



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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- Q.) Can you place my son/daughter on a specific team?  
A.) In the program's best interest and to prevent the "stacking" of teams, we do not accommodate requests for players to be placed on specific teams, except for special needs players with special medical accommodations.
- Q.) When do schedules come out? When is our first practice?  
A.) Schedules are typically released at least one to two weeks before the first games. We cannot set schedules until teams are filled and coaching accommodations are met. Your coach determines practice days and times, and you will be notified through TeamSnap.
- Q.) I don't live in Strongsville; Can my son/daughter still play in your program?  
A.) We are open enrollment, so any player from any city may play if they fall within the age requirements.
- Q.) What age group will my son/daughter be placed in?  
A.) Please refer to the "Age Groups" page under "Registration" on the website.
- Q.) How much are the fees if I have travel and recreational players in the same household?  
A.) Please refer to the "Fee Schedule" under "Registration" on the website.
- Q.) How/Where can I register my son/daughter to play?  
A.) Please refer to our website's "Registration" menu for registration links.
- Q.) Who can play Recreational Soccer?  
A.) Strongsville Soccer's recreational soccer league, also known as the In-house league, is open to boys and girls who are both residents and non-residents of the City of Strongsville. The league is open to children aged 4 to 14 years. (Players must turn 4 years old by August 1st to play in the fall season and by April 1st to play in the spring season.)

**Q.) When do you play soccer?**

**A.)** We have both fall and spring outdoor seasons. The fall season starts around Labor Day and ends by the end of October. The spring season starts in April and continues until late May, with a tournament weekend for ages U7 and up. There are no games on Labor Day weekend or Memorial Day weekend.

**Q.) How and when do you register for Recreational Soccer?**

**A.)** The deadline to register for the fall season is towards the end of July while the deadline for the spring season is early March. We typically open registration for spring in February and fall in June.

**Q.) When and where are the games played?**

**A.)** Games are typically held on Saturday mornings/early afternoons at the Ehrnfelt Soccer Complex. Ehrnfelt Soccer Complex is located on Foltz Industrial Parkway. Please consult your player's schedule in TeamSnap for his/her specific field location. The field maps can be found on our website.

**Q.) When do teams practice?**

**A.)** Teams typically practice once per week at local elementary schools or parks – your coach coordinates times and locations. Parents will be notified of practice schedules via TeamSnap.

**Q.) How much does it cost to play recreational soccer?**

**A.)** Please refer to our "Fee Schedule" under the "Registration" menu on this website.

**Q.) What equipment do I need to buy?**

**A.)** Each player must have outdoor soccer shoes (cleats), shin guards, high socks to cover the shin guards (shin guards must be worn under socks), and an appropriately sized ball (see below).

- U4-U6 - Size 3
- U7-10 - Size 4
- U11-U14 - Size 5

**Q.) What are the rules of the game?**

**A.)** A chart of the rules used for different age groups can be found on our website under the "Info" menu.

**Q.) How can I get involved?**

**A.)** We are always looking for volunteer coaches for our recreational teams. If you want to be a head or assistant coach, please register using the appropriate link under our website's "Registration" menu. We also need volunteer board members.