

# 2016 GRPR Outdoor Soccer

## Program Goals

- Sportsmanship is our #1 Goal
- Participation: Each player plays a minimum of two entire quarters per game. Coaches have the option of rewarding players who have been to practice with additional playing time (play for more than two quarters)
- Have fun
- Develop basic skills of the game
- Have a safe environment in which to participate
- No record of wins and losses or league standings

## Parental/Spectator Expectations

- Be a role model for good sportsmanship
- Remember this program is for the children
- Cheer and encourage your child and other players
- Support coaches and officials
- Let the coaches do the coaching
- Pick up your child from practices and games on time
- Notify on the coaches if your child is not able to attend a practice or game



## Program Information and Dates

- Practices are scheduled to begin the week of July 11. Teams may practice twice this week. Practices are for one hour.
- Games begin the week of July 18 and conclude the week of August 15. Teams will play one to two games per week and practice once (if a team has two games during the week, teams may decide not have a practice).
- All games and practices are scheduled Monday through Thursday evenings at Zehawi Fields. Games are scheduled at 5:30 PM and 6:30 PM. Practices are scheduled by coaches between 3:30-8:30 PM.

## Player Equipment

- Players wear reversible blue/white soccer jersey purchased at the Recreation Center at the time of registration (may use jersey from previous soccer seasons).
- Players wear their own shorts or sweatpants. Pants with zippers, rivets, or belts are not allowed. Players can use tennis shoes or soccer shoes. Tennis shoes are preferred for the Preschool/Kindergarten age group for safety concerns.
- No jewelry- please remove before playing.

## Coach Meeting Dates

- **Coach Meeting:** Schedule practices and pictures. Receive official rosters, schedules, and ball bags. Wednesday, June 29, anytime from 3:30 PM to 6:30 PM in the Warming Room at the Recreation Center.

**New: Free On-Line Soccer Resource:** All coaches, parents, and players will have access to a free on-line resource for drills and practice/game preparation (illustrations and video). An e-mail will be sent with the password when this becomes available.

## When Players Should Be Contacted

- Coaches should contact players on or before Wednesday, July 6. Please call the Recreation front desk at 872-0511 or Kevin Sadler at 707-2688 if you have not been contacted by the evening of July 6.

*Contact Kevin Sadler at 307-872-0515 or 307-707-2688 with any questions or concerns*