Locomotion is an AYSO Invitational Tournament – Open to all AYSO regular-season, Allstar, tournament, Select, and EXTRA teams. Locomotion offers a 4 game guarantee for your team at reasonable fees and a competitive, well organized, friendly environment. All games will be played at the Ab Brown Sports Complex in Riverside, CA. All our fields are at the same location. Our sandy soil drains very well so unlike many other tournament venues you rarely worry about getting rained out.

We Play On!

The 26th annual Riverside Locomotion Soccer Tournament is being conducted as a fund-raiser for AYSO Region 47. The funds raised will be used for training, to support our secondary teams, our primary program, and promote the 6 AYSO Philosophies. Additionally the funds will be used to maintain and improve the fields and facilities at the Ab Brown Sports Complex.

Important details: when, who, how much.......

- President’s Day Weekend – Friday, February 14 through Monday, February 17, 2020
- Open to Boys and Girls Teams, 9U, 10U, 11U, 12U, 13U, 14U, 15U and 16U.
- Rosters: 9U/10U=10 players max  11U/12U=12 players max  13U/14U=15 players max. 15U/16U=18 players max.
  9U/10U will play 7-v-7  11U/12U will play 9-v-9  13U/14U will play 11-v-11.  15U/16U will play 11-v-11*
  FORMAT FOR 15U/16U MAY DIFFER FROM “STANDARD” 11-v-11 play depending on number of teams that apply. Small sided games on smaller fields may be needed to create pools. Teams may be divided in ½ in order to allow teams to participate.

  *If your 15U/16U team is not willing to participate in a manner as described above please do not apply

- Guest players: 1 max per team. Coed teams are allowed to participate however they will compete in boys’ divisions only.
- 4-game minimum (generally 2 games Saturday, 2 games Sunday) (some LOCAL 14U and/or 16U teams may be asked to play Friday night)
- This is a Pool Play tournament; group winners will advance to medal rounds on Monday.
- All players will receive a Tournament pin and t-shirt.
- Coaches: (2 max) receive a Tournament shirt, Tournament Pin and coach gift (s).
- Teams advancing to Monday’s medal rounds will all receive medals.
- Entry Fee:  9U/10U $475  plus $350 referee deposit = $825 total cost
               11U/12U $500  plus $350 referee deposit = $850 total cost
               13U/14U $525  plus $350 referee deposit = $875 total cost
               15U/16U $600  plus $350 referee deposit = $950 total cost

- Refundable Referee Deposit: $350  (up to 4-game commitment).

We are glad you will be joining us, you won’t be sorry! We strive to make Locomotion a fun and enjoyable experience for all.
YOU MUST KNOW THE FOLLOWING PRIOR TO BEGINNING THE APPLICATION PROCESS

REGION:
Section number, area letter designation, region number, region city
RC and RRA name, email, phone number
Regional treasurer name, email, phone number and accurate mailing address

COACHES:
Coach and assistant coach names, addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, AYSO ID numbers, certification dates for CDC, safe haven and coaching certification, coach certification level and shirt sizes

TEAM:
Type of team, gender, division, team competition level

REFEREES:
Names, addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, AYSO ID numbers, certification dates for CDC, safe haven, referee certification, level of referee certification, comfort levels for referee assignments and shirt sizes

WHAT'S THE NEXT STEP?

1. Go to LOCOMOTION47.ORG and follow all prompts to properly fill in and submit your team application, upload your team roster and referee crew.

2. If you don’t know who all your players are yet, then complete the Team Application Form with the basic team information and get your RC to approve your team coming to the tournament. Send this in with your entry fee and we will reserve a spot for your team. Later, when you have your team put together, you can submit your final roster. You must submit an RC approved roster by Jan 31, 2019. If you have any last minute changes you can bring your final roster to the Team Registration meeting just prior to the tournament. The Team Registration meeting will be the very last opportunity to submit roster changes and must be RC approved.

4. Recruit three qualified referees. These should be other adult (or youth) volunteer referees. Youths participating in the tournament will not be allowed to referee. Fill out the online referee form with the names, etc. of the referees who will be coming to the tournament and once submitted your RRA will approve or deny them accordingly thru our online application (email).

5. For teams who meet the minimum referee commitment, a refund of the referee deposit will be made within 14 days of completion of the tournament. Partial refunds may be given for partial fulfillment at the Tournament Referee Administrators discretion.

6. Collect your tournament entry fee and referee deposit from your Regional Treasurer.

- Send a single Regional check for the entry fee / referee deposit along with a copy of your completed online application. The mailed application must accompany the check and be signed by the coach acknowledging he/she is aware of competition level and is aware of the tournament rules. **DO NOT SEND A CHECK WITHOUT A COPY OF THE APPLICATION SIGNED BY THE COACH**
- Regional check made out payable to AYSO Region 47

Send the check and forms to:
Riverside Locomotion
PO Box 2308
Riverside, CA 92516

Other questions? You can contact us at: Email: Locomotion@ayso47.org

PREFERRED FORM OF COMMUNICATION

Structure
Teams will be grouped into one or more groups per division. Teams will play a minimum of four games – typically two games on Saturday, 2 games on Sunday and possibly Friday evening games. In divisions where we have sufficient teams, we will bracket into multiple flights. Pool play winners will then advance to play medal-round games on Monday.

Acceptance guidelines: **APPLICATION SUBMITTAL DEADLINE IS JANUARY 13, 2020**

Teams are accepted on a first-come basis, based on properly completed/submitted tournament application and availability of a spot for competition, (including RC approved roster, team application form, electronically submitted referee information form and entry fee check). No teams will be marked as accepted into tournament until a coach signed application and full payment has been received. Referee teams are obviously needed to properly run a tournament, teams not supplying a referee crew could possibly have that fact affect their acceptance status. Applications will begin to be accepted starting on December 1, 2019. Teams will be notified of acceptance status via email and/or online application site. Teams not accepted will be placed on a wait list status unless they request not to be placed on the wait list, in which case we will mail their application and check back to their Region within 5 “business” days of an official emailed request to be refunded and removed from waitlist. Teams withdrawing from the tournament before January 14, 2020 will receive a full refund. After that, any registered team selected for
participation in this tournament that elected not to participate in the tournament—for whatever reason—once acceptance notification has been made may forfeit its registration fee (unless a substitute team is available to take the position). All received checks will be cashed upon receipt.

**Tournament Rules**
A full set of tournament rules is available for download from our website at [LOCOMOTION47.ORG](http://LOCOMOTION47.ORG).

**Parking at Ab Brown Sports Complex**
With the large number of participants that typically attend Locomotion, we must impose some parking restrictions. A limited number of free parking passes will be provided to each team; a few additional parking passes may be purchased in advance for a nominal fee. More information will be provided once your team is accepted.

**Please Note:**
Web and email will be the primary means of communication for the Locomotion Tournament. Acceptance notifications will be done via the online application system, schedules, etc. will be sent out via the web or email. Teams are required to designate a Team Contact who has email and web access and checks it daily. **ALL TOURNAMENT COMMUNICATION WILL BE THROUGH THE TEAM CONTACT ON APPLICATION.**

Attention: Locomotion sells out early every year. Don’t Delay! Don’t Miss Out! Get your completed application in – NOW!

All tournament forms are available for download from the Locomotion website at [LOCOMOTION47.ORG](http://LOCOMOTION47.ORG).