

USR RECREATIONAL SOCCER PROGRAM FALL 2014

Online Registration at Home.

Photo Drop-Off Saturday, March 15th and Saturday, March 29th
9:00am – noon at Borough Hall

Our program is an excellent recreational program supplemented with professional clinics for resident children and children of town employees and is sponsored by the USR Recreation Commission.

Instructions:

- 1) Register your child online starting March 12, 2014. See link at www.usrsoccer.org.
 - a. Identify how you can volunteer (even just 1 day during the season) during registration.
- 2) Deliver Photos at Borough Hall: Grades 3-12 only. Bring a wallet-sized head shot to Borough Hall on March 15 or 29 between 9:00 and noon. NO PHOTO, NO REGISTRATION.

Registration Fees:

The cost for each program is \$100 per child up to 2 children (\$200). Additional children are \$50 each (maximum \$250 per family). After registration is closed on March 29, the fee will be \$150 per child. The cap of \$250 per family will not apply to late registrations.

PLEASE DO NOT MISS THE SIGN-UP DATES. Open registration closes March 29. If space is available, late signups may be accepted at a cost of **\$150 per child** after March 29. Teams are formed and the rosters are forwarded to the league on May 1st. Once this is done, new teams cannot be formed. **After April 31st, any new registrants are not guaranteed placement on a team and will be placed based on space availability.**

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Kinder Soccer:

The Kinder Soccer program is limited to children entering Kindergarten in September 2014. The program runs for 8 weeks with hour long Saturday sessions beginning approximately the 2nd weekend after Labor Day. Each Saturday clinic is run by professional trainers. Volunteer coaches aid the trainers in conducting soccer drills and organizing the children. Tee shirts and soccer balls are provided. The program is an excellent opportunity for parents to learn more about soccer and to become involved in their child's play from the start. Parents should volunteer at this level if they plan to coach or assistant coach in the upper soccer divisions. The clinic is designed not only to teach the children the basics of soccer, but also to train parent coaches proper coaching techniques.

Instructional (1st and 2nd Grade):

This program is for children entering the 1st and 2nd grades in September 2014. Organized clinics run by professional trainers are held weekly beginning the 1st or 2nd week after school starts. Parent coaches will attend the clinics with their teams. The girls' teams will play Saturday mornings and the boys' teams will play Sunday afternoons. Additional team practices are scheduled and conducted by the volunteer coach and assistants. Game shirts, shorts, and socks will be provided.

Travel League (3rd – 12th Grade):

This program is held for children entering the 3rd thru 12th grades in September 2014. Girls' teams play Saturdays (9:15 or 11 AM) and boys' teams play Sunday afternoons (1:15 or 3 PM) beginning the 1st weekend after school starts. We will have a co-ed high school team for players in the 9th through 12th grades that will play Sunday afternoons (1:15 or 3 PM). Game shirts, shorts, and socks will be provided.

Special Instruction:

The Special Instruction Soccer clinic is for children in kindergarten through 6th grade. The program is for children with disabilities. Clinics are held on Saturday afternoons for an hour. Contact Joe Abbatiello at jabbatiello@verizon.net or (917) 744-4415 for more information about this program.

Coaches:

Head coaches and assistants are needed for all grades. Experience is helpful, but not required. Please indicate your interest during online registration.