support helps keep registration fees affordable for everyone!

Sponsorship rates: Travel \$200; House \$175; Tykes \$100; SSG League Sponsor \$250

Tykes Program, Ages 5 & 6

- Purpose:** A non-competitive program for 5 and 6 year old boys and girls. The program is designed to increase the player's motivation, develop creativity and problem solving skills, and allow for their individual growth.
- Play dates:** Season begins the FIRST week in June and typically is completed in late July. Girls Tuesdays/Thursdays and Boys Mondays/Wednesdays 6:30 – 7:45pm.
- Equipment:** Player is responsible for shin guards, sneakers or cleats. Tyke registration fee includes a shirt or jersey, socks, a #3 soccer ball and participation award.

House Program, Ages 7 – 17

- Purpose:** To develop individual player skills and provide recreation.
- Play dates:** Season begins the FIRST week in May. Girls Tuesdays/Thursdays and Boys Mondays/Wednesdays. Some age groups will participate in inter-town play with adjacent communities, which may include, but are not limited to, towns such as Gates, Spencerport, Churchville and Scottsville.
- Equipment:** Player is responsible for shin guards, sneakers or cleats and a #4 or #5 soccer ball to be used at practices. House registration fee includes a uniform, team entry into the Hot Dog Cup tournament, the Founders Cup tournament and a participation award.
- Eligibility:** There are 5 divisions ranging in ages from 7 through 19. The availability of a program (age division) will depend upon the number of players that register.

Travel Program, Ages 8 – 19

- Purpose:** To be an enhanced program for players with the commitment and ability to play at a peak level of competition. This program requires a greater time and financial commitment. Travel includes league play and tournament play. This can fill several weekends throughout the summer. Parents are responsible for individual expenses plus tournament entry fees.

Included in the fees for the program:

- RDYSL registration and referee fees
- 1 indoor team training session/week through Fall/Winter season (hosted by CSA Team Coaching Staff)
- 2 indoor technical training sessions/month through Fall/Winter season (hosted by Craig Demmin)
- CSA Practice Jersey
- Entry into the Chili Soccer Invitational Tournament
- Licensed coaches
- Insurance
- Uniforms are NOT included in registration fees

- Play dates:** Indoor practices available November – March. Outdoor games/practices (2x per week) during April – July.

Equipment: Player is responsible for supplying their own shin guards, sneakers or cleats (styles and colors unlimited). Player uniforms, including home jerseys, away jerseys, shorts and socks, ordered through Winners Sportswear, are also the responsibility of the player. Uniform styles and colors are dictated by CSA.

Travel Registration: The process begins, for the following season of play, on the Saturday of the last weekend in July with the first Team tryout. Each player is expected to pay a tryout fee of \$15 upon tryout registration which insures the player in case of injury. The tryout period normally runs through the end of August and is at the coach's discretion. Upon acceptance onto the team, the player is expected to register for Chili Soccer by November 1st. Registration payment(s) must be complete by January 15th. Any player's registration that is not paid in full will not get a player's pass (required for game play) issued to the coach.

Travel-Elite Program, Ages 11 – 19

Purpose: This tier of Chili Soccer will cater to proven CSA teams wanting to advance into the State and/or National levels of competition. Participation in this program will require a higher level of commitment as these teams will be practicing indoors twice a week. Once CSA tryouts have concluded and teams are selected for the 2023-2024 season coaches and club officials will determine which additional teams will be eligible for this program.

Current eligible Travel Elite teams are: CSA Elite B2008, CSA Elite B2006, CSA Elite G2011, CSA Elite G2010, CSA Elite G2008

Included in the fees for the program:

- State Cup entry fee and referee fees
- Thruway League registration and referee fees or High-level tournament fee (Thruway League dependent upon league acceptance of team application)
- RDYSL League (optional, teams' decision)
- 2 indoor team training session/week through Fall/Winter season (including 2 indoor sessions/month hosted by Craig Demmin, supported by CSA Coaching Staff)
- CSA Practice Jersey
- Entry into the Chili Soccer Invitational Tournament
- Licensed coaches
- Insurance
- Uniforms are NOT included in registration fees

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2024 Age Matrix

Travel teams are formed at each age level starting at Age 9. The House program is grouped as follows: U8, U10, U13 and U16

23-24 Tykes / House Programs

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23-24 Travel / Travel Elite Programs

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Age Appropriate Rules: The Chili Soccer Association believes that most players will develop better at their age appropriate level. The need to minimize underage players helps to create stronger athletes and teams. The Club reserves the right to make decisions to the underage policy based on, but not limited to, the following considerations:

- When grade levels and age appropriate levels conflict, especially in regard to the anticipated composition of school Varsity and Junior Varsity teams (grade appropriate means birth dates between August 1 and November 30)
- An under age player has clearly demonstrated exceptional play at the age level above team the previous season or it is in the best interest of the player.
- When team continuity, established over several seasons, becomes threatened
- Parents of an exceptional player or an underage player must submit a letter to the Commissioner of the program requesting permission for their child to "play up" to the next age division. All requests must be received prior to travel team tryouts or at registration for non-travel teams.

Volunteers: Chili Soccer is a not-for-profit organization run solely by volunteers. Your help in supporting this youth soccer program is critical to its success. We need parent volunteers throughout the season in order to continue providing these soccer programs to the kids. Volunteer opportunities include, but are not limited to, team manager, team parent, tournament committee, tournament volunteer, field marshal, snacks, flag person....

Code of Conduct

Purpose: The Chili Soccer Association was established to promote the game of soccer and to provide an atmosphere in which the game can be learned and enjoyed. To this end, the Board of Directors has developed the following Code of Conduct that every player, coach, official and parent must agree to in order to participate in our programs. Failure to comply with the standards set forth in this document will lead to the eventual forfeiture of the right of participation.

Players: Players are expected to conduct themselves in a sporting fashion at all times and at all levels of play while representing Chili Soccer Association or while participating in a Chili Soccer Association sponsored event. Violence and/or repeated demonstrations or conduct that are in direct violation of the laws of the game and result in an ejection from any contest, including the combination of yellow card offenses by individual league rules that causes a player to sit out of a game, will be dealt with severely and according to the following format:

1st Ejection: Automatic minimum 1 game suspension.

2nd Ejection: Automatic minimum 3 game suspension, plus a hearing before the Judiciary Committee.

3rd Ejection: Minimum suspension for the remainder of the season, plus a hearing before the Judiciary Committee to determine future ability to participate in Chili Soccer Association programs.

- Coaches:** Coaches and assistant coaches are charged with the responsibility of controlling their players and parents at all times during a contest. Continual chiding of a referee, failure to maintain order on the touchlines, failure to control his/her players willful violation of any league of association rules are examples of unacceptable behavior. Repeat offenders will appear before the Judiciary Committee. Coaches who are ejected from a contest will be disciplined in the following way:
- 1st Ejection:** Automatic minimum 1 game suspension.
 - 2nd Ejection:** Automatic minimum 3 game suspension, plus a hearing before the Judiciary Committee.
 - 3rd Ejection:** Minimum suspension for the remainder of the season, plus a hearing before the Judiciary Committee to determine future ability to participate in Chili Soccer Association programs.
- Parents & Spectators:** Parents can be very positive influences on the game of soccer and are encouraged to attend as many contests as possible to support their children. Being a spectator of a soccer game does carry with it some major responsibilities. Just as a parent can be positive and encouraging, so can he/she be a negative force. A child will normally respond to a greater extent to his or her parents than to coaches, officials, or other players. Parents who are disruptive and disrespectful to referees, other parents, players or coaches are not positive influences and cannot be tolerated. Continued demonstrations of negative behavior at soccer games will result in the following actions:
- 1st Offense:** Letter from the Board of Directors to refrain from negative behavior.
 - 2nd Offense:** Suspended from attending games for the remainder of season.
 - 3rd Offense:** Child and Parent(s) suspended for the remainder of the season, plus a hearing before the Judiciary Committee to determine future ability to participate in Chili Soccer Association programs.
- Officials:** Officials of Chili Soccer including board members, who perform as referees, must demonstrate conduct beyond reproach when attending or officiating soccer games. Individuals found to be conducting themselves in a detrimental way or causing embarrassment to the Chili Soccer Association will be asked to refrain from such conduct. If such action continues, he/she will be asked to resign from office and take no further part in the program.
- Appeals:** Appeals by any player, coach, parent or official to a CSA disciplinary action must be in writing, stating the circumstances surrounding the appeal and presented to the chairperson of the Judiciary Committee. The Judiciary Committee will then meet and render a final determination within 5 days of the appeal. All decisions of the Judiciary Committee will be final.
- Fields:** No smoking or alcohol will be allowed at any time at the soccer fields. Excessive and disruptive noisemakers will not be tolerated.

This code of conduct has been developed to promote a feeling of fair play and sportsmanship in the CSA programs