

General Information:

- Game start times will be staggered as much as possible to minimize parking and traffic problems.
- Players must play at least half of each game. No players should monopolize playtime.
- Games will be played on Saturdays through the end of the season
- Teams may play midweek games in a makeup scenario
- The Sports Director will be in direct contact with you throughout the season via email and Playerspace.
- **Photographers** will come one time during the season for your sport. There may be a day to do make up pictures when the photographers are here for another sport but please try to have all photos are done on your specified day.
- Please take special note that there is a **ZERO tolerance policy** at the Y. If at any point Y representative sees anyone conducting themselves in an overly aggressive manner, if they aggressively approach a Y employee, or if they are verbally abusive, they will be asked to leave the property immediately.
- First Aid kits are located at the Front Desk or the scorer's table
- Coaches' shirts: Please list your shirt size on form. (Warning, they run a little big)
- We will be asking all Head and Assistant Coaches to complete a background check and an online child abuse prevention training every two years.

Other Issues:

- Referee no-shows. If a ref is not present at game time, we ask the coaches to either 1) try or ref the game themselves, 2) ask a couple of parents to ref the game, or 3) **as a last resort** we will try to reschedule the game. Any cancelations will be made up within the scheduled season. Note that games will take preference over practices.
- Rain-outs. Rainouts may or may not be rescheduled. In the event of a rainy day, **WE WILL CONTACT YOU** via email, through Playerspace. If games are cancelled, we will send an email out to you and all the coaches from Playerspace.
- **Team Sponsors.** We will need a **guaranteed commitment from sponsors no later than the second Wednesday after registration closes. Logos should be in black/white and in jpeg or vector format please.**
- Final team rosters and game schedules will be ready as soon as possible. What you have tonight IS NOT your final roster.
- Practices chosen at the coaches meeting are tentative and the sports department may change them where necessary.

ALL COACHES: Before you leave tonight, make sure the following items are accomplished:

1. Team info sheets are turned in. Indicate **your** shirt size and your assistant's on the sheet.
2. Your tentative practice times.
3. Let Sports Director know any players you may want on your team. Do not keep this roster.
4. Your information/rules packet is picked up.

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