



North Bay Youth Soccer Club



Registration Newsletter 2012

Registration

**** WEBSITE REGISTRATION ****

We will be posting the 2012 Registration forms and the Participation Agreement to our web page.

Please go to: northbayyouthsoccerclub.com

It would be appreciated if you use 2-sided printing i.e. the Registration on side 1 and the Participation Agreement on side 2. This will minimize the amount of paper and handling. These two forms must remain together.

Fill in all information and mail with payment to:

P.O. Box 7, North Bay, P1G 8G8

NBYSC will only accept cash or cheque. Please make cheques payable to: **North Bay Youth Soccer Club**

The registration form is not valid unless it is signed by an authorized NBYSC representative therefore those parents requesting a receipt for tax purposes can pick them up at the NBYSC office.

**** OFFICE REGISTRATION ****

• Soccer Office in West Ferris Arena

Every Saturday in March: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 pm.

Daily: April 1st to April 5th: 10:00Am to 4:00pm

At the following businesses during regular business hours (February 1 to April 07th inclusive)

- **Robinson's Pharmasave** –2547 Trout Lake Rd
- **La Piazza Pizza** – Main St., Callander (Callander Square Mall) *cheques only*
- **JUST SPORTS**- 34 Champlain Street

You can pick up and drop off at these businesses.

Registration will end on April 07, 2012

After April 07, 2012 take all registrations to the Youth Soccer Office and YOU will be put on a waiting list with no guarantee of placement.

Post-dated cheques will not be accepted.

After **May 31, 2012** there will be **NO REFUND** on registration fees.

Note: If you are a new player a copy of your birth certificate must accompany all registration forms.

**** KIDSPORT ****

If you are planning on applying for Kidsport funds to assist with Registration or equipment cost, please submit your application to the Kidsport office (2nd floor City Hall) at the Parks & Recreation office or call 705-474-0626 Ext. 328 prior to March 12, 2012.

Soccer School

The Rapides Soccer School and the Challenger Sport Camp will run daily Monday, July 2 to Friday July 6th. Please register early as there is limited enrollment. Rapides registration will be at the Youth Soccer Office and Challenger Sports Camp on line. See our website for more details.

The North Bay Youth Soccer Club Office

The Youth Soccer Office is located in the West Ferris Arena (front entrance on right-hand side, on second floor) and will be open for business early in April. **Phone: 705-494-7388**

e-mail: youthsoccernorthbay@bellnet.ca

The hours of business are expected to be Monday through Friday 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (Call Soccer Office for current updates on hours of operation.)

Youth Referees

While North Bay has experienced a huge growth in players, the same cannot be said for the number of qualified referees. We are looking for young men and women interested in working evenings for 2-3 hours and on some weekends. They can earn from \$12.50 to \$25.00 per game, usually in two game blocks each evening. If you are mature; have good people skills and an understanding of the game, please contact North Bay Youth Soccer Office for information on refereeing.

Coaches

HELP! We need coaches! All of the coaches are volunteers. They are the ones who determine whether your son or daughter has a successful season , not necessarily by winning but by learning something about sportsmanship , teamwork, and by learning some soccer skills at the same time. If these are your priorities, you should volunteer to coach a team. Each spring the soccer committee has to scramble for coaches. Some people coach more than one team; it is a lot to ask an individual to do this. If you are thinking about coaching, please give a member of our committee a call and get information on what is required as a commitment for the summer. Shared coaching positions are also a great idea; get a friend or neighbor to help. **A POLICE CHECK is MANDATORY** and NBYSC will cover the cost.

Coaches wanting verification of their records, visit this website:

www.coach.ca

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Coaching Clinics

The Ontario Soccer Association are introducing new coaching standards, North Bay Youth Soccer Club will be hosting clinics at the Active Start, Fundamentals and Learn to Train. Please call our office for more information on these valuable clinics.

If you are coaching for North Bay Youth Soccer Club there is no cost to you.

**** THE 2012 SEASON ****

In 2008 we started a 3 vs 3 program for 4 and 5 yr olds. As we continue to build on the success of this program all 4 and 5 year olds will once again play 3 vs 3. This program gives your child a greater opportunity to touch the ball and develop their individual skills while having FUN. In 2011 the U6 league played 4 vs 4. We will be looking at making changes in the U7 league to 5 vs 5 in 2012.

PERSONAL REQUESTS FOR PLAYERS

AGES 4 TO 8 YEARS

We will try to accommodate one (1) request on your registration form; if you put on two (2) requests the first one will be given priority.

No **coach** or **night** requests please. Once the team has been **registered**, if a parent requests that their child be moved, there will be a charge of **\$20.00** to reassign them to a new team. We have, in the past, been overwhelmed with hundreds of requests and making changes to teams requires a great deal of time. We ask for your co-operation in this matter. When the mini soccer teams are picked (ages 5 to 8 year olds) we do our best to meet parent's requests that siblings, friends and neighbors children play on the same teams. **This is done if the children are in the same age category.** In some cases we will move a child up into the next age group if requested by the parents. This is usually only done so that siblings can play on the same team. **We will not move a child up two age groups.**

AGES 9 TO 18 YEARS

New: At the request of our coaches a coach can only protect their child. **All other additions to the team will be made by a draw. We will only consider requests to play with a friend if both players request each other. Only one request is allowed.**

General Information

****** PICTURES ******

Please call your coaches if you have not had team pictures taken by July; we need **team photos** for *Sponsor Plaques* and the Nugget's *Boys and Girls of Summer* publication.

Travelling

There may be some travelling required to Sturgeon Falls for some of the U11 to U18 games.

Team Selection & Start of Play

Selection will occur during the first two weeks of May. The team lists will then go to the team coaches. Therefore all players will be contacted after May 21st. If your child has not been contacted by the end of May, please call the Youth Soccer Office so we can assist you. The **U9 to U18** leagues will start play the week of May 28th. The **U6 to U8** leagues will start the week of June 4th.

2012 Youth Committee

- Sue Knight *President*
- Howie Eldon *Vice President*
- Marsha Bower *Treasurer*
- June Kennedy *Secretary*
- Dennis Restoule *Registrar*

Directors

- Angel Beaulieu
- Doug Cameron
- Paul Cook
- Chris Kelly
- Arlene O'Donnell
- Joan Restoule
- Julie Quevillon
- Sean Severin

Soccer Concerns and Issues

North Bay Youth Soccer is run by a volunteer Youth Committee and we attempt to run a quality program, but realize due to the large number of volunteers involved such as coaches, managers, etc., sometimes problems can arise. The Youth Committee will do its best to address any concerns or complaints that you may have with regards to your child's soccer experience. Please feel free to approach them with any questions or concerns, or contact the Soccer Office at 705-494-7388 and someone will be happy to assist you with your problem or concern.

End of the Year Barbecues

Parents ! Please note that all soccer players are entitled to come to the Barbecues and receive a free Hot Dog (or) a Hamburger and a drink. This fun day is for all soccer players. Check your schedule for this date.

The **Tim Horton's Jamboree** will be held on Saturday, August 18th and the U9 to U16 will be held on Saturday, September 8th; please mark these dates on your calendar.

New: U18 boys and U18 girls finals will be held earlier to accommodate those players off to university. Time and place to be announced.

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