




Welcome to Region 47 Team Parent/Manager Meeting U6-U8

Thank You for Volunteering!



AYSO REGION 47

**VOLUNTEER
INTRODUCTIONS**



The AYSO Mission is to develop and deliver quality youth soccer programs where everyone builds positive character through participation in a fun, fair, safe, family environment based on the AYSO philosophies:

- **Everyone Plays**
- Balanced Teams
- **Positive Coaching**
- Open Registration
- **Good Sportsmanship**
- Player Development

AYSO - 100% VOLUNTEER

Parents, we know you are busy, we're parents too — we get it, the fact remains, we are an all-volunteer organization, **no one is paid**— and no one has unlimited time. The only way to keep it running is for you, personally, to help.

You do not need experience, we will train you and give you the tools and support you need. Whether you volunteer for your team, division, region or board, we need your help and support.

- **AYSO IS 100% VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION**
- **THE REGION IS 100% VOLUNTEERING**
- **OUR VOLUNTEERS / BOARD OR STAFF GET PAID**
- **THE BOARD DOES NOT GET DISCOUNTS FOR VOLUNTEERING.**

AYSO PROGRAM REGION 47

- **CORE PROGRAMS**

- **FALL SEASON**

August – November

- **SPRING SEASON –
CO-ED**

March - June

- **SECONDARY PROGRAMS**

- JAMBOREE – 4 & 5 AGES

- U16U19 Program

- SECONDARY &
COMPETITIVE LEAGUES:
EXTRA***

August - July

- **SELECT***

March - June

*Competitive Levels



League INFORMATION

I AM TEAM PARENT – NOW WHAT?

PLAYER REGISTRATION FORMS - MEDICAL RELEASE

- Contains the emergency medical release information, must be with you or your assistant at all practices, games and all team functions.
- It is a good idea to make an extra copy for each players forms; keep one set for yourself assistant coach. If there are no medical release forms at the fields **there will be NO practice, NO games.**

HAVE A PARENT MEETING:

- Recruit Volunteers – Snack Schedule, Banner, Set up/Take down fields if you have the first or last game of the day.

SHUTTERFLY:

- Create a team account on Shutterfly for the team so games, practice, snack schedule, photos are all in one location. The system alerts people of changes and/or additions. Great tool and it is FREE.

FUNDRAISER:

- Coordinate, collect and submit player fundraiser information.

Rules for Your Stay at Ab Brown Sports Complex:

1. No Pets; **Absolutely no dogs allowed.**
2. **Please pick up all trash around your area after your game.**
3. Parking lot speed limit is 10 MPH.
4. **No smoking is allowed at ABSC.**
5. **No open fires, BBQ's, propane heaters or similar items are allowed.**
6. **Park in designated areas only. Improperly parked vehicles may be towed.**
7. No overnight RV Parking.
8. **No alcoholic beverages are allowed.**
9. No glass bottles or containers.
10. **Climbing on trees, goalposts, fences, structures etc. is not allowed.**
11. No selling, soliciting or distribution of advertisements without prior written approval.
12. **No vehicles of any kind (including bicycles) allowed on the fields or any grass area.**
13. Tents and covers at edge of field complex only – none next to or between fields.
14. **Noise makers, horns, air horns etc are not permitted.**
15. Operators of golf carts must be at least 18 years of age with valid drivers and liability insurance. Golf carts allowed on Complex grounds with specific permission only.

VOLUNTEERS

1. Current Volunteer form on file www.eayso.org. Any parent that has contact with the players on the team should have a current volunteer form on file:
 1. Coach
 2. Assistant Coach
 3. Team Parent/Manager
 4. Referee
 5. Any others that help out on your team.

PLAYER EQUIPMENT/UNIFORMS

- UNIFORMS
 - SHINE GUARDS
 - PROPER SHOES/ CLEATS OR TENNIS SHOES
 - BALL APPROPRIATE SIZE
 - WATER
- A player must be wearing shin guards during all practices & games. **If a player forgets their shin guards they may not practice or play in a game.**

HOW DO VOLUNTEER POINTS WORK

Teams which have accumulated a minimum number of points by the end of the Fall season will be awarded medals for all players, plus 3 extra medals.

U6 – 12 points

U8 – 17 points

Snack Bar/Field Duty/AYSO Day

Provide 3-4 adults to assist. Earn 1 volunteer point for each volunteer hour

- 4 adults for 1 hour = 4 points
- 4 adults for 2 hours = 8 points

To receive credit, the **volunteers must sign in and out** on the log provided. **If you fail to sign in and sign out, no points will be awarded.**

You can track your points on the Azteca website.

SNACK BAR

FIELD DUTY (Not Field Set Up)

AYSO DAY DAY

SPONSORS

\$250.00 Sponsor per team

- Teams receive T-shirts for the 1st Sponsor
 - Sponsor receives a plaque with Team photo.










ADDITIONAL SPONSORS:

- Any Sponsor received after \$250.00 the team will be reimbursed up to 50% to use for the Team:
 - Team Parties
 - Banners
 - Trophies
 - Sponsors are accepted through week 7.

FUNDRAISER

MR. POPPERS KETTLE KORN & MORE

PRIZE PROGRAM FOR SELLERS HOW IT WORKS

GROUP	PRIZE	ITEMS TO SELL
1	GLITTER STICKY HANDS 	3 TO 5
2	BRAIN TEASER GAME 	6 TO 10, PLUS GROUP 1
3	COOL NEON SUNGLASSES 	11 TO 15, PLUS GROUP 1 - 2
4	WATER CANNON 	16 TO 20, PLUS GROUP 1 - 3
5	PARACORD BRACELET 	21 TO 25, PLUS GROUPS 1 - 4
6	LED FLYING HELICOPTER 	26 TO 35, PLUS GROUPS 1 - 5
7	\$5 TARGET GIFT CARD 	36 TO 50, PLUS GROUPS 1-6
8	\$10 iTUNES 	51 TO 74, PLUS GROUPS 1-7
9	\$25 REGAL / AMC GIFT CARD 	75 OR MORE, PLUS GROUPS 1-8

- Goal – Each Fall team to sell 25 items or more.
- **Teams will receive TPIP points;**
 - 2 points (25 or more items)
 - 1 point (13-24 items)
- **Fundraiser Collection Dates will be at the Information booth:**
10/24 & 10/31/15 8am–12:00 pm
- **Complete & Turn in Tracking Sheet for team & funds – NO COIN.**

SPONSORS & FUNDRAISING HELPS:

- Registration Fees;
- **Field Lease Fees;**
- Maintaining the complex which is approximately \$200,000 a year

PICTURE DAY / AYSO DAY

SATURDAY AUGUST 29TH

- Picture Schedule Available tonight and on the region website.
- Please have your team arrive 20-30 minutes before your scheduled time.
 - **All players present to proceed in line**
 - **You will need “Order Form” for each player**

Please have your team and forms ready to help picture time stay on track.



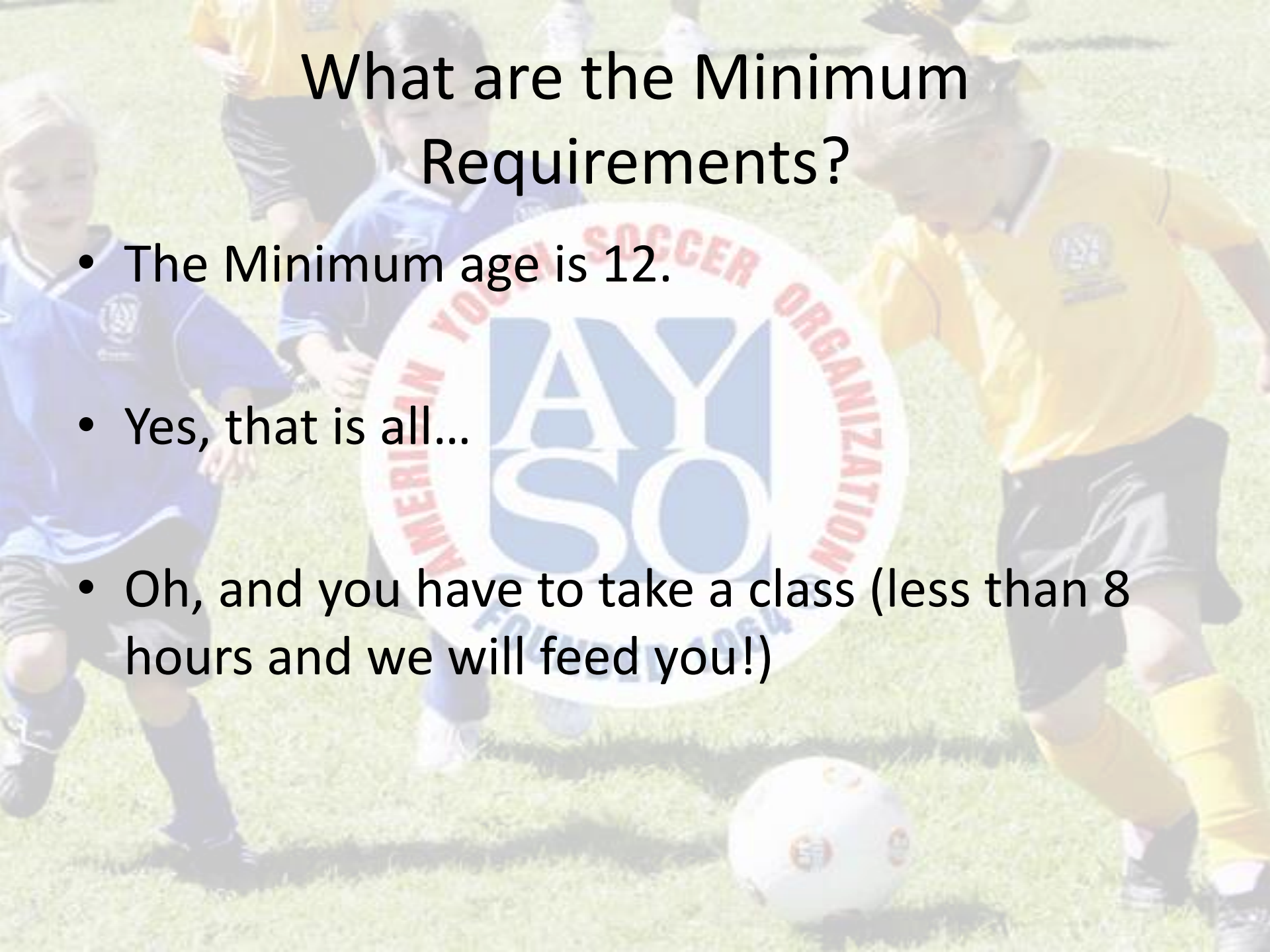
REFEREE INFORMATION

What is a Referee?

- In short, a Referee is a neutral observer whose job is to ensure that the game is played fairly and safely.
- Anyone can be a referee by asking two simple questions...
 - **Is it Safe?**
 - **Is it Fair?**
- No previous experience is needed!

What are the Minimum Requirements?

- The Minimum age is 12.
- Yes, that is all...
- Oh, and you have to take a class (less than 8 hours and we will feed you!)



Referee Team Cont.

- Each U-8 game and above must have a minimum of 1 certified and registered Referee.
- If your game does not have a referee, then it does not count as a game (relax, the kids will just scrimmage).
- Not a weekend goes by when we don't have a parent come running up to the Referee Station asking for a referee. Unfortunately, we simply do not have enough volunteers to cover those matches.

Referee Team Cont.

- Each team is expected to provide a minimum of 1 certified referee.
- Each referee assignment completed by a team representative will earn 1 TPIP point.
 - To receive credit, the referee must comply with all of the following:
 - Be AYSO Referee Certified
 - Have an current volunteer form on file
 - Be registered on Azteca
 - Write full name LEGIBLY on game cards

Referee Training

- Upcoming Referee Courses – Region 47
 - Ab Brown Sports Complex
 - Basic (Regional) Youth Referee – August 15, 2015
 - Basic (Regional) Referee – August 29, 2015Sign up on www.eayso.org
- Upcoming Referee Courses – Region 187
 - Moreno Valley Rec Center (Frederick and Alessandro)
 - Basic (Regional) Referee – August 22, 2015

Referee Resources Cont.

- If you need help, have questions or just feel like e-mailing us, please let us know!
- Referee Administrator
 - Travis Randel, refereeadmin@ayso47.org
- Director of Referee Instruction
 - Michael Orr, refinstruction@ayso47.org
- Director of Referee Assessment
 - Steve Tick, refassessment@ayso47.org

UNIFORMS

- Uniforms designs and colors are pre-determined
- The uniform you receive will be determined by your team number
- **Uniforms MAY NOT be modified (name, number, patches, etc.)**

When you receive your uniforms:

- Line the players up shortest (lowest number) to tallest (largest number).
- It is important that you distribute and size uniforms as soon as possible as any adjustments need to be made immediately... Picture day is August 29th.
- Contact the Purchaser at: purchaser@ayso47.org