



## Welcome to the 2018/2019 Soccer Season at Alamo City Soccer Club

We are excited to have you and your family join Alamo City Soccer Club. This packet will provide you with a guideline of what to expect not only during the try out sessions, but throughout the upcoming soccer year.

Throughout our tryouts, the players will be evaluated by our coaching staff as they demonstrate various skills, techniques, and abilities. While the players are being assessed we ask that the parents stay in the parent designated areas. Staff will be available to answer any questions you may have regarding the upcoming season.

### **Try out Sessions:**

Tryouts will be held over the course of 3 nights. Each player will start out the week with their “True Age”, based on ability and skill, players can be shuffled to other age groups at the discretion of the coaches. A meeting for the parents will be held under the pavilion during the first session at the times noted below:

Parent Meeting Schedule

Birth Year	Date	Time
2005-2008 (U11-U14)	May 21	6:45pm
2000-2004 (U15-U19)	May 29	6:45pm

Once tryouts have completed you will receive an offer email informing you of the team placement and the registration link will be included. (Please note that this process may take up to 24 hours due to the various email servers) Registration must be completed and the registration fee must be paid within 1 week of notification of placement. If we do not receive your fee and completed registration, it will be assumed that you are not accepting your placement and the spot will be vacated for another player.

\*\* If you need financial aid, YOU MUST APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID PRIOR TO REGISTERING FOR YOUR TEAM. You will need to contact Vanessa Garza at [registrar@alamocitysoccerclub.com](mailto:registrar@alamocitysoccerclub.com) or Dolly Liguez at [office.manager@alamocitysoccerclub.com](mailto:office.manager@alamocitysoccerclub.com) \*\*



## **2018/2019 Alamo City Soccer Club Player/Parent Agreement**

### **Alamo City SC Will:**

- Provide professional training for the seasonal year, which normally runs August through November for fall season and February through May for spring season. This time line may change due to post-season playoff qualifications.
- Offer optional playing and training activities during the off season that could include camps, fitness sessions, free play, small-sided leagues, etc.
- Cultivate and develop players' individual skills and character on and off the field.
- Provide quality, licensed coaches to administer training sessions that will aid in the development of each player.
- Develop and assess the skills and qualifications of each and every coach.
- Maintain a safe playing environment for your child and team.

### **Alamo City SC Trainer/Coaches will:**

- Make all playing time decisions in accordance with the current STYSA, AAYSA, US Club and WDDOA rules/guidelines.
- Work directly with Alamo City SC DOC and/or Academy DOC to prepare quality training sessions for their players.
- Arrive on-time and prepared to conduct a quality training session each and every practice.
- Communicate effectively with the team manager and parents.
- Be on time to all games, and training sessions.
- Hold a parent meeting at least once a month to discuss team goals and progress.
- Communicate individual player progress and development to the individual player/family by way of end of season evaluation.

### **Alamo City SC Player will:**

- Attend all scheduled training sessions and games. (Excused absences due to illness, family functions or UIL events shall be communicated to the team coach ahead of time when possible)
- Report to games at designated time, dressed in game day uniform, shin guards, and cleats.



- Report to all practice sessions in practice uniform, shin guards, cleats and free of all jewelry. Players are required to bring soccer ball and water bottle to practice.
- Be attentive, cooperative, and RESPECTFUL of coaches, game officials (referees), teammates, and parents during practices, games, and tournaments.
- NO USE of PROFANITY is allowed in accordance with the ACSC & AAYSA Zero Tolerance Policy. Any player heard using profanity will be sat out of training session or game.
- Remember that when you are wearing your soccer uniform you are representing not only yourself, but your team, your parents, your coach, and all the other teams within Alamo City Soccer Club. Act in the same manner you expect other players to act.

#### Alamo City SC Parents will:

- Complete the on-line registration process through link provided to them in offer email
- Complete the on-line uniform ordering process prior to the start of the season as to allow for adequate time to print and deliver.
- Promote the development of players' individual decision-making abilities by not offering instruction/coaching from the sidelines during training sessions and games.
- Entrust game and training decisions to the team's coach, club DOC, and Academy DOC.
- Allow for a 24 hour cool off period before communicating with coaches/trainers.
- Assist players' timely arrival to training sessions, games, and tournaments.
- Be supportive and respectful spectators of **ALL TEAMS, GAME OFFICIALS (REFEREES) ALL PLAYERS, and THEIR SUPPORTERS**. No comment shall be made to any players on either team, on or off the field, in a disrespectful or derogatory manner. As a parent I will conduct myself in a manner that is respectful and provides a positive representation of the club in which my child plays for.
- Allow coach or club official to handle all communications with referees, non-Alamo City SC coaches, officials, representatives, etc. during and after all matches.
- Pay all services and fees in a timely manner.
- Observe game from the designated sideline area as determined by applicable rules.



- NO USE OF PROFANITY in accordance with the ACSC/AAYSA Zero Tolerance Policy. Any parent noted to be using any profanity will be asked to leave the game immediately.

### **The Competitive Program Includes:**

- Comprehensive training with 100% licensed coaches
- Speed & agility training
- Goalkeeper training by 100% licensed goalkeeper coaches
- Off-season conditioning sessions
- Free player account in the HUDL video platform
- Individual training feedback using HUDL video analysis
- Free membership in our College Placement Program
- Free player account in College FitFinder and access to colleges database
- Free entry into all three Alamo City SC-hosted tournaments
- Opportunities to attend College Showcases and ID Camps

### **Total Club Fees:**

- 2018/2019 fees include the following: Registration fees, Cup Fees, League Fees, club fees, and trainer fees.
  - **Uniform is purchased by the individual family/player and is not included in the annual fee**
- All Registration fees must be paid immediately following player registration to hold placement on team. Registration and fee must be received within 1 week (7 calendar days) of receiving email of team offer. If registration and payment are not completed/received, placement on team will be vacated and offered to another player.
- Please note that if a team qualifies for a higher level of play than originally registered for and additional fees are required, the team will be notified, and the monthly invoices will be adjusted to cover additional required fees.



### 2018/2019 Payment Schedule

	Registration (due immediately)	Monthly (August 1 - April 1)	Total Cost
Academy	\$250.00	\$89.45	\$1,055.05
Division 2	\$250.00	\$130.55	\$1424.95
Alpha	\$250.00	\$133.34	\$1450.06
Challenger	\$250.00	\$145.00	\$1555.00
Prime	\$250.00	\$160.00	\$1690.00
State Classic	\$250.00	\$171.69	\$1795.21
SRPL	\$250.00	\$183.89	\$1903.21

- **All payments made are non-refundable and non-transferable.**

#### **Discounts:**

- Family Discount- \$50.00 off for second child, both children must be registered in either the Academy or Select program.
- Full Payment Discount- \$100.00 off if total amount for the year is paid in full by August 1. (this option must be selected at time of registration)

#### **Uniforms:**

If you have already purchased a uniform kit from last season you are not required to purchase another one. For all new players that have completed your online registration and attended the uniform try-on session, you can expect to receive an email from The Soccer Factory to order your uniform kits. Player numbers are randomly assigned by the club (e.g., even birth years will have even numbers assigned, odd birth years will have odd numbers assigned). Returning players will maintain their assigned number. Additionally, the current Alamo City SC uniform will have the player's number



on the game shorts and player's last name (matching gotsoccer entry) on the back of the game day jerseys.

The current Alamo City SC uniform kit will include the following:

**Academy and Division 2 Teams: (Youth Size \$189.00, Adult size \$203.00)**

- 2: Custom Under Armour ARMOURFUSE game jerseys,
- 1: Custom Under Armour ARMOURFUSE game shorts,
- 1: Under Armour OTC game socks (Navy),
- 1: High Five Performance game socks (White),
- 2: Sport-Tek Performance practice Shirts (Red, Silver)
  - Sleeveless Sport-Tek Performance shirt will be available to order via Soccer Factory Online Catalog (*item/price not included in Alamo City SC Uniform Fees*)
- 1: Under Armour GOLAZO "Heat Gear" practice shorts (Navy),
- 1: Under Armour OTC practice socks (Red)

**Super 2, Division 1, and State Classic teams: (Youth Size \$262.00, Adult size \$284.00)**

- 2: Custom Under Armour ARMOURFUSE game jerseys,
- 1: Custom Under Armour ARMOURFUSE game shorts,
- 1: Under Armour OTC game socks (Navy),
- 1: High Five Performance game socks (White),
- 2: Sport-Tek Performance practice Shirts (Red, Silver)
  - Sleeveless Sport-Tek Performance shirt will be available to order via Soccer Factory Online Catalog (*item/price not included in Alamo City SC Uniform Fees*)
- 1: Under Armour GOLAZO "Heat Gear" practice shorts (Navy),
- 1: Under Armour OTC practice socks (Red)
- 1: Under Armour FUTBOLISTA Warm-up Jacket
- 1: Under Armour FUTBOLISTA Warm-up pant

*Additional options such as UA Soccer Bag, UA compression gear, etc. will be available on the Alamo City online store but the items noted above are required items for the season. For additional information on the Alamo City SC kit, please visit <http://www.alamocitysoccerclub.com/uniforms>*



All items will be sent directly to your home, printed and ready for wear. Please make sure you order your uniform kit as soon as you can to ensure enough time for printing and delivery.

### **Team Managers:**

Once teams have been created, we will be asking for volunteer team managers. All team managers will be approved by the club and the coach as well will need to pass a background check. Team managers are a crucial part of the team and club dynamics. If have any questions, please contact our club registrar, Vanessa Garza, at [registrar@alamocitysoccerclub.com](mailto:registrar@alamocitysoccerclub.com)

### **Additional Team Expenses**

Coach travel expenses are to be covered by the individual team for outside of local area games, tournaments, showcases, challenges, and playoff events. The club will provide a breakdown of cost for travel to each manager, and each manager will collect payments from players prior to travel so that coach can make appropriate arrangements. All team members participating in the event must contribute to the coaches travel expenses as this is considered a team expense.

### **Financial Aid:**

Financial aid is available based on need of individual players. Applications are available in the club office as well as on our website ([www.alamocitysoccerclub.com](http://www.alamocitysoccerclub.com)).

**\*\*Please Note, Financial aid does not cover all the player fees. Players will still be required to pay a minimal commitment fee and monthly fees to cover those expenses that cannot be covered by a scholarship\*\***

We are happy that you have considered our soccer program for your child and look forward to another exciting year of youth soccer here at Alamo City Soccer Club.



## 2018/2019 Alamo City Soccer Club Player/Parent Commitment Form

1. I agree to commit to the team in which I have been assigned for the 2018/2019 season. I recognize that by agreeing to be a member of this team, I am taking a position that may not be filled by any other player after the start of the season, and the team is relying on my participation for its success.
2. I understand that by committing to the team in which I have been assigned, I am required to participate in all team events, training sessions, games and tournaments in which the team is participating, unless arrangements have been made with my coach in advance. I understand that transfers or releases from my assigned team are subject to review and authorization by club officials.
3. I understand that if my child's team qualifies for a higher level of play, the additional costs will be my responsibility and my invoices will be adjusted.
4. I agree to the make payment of all required fees for participation with Alamo City SC. I understand that lack of payment can result in an additional late fee to be added to my account, as well as prohibiting me/my child from participating in training sessions and/or games.
5. I understand that all payments are due on the first of every month, payments not received by the 5<sup>th</sup> of each month may have a late fee of \$25.00 added.
6. I agree to pay my share of additional expenses incurred by my team for items such as additional tournaments, coaches' travel, etc.
7. If my payment is unable to be processed for insufficient funds, I agree to pay an additional fee of \$30.00 to cover the returned payment fee instituted by the club's financial institution.
8. I agree to represent Alamo City SC. in a positive, respectful and professional manner in all activities in which I am participating both at our home fields and away.

Player Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*COMPLETED BY CLUB STAFF BELOW\*\*\*

Club official: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_. Team assigned: \_\_\_\_\_