



# The Torch

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TODAY  
IS  
GIVING  
TUESDAY



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*Springfield South County Youth Club*

AS YOUR NON PROFIT GIFT RECIPIENT  
TODAY on GIVING TUESDAY!

## #GivingTuesday Today is the Day!

Giving Tuesday is a day dedicated to generosity and giving. It's a day to acknowledge the power of giving! Please join us on this day when our communities and businesses come together to support the greater good. SYC's dedication to providing young athletes with opportunities to play sports, have fun, and get out there moving around is more vital now than ever before. Please consider making a financial contribution today. Together, we can make the world a better place for everyone by "Keeping Kids Playing Sports"!

**Make a Contribution  
HERE**

## OPEN REGISTRATIONS

### ANNUAL SPORTS

[Travel Soccer Tryouts](#)

### WINTER SPORTS

[Powerlifting](#) - NEW Session Opened!

[Track Clinics](#)  
[Track](#)  
[Boys Lacrosse Clinic](#)  
[Girls Lacrosse Clinic](#)

## SPRING SPORTS

[Boys Lacrosse](#)  
[Girls Lacrosse](#)  
[Rec Soccer](#) - JUST OPENED!  
[U5 Cubs Soccer](#) - JUST OPENED!  
[Pee Wee Kickers Soccer](#) - JUST OPENED!

## FEATURED SPORT



**SYC SPRING  
REC SOCCER**

REGISTER TODAY!

Spring Rec Soccer registration is NOW OPEN! Register today to get the BEST PRICING OF THE SEASON! Pee Wee Kickers and U5 Cubs are also OPEN for registration. Let's get all the kids at every age out on the field this spring.

[Read More about Rec Soccer](#)

[Read More about U5 Cubs](#)

[Read More about Pee Wee Kickers](#)

[Register Here](#)

## NEWS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

**Debbie Forcht is Retiring!**



This month we say goodbye to SYC's longtime volunteer and employee Debbie Forcht! Debbie is an amazing volunteer who single-handedly started our volleyball program back in 2000 and served as the first volleyball commissioner. She developed a summer league, volleyball logo, travel volleyball and other volleyball initiatives that are still practiced today.

Debbie was elected to the SYC Board of Directors In 2000 and served on several committees before becoming SYC's treasurer in 2006. She won the prestigious SYC Westlein Award for volunteering in 2015 and joined SYC as a part-time employee in 2016. As a paid employee, Debbie created and implemented scholarship tracking and other financial processes that have made a tremendous difference in administrative efficiency. It is an understatement to say that Debbie's contributions as an employee will be missed!

It's not often that such a dedicated person remains so steadfastly committed to bettering SYC, and we are very fortunate to have had Debbie's presence at SYC for so many years. We wish Debbie well in her retirement where she will continue volunteering and traveling to spend as much time as possible with her grandkids. Thank you Debbie!

## Updates from the Rugby Commissioner



Great news! Our Poinsettia Fundraiser raised almost \$1,700. Thank you so much for your generosity!

A special thanks to Letetia and Keith for helping us check temperatures before practice...and thanks to the coaching staff! Coaches Sarah, KC, Mark, Jim, Phil, and I are so proud that West End/SYC Rugby had teams and players in every grade group that Rugby Virginia offered. We're the only club that did! We helped all players improve skills, fitness, and Rugby IQ; the coaches enjoyed working with them and especially getting to know the new players. West End/SYC

Rugby is strong in many ways, but providing opportunity is where we distinguish ourselves, for girls and boys in ALL grade groups. We're hopeful to offer off-season training in February and March. Thanks again for joining us this fall...we loved it!



This is it! The large umbrella and the tumbler are our most popular items! Take a look and order by midnight tonight! All items will be delivered around 12/17.

Please help SYC "Keep Kids Playing Sports"!

[Start Shopping Here!](#)

## IN THE COMMUNITY



*Santa's Ride*  
*Toy Drive*  
Saturday, December  
5, 2020  
10:00AM-1:00PM  
West Springfield District Station  
6140 Rolling Road  
Springfield, VA 22152



# WOLF TRAP *Holiday Sing-A-Long* FROM HOME

Featuring "The President's Own"  
United States Marine Band

DEC 5 + 19 | 4 PM



## Wolf Trap Holiday Sing-A-Long From Home | Wolf Trap

Location Virtual Performance Free Streaming 12/5 + 12/19 Kick-off the holiday season with family and friends with Wolf Trap's Holiday Sing-A-Long From Home! Wolf Trap Foundation for the Performing Arts is pleased to continue the longstanding...

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