Registration Overview

With over 500 players participating each season, BHYSC (Barbers Hill Youth Soccer Club), South Texas Youth Soccer Association (STYSA, and United States Youth Soccer (USYSA). We have two seasons a year, one in the fall that typically runs from September through November, and our spring season which generally starts in late February and finishes in early May. Our leagues are for birth years 2003-2015, although the number of registrants can dictate our ability to create a league. For all ages, we generally have two practice during the week and one game on the weekend. At the conclusion of each season, we'll host playoffs at the end of the season for division U8. Shorts, jersey, socks and soccer ball will be provided by the league, shoes and shinguards should be provided by the parent. For any other info, please contact barbershillyouthsoccer@gmail.com Get your gear on and we'll see you on the fields!

Q: How can I register my child to play soccer with Barbers Hill Youth Soccer Club?

A: Online registration is available from June-August for Fall soccer and from December-January for Spring soccer. A link for registration will be posted on the front page of the soccer web site during these times www.barbershillyouthsoccer.org. Payment and copies of birth certificates are due by January 24th and if not received will delay and possibly deny placement of your player on a team. A non-refundable \$10 late fee will be charged if documents are not in the office by January 24th. If you are not a resident in the city of Mont Belvieu, it is your responsibility to fill out an online form to state that Barbers Hill Youth Soccer Club is your home association. This is the same process followed by all soccer associations under BAYSA & ELHYSA. BHYSC will not do this on your behalf. Please go to www.gotsport.com/forms/open/Default.ASP?FormID=1215 to fill out this form now. You can also find this link on our registration page. You may also contact the Registrar for assistance by email at barbershillyouthsoccer@gmail.com

Q: If I registered last season, do I have to register again?

A:Yes. Before your child may play soccer each season, you must complete a new registration and submit it to BHYSC via the online portal. You may re-enter using your previous username & password, simplifying the process.

Q: Can my child enroll this season if he/she has never played soccer before or has limited experience?

A:Yes, all children are welcome. Recreational soccer is an open environment, which includes players of all skill levels and experience.

O: What day / time will my child practices be and how long are they?

A: Team practice days and times are set by coaches. The association has no knowledge of these and therefore cannot grant requests for specific practice nights. NOTE: Any conflicts with practice times/ days should be resolved between the player/parent and the coach of your team. There will be no trading or swapping of players between teams due to practice conflicts.

The following rules apply to practice: (excerpt from our Rules and Regulations document)

- 5.1.1. Players may not participate in more than two (2) practice sessions per week except as authorized by the Age Group Director.
- 5.1.2. All practice sessions shall be limited to one (1) hour of physical activity per practice.
- 5.1.3. The U5, U6, & U8 shall be limited to maximum of forty-five (45) minutes of physical activity per practice.

Q: Can I request my child play soccer on a team with a friend?

A: Board members will form teams.

Q: Can my children practice on the same night?

A: Siblings in the same division will be placed on the same team unless otherwise requested by the parent. Otherwise, the only way to control a practice day/time is to coach the team.

Q: What if I want my child to play soccer, but we already know there will be conflicts with the soccer schedule:

A: Many families have schedule conflicts throughout the season. If there will be many times that your child will not be able to make training or games, perhaps soccer may not be appropriate at this time. A few conflicts may usually be worked out with the coach in advance without disrupting the team or play. Please discuss known conflicts with your coach as soon as they become apparent to you.

O: When will I know if my child is registered, what team they are on, and other details about the season?

A: After registration ends in January or August, Board members will be busy organizing the registration & assisting Coaches with setting up the soccer season. In the week following registration closing Coaches will contact their players. You may contact the appropriate age-level commissioner if you have not been notified a week ahead of the first game.

Q: What do I do about obtaining a uniform for my child?

A: Jerseys are provided to each player every Fall and to new players in the Spring. A jersey, shorts, socks and soccer ball will be provided by the league, the player's guardian is responsible for providing the shin guards and cleats. Soccer ball sizes per age:

U6 thru U8 groups - Size 3 U9 thru U12 groups - Size 4