



## **AYSO REGION 84 - MISSION VIEJO**

### **Winter League 2017 Soccer Program**

**Rules- In accordance to the FIFA Laws of the Game and AYSO with additional modifications for the Winter League 2016 soccer program.**

<b>Field Size:</b>	U9 - U14	30 x 40 yards (approximate)	
	U5 - U8	20 x 30 yards (approximate)	
	<b>U9 - U14</b>		<b>U5 – U8</b>
	Center Circle	6 yds diameter	3 yds Diameter
	Goal area	6 yd radius	3 yd Radius
	Corner Arc	1 yd radius	1 yd Radius
	Goals	Pugg Goals	Pugg Goals

**Field Assignments: All Games will be played at the Oso Complex (new Newhart M.S. on La Paz)**

- Boys U5/6 - Oso Complex 1 & 2
- Boys U7/8 - Oso Complex 5
- Boys U9/10 - Oso Complex 7
- Boys U12/14 - Oso Complex 9
- Girls U5/6 - Oso Complex 3 & 4
- Girls U7/8 - Oso Complex 6
- Girls U9/10 - Oso Complex 8
- Girls U12/14 - Oso Complex 10

#### **Field Initial Setup and Weekly Setup/Takedown:**

There are 10 fields at the venue. Each field is marked with a field #. The initial set-up was completed by a group of volunteer coaches.

On the game schedule, in the first time slot of the day, the team in **Bold** has Field Setup for that Saturday. Field Setup entails, re-stripping the field, bringing and setting up of pugg goals.

The last time slot of the day, on each field, the team in **Bold** has Field Takedown for that Saturday. Takedown responsibility consists of securing all the field equipment, pug goals, striper and paint.

<b>Ball Size:</b>	3	U5 - 8
	4	U9 – U10
	5	U12 - U14

**Number of Players:** 10 players per team Max Roster (additions by WLC/RC approval)  
5 players on field maximum with a 3 player minimum.  
All players play must play at least ½ game

**Player's Equipment:** In accordance with FIFA and AYSO National Guidelines.  
Remember No Shin Guards! No Play! No exceptions! Socks must cover shin guards

**Duration of the matches:** U5 – U8 2 - 20 minute halves  
U9 – U10 2 - 25 minute halves  
U12 – U14 2 - 30 minute halves

\* Running clock for the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> half with a five (5) Minute half-time Break. Make sure all matches start and end on time.

**No Offside Rule Applies**

**Fouls:** All fouls will result in an Indirect Free Kick, in accordance with the FIFA Laws of the game

**Free Substitution:** It will be the responsibility of the coaches to see that players play a minimum of one-half of each game. Free substitution can occur at the following times:

- Before a goal kick
- Before a throw-in
- Between halves
- Before a kick off
- After an injury
- Before the restart of Indirect Free Kick

**Goal Kicks:**

- Along goal arc
- Opposing players must be 8 yds

**Corner Kick:** opposing players 8 yds

**Scoring:**

- Goals cannot be scored by a throw-in.
- Goals cannot be scored directly by an indirect free kick.
- Goals cannot be scored directly from a kick-off
- Goals cannot be scored directly from a goal kick

**Referees:**

Coaches will officiate their own matches. If you have a referee on your team willing to perform this function – awesome! No need to dress out completely, a referee shirt and whistle will suffice. Lacking a certified referee a coach or other certified volunteer can take on this function.

Zero tolerance applies to Winter League play.

**Cautions or send-offs:** Regular laws of the game will apply for Cautions or Send offs.

2 Cautions will result in a send off. A send off for the following will result in the players expulsion from the Winter Soccer League (no hearing will be conducted):

- Send off for Violent Conduct
- Send off for Serious Foul Play
- Send off for foul and abusive language

Send off of Coach or Spectator will result in a disciplinary hearing for possible further sanctions.

**Training:**

- No mid-week training
- You may arrive early for your scheduled match and perform a warm up and brief technical training session.

As this is a Region 84 Program, all and/or any comments, questions, issues or problems should be directed via email to the Winter League Coordinator, Jon Grant, at [winterseason@ayso84.org](mailto:winterseason@ayso84.org).

**PLEASE REMEMBER THIS IS A NON-STANDINGS LEAGUE,  
WITH THE FOCUS ON PLAYER DEVELOPMENT.  
SUPPORT EACH OTHER AS COACHES AND THE PLAYERS.**

**HAVE FUN!!**