

Hello Coaches, Parents and Players,

We have three more games left before we wrap up our fall season. It had been a rocky start but with all your help, cooperation and patience, our season is going great.

Pictures are ready for distribution on Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup> from 8 am to 2 pm at DePaoli Middle School.

We have trophies for U5, 6 and 7 players and dog tags for U8 and up players. This will also be distributed on Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup> at DePaoli from 8 am to 2 pm.

The **registration for our spring season** will start this Saturday, Oct. 15. Please go to our website, [gbysl.org](http://gbysl.org), click on Sierra Recreational and go to the link to register your child. The fee will remain the same, \$90.00. There is a \$5.00 discount for the third child. If you are a returning player, we won't need a copy of your birth certificate. If you are new to the league, you have to provide us with a copy of your child's birth certificate.

If you wish to return with the same team you are with for the fall season, please give your registration form with a check for \$90.00 made payable to GBYSL to your current coach.

To the returning coaches, please gather your players registration form and turn it in with a team worksheet. You can find this on the Sierra Rec tab. Please complete the worksheet with your information, your assistant coach and team manager plus the player's name, date of birth, your practice field, day and time preference. Also indicate if you wish the league to fill your roster. You can drop off your team packet at DePaoli on Oct. 22 and Oct.29 from 8 am to 2 pm. We are going to be at Soccer City on Nov. 16 from 5:30-8 pm if you wish to drop it off then. You may also mail it at GBYSL Recreational Division PO Box 11931 Reno NV 89510.

To our U5 players, you can hand your registration form plus the check to the field marshal at DePaoli on Oct. 29. If you wish to use your fall uniform for our spring season, you will only need to pay \$80.00. You can also mail your registration to PO Box 11931 Reno NV 89510.

To our Street Soccer players, you can hand your registration form plus the check to Jimmy Huynh on your last game at Terrace on Oct. 29. If you wish to use your fall uniform for our spring season, you will only need to pay \$80.00. You can also mail your registration form to PO Box 11931 Reno NV 89510.

Coach, you will receive a confirmation from the Sierra Rec Administrator after your team is processed so you can notify your players of your team practices and game schedule. If you have multiple teams, the league will do the best it can to accommodate your different teams schedule. You will also need to upload your picture for your coach badge.

If you wish to coach in the spring season please do your background check when you register your child. The link for the background check is on the website. It cost \$6.00 and is good for two years.

We are going to adhere to the maximum roster size of teams starting this spring season. Please do not ask for special request.

U5 – 8 players	Plays 4 V 4
U6 – 8 players	Plays 4 V 4
U7 – 10 players	Plays 5 V 5
U8 – 10 players	Plays 6 V 6
U9 – 12 players	Plays 7 V 7
U10 – 12 players	Plays 8 V 8
U11 – 12 players	Plays 8 V 8
U12 – 12 players	Plays 8 V 8

Players can only play one year up. If you have players wanting to play 2 years up, please fill out the form “Request to play 2 years up” (you can find this on the Sierra Rec tab) and mail it to GBYSL with a check for \$50.00. We are going to send a qualified coach to your first game to evaluate the player. If the evaluator recommends the player to not play two years up, we will have to remove the player from your team and move the player to a lower division.

Please put the following dates on your calendar. This is for our spring season.

Oct. 15	Spring Registration Starts
Nov. 16	Team packet drop off at Soccer City 5:30-8 pm
Dec. 31	Last day of spring registration (has to be postmarked this day)
Feb. 13	Rosters are released to coaches
March 3	Coach meeting plus uniform distribution (Uniforms are to be picked by the coach or team official only. Coach will will distribute to players U5 and Street Soccer uniform distribution Place and time to be announced
March 5	Practice starts (weather permitting)
March 17	First game
March 24	Second game
March 31	Third game
April 7	No game (spring break)
April 14	Fourth game
April 21	Kohl’s Cu, Soccer Fest and Picture Day (details to follow)
April 28	Fifth game
May 5	Sixth game
May 12	Seventh game Picture and award distribution
May 19	Eighth game (end of the season)

International Soccer club has a 3 V 3 tournament on March 17 and 18 and Sagebrush Soccer Club has the Start Up Tournament on March 24 and 25. These are both local tournaments that our U10 and up teams can participate in. If you are going to this tournament, please let me know right away so we can schedule your league game sometime during the weekday of the weekend of the tournament. I also need time to print your player cards.

I know this is a lengthy letter but hopefully it answered your questions.

You can always call me at 338-4697 or by email at [recreationaladmin@gbysl.org](mailto:recreationaladmin@gbysl.org). This is a new email address. The email [gbyslsierrarec@yahoo.com](mailto:gbyslsierrarec@yahoo.com) will be discontinued starting November 30, 2011.

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