



AYSO Region 1103 Soccer Slam Competitive Tournament

Tournament Date: June 23rd & June 24th

Location: Amana Fields

General Information

❖ 8U, 10U, 12U, 14/16U, and 19/16U Divisions offered.

❖ Teams should be formed from at MOST two regular season AYSO teams. If teams are short, they may/will be supplemented from the free agent list by the tournament director.

- ❖ Teams may have at most THREE club or Select players per team.
- ❖ 16U players with varsity soccer experience MUST participate in the 19/16U Division
- ❖ 16U players without varsity soccer experience may participate in either the 14/16U division or the 19/16U Division. However, a 14/16U team may have at most Three 16U players.
- ❖ All NON-AYSO participants MUST be approved by the tournament coordinator. All teams from outside region 1103 must be approved by their own regional commissioner in addition to the tournament coordinator.
- ❖ Any exceptions to the above team formation rules will ONLY be approved as a last resort by the tournament coordinator, through the assignment of Free Agent participants. The purpose of these rules are to ensure teams are as balanced as feasibly possible in a competitive tournament.
- ❖ Players wanting to participate are encouraged strongly to form a team on their own. However, if this is not feasible or viable, participants may sign up as individual players, and every effort will be made to place them on a team. Team placement is NOT guaranteed for individual players. In the event that one cannot be placed, a refund will be issued. The AYSO National Fee (charged to Non-AYSO participants) is NOT Refundable under any circumstance.
- ❖ Players will bring a white shirt (home) and a black shirt (away) to wear during tournament play. Shirts must NOT contain inappropriate material: references to drugs, alcohol, elicit behavior, sexual references, demeaning or derogatory remarks, etc. ALL players must wear shin guards completely covered by their socks. Teams may wear uniforms, but may be asked to change colors or wear pennies if color conflicts.
- ❖ Refunds will be provided if there are not enough registrants per Division (there will need to be a minimum of 3 teams per division in order for that division to participate in the tournament). Weather related refunds will not be issued
- ❖ Open Substitution: Substitutions allowed any time the ball is out of bounds (own throw-in, corner kick, or goal kick) or after a score or injury, but must be acknowledged by the referee first. Substitutions will not be allowed on field penalties.
- ❖ All Divisions are Co-Ed. Boy goals = 1 point; Girl goals = 2 points
- ❖ All players must play a minimum of 50% of each game.
- ❖ Three Game Guarantee. Most will play four or more games.
- ❖ Tournament scoring and tie-breaker guidelines are posted on the regional website; www.ayso1103.org.
- ❖ Halverson Photography will be taking team pictures between 9:00 AM and 1:00 PM on Saturday.
- ❖ There will be a Skills Competition with Cash Prizes to the winners held on Saturday over the noon hour. Call Backs for top finishers in each division will be on Sunday at Noon.
- ❖ Teams from outside AYSO Region 1103 must also supply at least one Referee certified at the level of the team they represent, to officiate at least 4 games over the course of the tournament.

10U, 12U, 14/19U, and 19/16U Combined Coed Divisions

- 2 – 20 minute halves with a 5 minute half-time (45 minute total game time). Running clock at referees discretion.
- Games will be played 6 vs. 6, Max roster 8 (This is a lot of soccer! A full roster is strongly encouraged)
- Each team of 6 players must have a minimum of 2 girls and 2 boys playing at ALL times. A team may play down (5 players on field) if this gender requirement cannot be met. Coaches & Referees must ensure that substitutions do not violate this requirement, even for an injury (in which case the team with the injured player would play short if a substitution would violate the gender minimum).
- Game play will be on a 10U sized field.
- All other rules for play in region 1103 will apply – for example, no heading in the 12U and under divisions, Offside enforced at all levels.

8U Coed Division

- 2 – 15 minute halves with a 5 minute half-time (35 minute total game time). Running clock at referees discretion
- Games will be played 5 vs. 5, Max Roster 8
- Each team of 5 players must have a minimum of 2 girls and 2 boys playing at ALL times. A team may play down (4 players on field) if this gender requirement cannot be met. Coaches & Referees must ensure that substitutions do not violate this requirement, even for an injury (in which case the team with the injured player would play short if a substitution would violate the gender minimum).
- Game play will be on a 8U sized field
- All other rules for 8U play in region 1103 will apply – for example, no heading, and no offside. No Goal Keepers

U06 Division

- No U06 division will be available for this tournament.