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Have a suggestion for the Website or Sweeper? email the MYS Communications Director thomas_oakley@yahoo.com
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Calendar

Date	Event	Location	Time
06/10/2007	House League Tournament Games - Game Dates	Various	All Day
06/15/2007	Fall 2007 Registration Begins	N/A	N/A
6/22-6/23/2007	Ambassadors Cup	Lewinsville Park	All Day
6/27/2007	Board of Directors Meeting	McLean Comm. Ctr.	7:30 PM

[View the complete MYS calendar online](#)

VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED!

Get Involved! MYS is looking for volunteers to work on the Board, with the travel leagues and help with other club activities. If you have a passion for soccer, helping kids, or just want to get involved please contact Maureen Dalbec at mdalbec@gmail.com. We have opportunities in our house and travel programs, so please consider getting involved in MYS.

Ambassadors Cup - The organizing committee is looking for volunteers to help coordinate logistics and organize teams for the upcoming tournament at the end of the next month, June the 22nd and the 23rd. If you have a couple of hours, want to have some fun and get some global exposure e-mail Tom Oakley at Thomas_Oakley@yahoo.com to enlist. We already have a few but we need some more so please consider giving some time for a good cause!

AMBASSADORS CUP

McLean Youth Soccer is hosting the 2nd Annual "Ambassador's Cup." We are getting great a turnout and this event promises to be a weekend of great soccer competition and international exposure. Over 12 Washington Embassies and teams from the US State Department are signed up and we want you to come out and watch!

Come on out to the tournament - June 22nd and 23rd – at Lewisville Park to watch great soccer, sample a variety of food and get involved with our international community. Jambo!

TRAVEL TRY OUTS

Please be aware that try outs for travel teams are continuing. Please check the website for all possible teams but note the ones below as well .

GIRLS

U11 (rising U12)	Girls	Fury	Fall
Two of the Fury teams play in WAGS and one plays in the ODSL League. The team pages are located at http://www.mcleansoccer.org/web/baserenderer.aspx?menuid=846 . Please direct any questions to Jackie Gose at jdragose@verizon.net .			
June 8th	5:30 PM	7:00 PM	Cap One South
June 11th	5:30 PM	7:00 PM	LP2

Rising U11	Girls	Challengers	Fall 2007
The McLean Premier Soccer (MPS) travel program will hold tryouts for four rising U11 girls teams			

for Fall 2007 -- two in WAGS and two in ODSL. Players not currently in the MPS program are encouraged to attend all three try out sessions so they can be fully assessed. If you need more information, please contact coach John Guidi at 703/585-4353 or guidij@saic.com More information about MPS and directions to the fields - www.mcleansoccer.org.

June 11 th	5:30 to	7:00	MYS Field
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Rising U14	Girls	ODSL Teams	Fall 2007
MYS currently has two ODSL teams in this age group and is considering forming an additional rising U14 team for the Fall 2007 season. The Liberty and Bravehearts are both Division 1 ODSL teams dedicated to developing strong technical skills and good sportsmanship. Practices are hard work but fun! Interested players should note the MYS ODSL teams have scheduled joint tryouts on the dates indicated below. If you have additional questions, or wish to pre-register for tryouts please contact Maureen Dalbec at mdalbec@gmail.com or Karen Holderman at Karen.Holderman@cox.net .			
June 12	5:30 p.m. to	7:00 p.m.	Capital One North
June 15	5:30 p.m. to	7:00 p.m.	LP #2

Rising U14	Girls	Strikers	Fall 2007
The Strikers, WAGS Div. 1, are looking to add talented, committed players at various positions. Players who would like to develop their skills in a challenging, fun environment, and compete at the highest level, are encouraged to attend tryouts. For more information about the team, please visit the Strikers' web site at http://www.mcleansoccer.org/web/baserenderer.aspx?menuid=948 . Preregistration before tryouts is strongly encouraged. For any questions, or to preregister, please contact Mollie Maresco, Team Manager at maresco@aol.com or 703.448.8176.			
June 11	7:00PM to	8:30 pm	LP #2
June 13	7:00PM to	8:30 pm	LP #2

Rising U15	Girls	Grasshoppers	Fall 2007
The WAGSL Division 1 Grasshoppers are holding open tryouts on the following dates and times. For more information please call Coach Helen Long at (703)442-6689 or email at kevinhelenlong@verizon.net .			
Jun 12 th	7:00PM to	8:30PM	Capital One North
Jun 13 th	5:30PM to	7:00PM	LP #2
Jun 14 th	5:30PM to	7:00PM	MYS Field

Rising U15	Girls	Force	Fall 2007
We are a fun, but competitive, group of girls who played in WAGS, Div 5 during the Spring season. Questions should be directed to the team manager, Elaine Varner, emvarner@verizon.net .			
June 12 th	5:30PM to	7:00PM	LP# 2
June 14 th	5:30PM to	7:00PM	LP# 2

BOYS

Rising U10	Boys	MPS Legend Green/White/Gold	Fall 2007
McLean MPS Rising U10 Boys teams Legend Green (NCSL), White (NCSL) and Gold (ODSL) will be holding joint tryouts for the upcoming Fall '07 season on the following schedule. Please contact Coach Yuri Bogdanov (703-898-9066) with any questions about the program.			
June 8 th	5:30PM to	7:00PM	Lemon Road ES
June 9 th	4:00PM to	5:30PM	MYS field
Rain out date: June 12 th	6:00PM to	7:30PM	MYS field

TEAM WEBSITES

Did you know that your house or travel team can host a team website for free on the he MYS website? Last fall, many house league teams created some interesting sites, check out the Silver Dolphins, the Green Snakes, the Blue Devils etc. [here](#). Travel team websites are accessible via the top menu choice "Travel Teams" and then selecting "Team Websites." If you are interested in learning how to create and manage a team website, please contact romanowskig@gmail.com

SOCCER EVENTS OF INTEREST

Washington Freedom. The 2007 Washington Freedom season, which gets underway this week with their home opening weekend on Saturday, June 9th and Sunday, June 10th at the Maryland SoccerPlex in Germantown. The Freedom is playing in the W-League, the top women's league in the country. A new and improved Fan Fest will be open 90 minutes prior to the start of each home game, featuring face painters, interactive soccer skill challenges, and prize giveaways. Each night 3-A-Day of Dairy is giving out a limited edition player card featuring one of the Washington Freedom stars. Tickets are only \$10 each, or \$8 each for groups of 20 or more. Visit their web site at www.washingtonfreedom.com for the most up-to-date news and information on the team.

McDonalds McSoccerfest. McDonald's McSoccerfest will take place June 30-July1 at the Northrop Fields at Covenant Park in Columbia MD. This 4-on-4 soccer tournament for youths aged 5 through 16 and adults with divisions based on age, gender, and ability is one of the largest youth soccer event in the Mid-Atlantic region. McDonald's McSoccerfest also features interactive soccer challenges that will help foster the tournament's "festival" atmosphere. For more information go to <http://www.mcsoccerfest2007.com>

MYS/COS SUMMER PROGRAMS

It isn't too early to starting make plans for summer. The MYS/Curt Onalfo Summer Training Program, now in its eighth year, features morning, afternoon and evening skills training sessions this summer, with convenient locations at local MYS fields in the McLean area. The 2007 schedule is now online and open for early registration. Visit www.teamcos.net/summer.php for more information.

LOST AND FOUND

Items are listed on the MYS website: www.mcleansoccer.org/lostandfound

PHOTO AND STORY OF THE WEEK



Above: State Cup Champions MPS Olympic (U-13) coached by Trevor Parker

Story: MPS Olympic Brings Home the Medals After Close State Cup Contest

The MPS Olympic U-13 boys won the Virginia State Cup in an electrifying finish on Wednesday night by defeating SYA Nova in penalty kicks following a 1-1 tie. The Olympic, coached by Trevor Parker, moved to the finals in Virginia Beach last weekend after winning a hard-fought overtime match versus Reston NOVA FC '93. Coach Parker has been assisted in the run for the State Cup by future team coach David Kenna.

While celebrating the victory at a Prince William eatery on Wednesday, news came from Richmond that the MPS U-14 Hurricanes had also taken the State Cup at their age level. Both teams are off to Portland, Maine at the end of the month to compete in the regional playoffs.

[Learn how](#) to upload your soccer photos to the MYS website, and create a link for just your team's photos.

[View the entire MYS photostream](#)

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