



2019 Recreational Fall Season

Information Packet for Parents and Coaches

Welcome to Canyon Hills Soccer. We are proud to be the youth soccer league for Anaheim Hills and surrounding communities.

2019 Important Dates

April 15- Online registration opens (link available of CHSA webpage)

June 2- Player Evaluation Day at El Rancho (age groups times TBA)

June 3, June 5, June 10: Makeup Player Evaluation Days at El Rancho (times TBA)

June 7- Registration closes in preparation for the draft (formation of teams)

June 15- Player Play-Up Requests Due to chsadrafts@gmail.com

June 17, June 19- Player Play Up Request Evaluation Days (times TBA)

Week of June 24- Draft Nights (Coaches to attend)- Meeting held at CHSA office

July 1- Late Registration Opens- \$25.00 late fee applied to registration fees. Team placement is not guaranteed. Players are placed where there are open spots on teams thru a blind draft of available teams

July 29- Coaches Meeting- 6:30p at East Anaheim Community Center

August 1 (Thursday)- Practices begin

August 12- Team Coordinators Meeting-6:30p at East Anaheim Community Center

September 3- Game Schedules published

September 7 (Saturday)- Games begin

September 8 (Sunday)- Picture Day/ Family Fun Day at El Rancho Charter School

Makeup picture date- TBA

November 17- CHSA All Star Games at El Rancho Charter School

Dec 7/8- Cal South Commissioners Cup (u10, u12, u14)

January 25/26 2020- Cal South Tournament of All Stars (u10, u12, u14)

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2019 Registration Information

Registration is online only- Registration link is available on our website. Payment is by credit card.

Players are placed into age divisions based on the player's birth year.

During registration families are required to upload a picture of the player for their Cal South Player ID card. Please make sure the picture includes the player only- no hats or glasses.

For families new to CHSA or Cal South soccer registrations, a county-issued birth certificate is also required to be uploaded for age-verification (valid passport is also acceptable).

For information on registration please contact the CHSA Registrar.

For information on login and passwords, please contact Affinity (800-817-5977), our registration host for any login and password issues.

Registration Fees

Player registration fee includes the following:

- Insurance
- Uniforms
- Trophies/participation medals
- Photos
- Field and league equipment

A \$25.00 late fee will be added to all registrations registered on or after July 1.

Team Fees

Other expenses *in addition* to the registration fees:

- Referee fees (each team pays the referees before the start of each game (U10 and above)).
- Team Fees- Coaches or Team Coordinators will collect money to cover team parties, team banners, gifts.
- Sponsor- Every team is required to obtain a \$200 sponsorship to the league.

Refunds

The last day to request a refund of paid registration fees is May 31. A full refund of registration fees paid (minus a \$5.00 processing fee) will be provided up to May 31. A request for refund, must be made via email to the League Registrar on or before May 31.

A 25% refund of paid registration fees will be provided between June 1 and June 22. A request for refund, must be made via email to the League Registrar on or before June 22.

No refund is given after June 22.

CHSA does not issue refunds for reasons such as getting drafted onto a team that you did not want to be on or for conflicts with set practice times and locations.

The only way to ensure your player has a preferred practice is if you Coach.

Equipment

Parents are to provide their player with soccer cleats, shin guards and a practice ball. The players are given a game uniform as part of their registration fees.

Coaching

Previous CHSA coaches and all CHSA parents are invited to coach their player's team. **All of our recreation coaches are parent volunteers.** Coaches are required to complete Cal South Risk Management fingerprinting (Live Scan), obtain a coaching license thru Cal South/USSF (CHSA hosts coaching clinics), complete the U.S. Center for SafeSport online training and complete the Cal South Concussion Awareness online course. For more information on coaching, please contact our CHSA Director of Coaches.

Volunteers

CHSA is a non-profit and entirely run by parent volunteers. ***Coaches, assistant coaches and team managers are entirely parent volunteers.*** All coaches and assistant coaches are required to have a coaching license, live scan, complete the U.S. Center for SafeSport online training and concussion training. All team

managers are required to live scan, complete the U.S. Center for SafeSport online training and complete the concussion training. For more information on becoming a volunteer, please contact our Director of Team Coordinators.

Practices

All practices begin after August 1. Practice times and locations are at the discretion of the coach based on field and time availability. Coaches will schedule their practices by contacting the Director of Scheduling. Teams may practice up to 2 times per week, and younger teams may practice 1x week (practice schedules (days, times, fields) are at the discretion of your coach).

Parks

CHSA retains permits with the City of Anaheim for the following fields:

- Peralta Park
- Riverdale Park
- Anaheim Hills Elementary
- Ronald Reagan Park
- Canyon Rim Park
- Eucalyptus Park
- Imperial Park
- Yorba Regional Park
- Crescent Elementary

The City of Anaheim retains the ability to close the park based on field conditions.

In the event of poor weather, please contact the Mudline for up to date information regarding field conditions- 714 765-5242. The mudline is typically updated after 2pm on weekdays and by 7:30a on weekends.

Team Formations

Teams are formed at the draft nights that are held at the end of June. Coaches are encouraged to attend. For more information on the Draft Nights, please contact our CHSA Director of the Draft. **Please note the new information for player freezes and team formations for 2019.**

Team Divisions

2015 U5 (4v4; 10 player roster max)-

- our youngest division in the 2019 season
- teams are CO-ED
- Coaches are allowed **unlimited freezes**
- Player freezes are due June 7
- Frozen players must be registered by June 7- late registrations are not guaranteed placement on requested team.
- Team rosters are completed in an “open” style draft. Coaches are supplied with a list of eligible players. Coaches alternate turns and pick players to bring their rosters to the maximum number of players.

2014 U6 (4v4; 10 player roster max)-

- Coaches are allowed **unlimited freezes**
- Player freezes are due June 7
- Frozen players must be registered by June 7- late registrations are not guaranteed placement on requested team.
- Team rosters are completed in an “open” style draft. Coaches are supplied with a list of eligible players. Coaches alternate turns and pick players to bring their rosters to the maximum number of players.

****New for 2019****

This new system is being implanted due to feedback received last season regarding “super” teams. This process is set up to create equally balanced teams.

CHSA Board of Directors is implementing a system to help foster balance on our divisions, and to maximize the enjoyment of the game for all of our players and families. We will be implementing two changes to the team formation and draft process.

For many age groups, we are REDUCING the number of freezes.

All players (2013 to 2008) will be required to attend a mandatory player evaluation.

To add balance to teams, all frozen players will be assigned a “draft round”, and there will be some draft compensation for teams with several top freezes.

For Freezes- Based on feedback that allowing coaches to freeze an entire roster has created some imbalance in teams, resulting in a less ideal season for some players, the CHSA Board has voted to reduce the number of allowed freezes for 2019 as described below.

For Evaluations- The CHSA Board is implementing a new evaluation system, whereby all players will be evaluated and assigned a grade which will be converted into a draft round recommendation. To ensure that these evaluations are fair and objective, we have asked the Boca OC staff to conduct all player evaluations. The ranking will be used to assign draft rounds to all players, which can be used to aid in drafting players as well as evaluating each teams’ player freezes.

Sunday, June 2, 2019- Player Evaluation Day- El Rancho Charter School. Time TBA.

****Makeup dates to be announced****

For Draft Compensation- In an effort to balance the competition across the divisions, each team’s player freezes will be evaluated and scored. Teams with multiple high round freezes will be required to forego certain early to mid-round picks, and have compensatory picks added to their rosters later in the draft. Draft Pick Compensation Matrix will be determined closer to the time of evaluations.

Players who skip evaluations: All players in these divisions must be evaluated. Any non-freeze player who is not evaluated will be considered a “hat pick” chosen after the draft by the Director of the Draft and therefore NOT eligible for drafting. Any player who is a freeze who does not attend evaluations will be an automatic 1st round draft pick.

For Play Ups- Play ups will be considered for the 2013, 2012. Play ups will NOT be considered for the 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007, and 2006 as those are already a combined age bracket.

Any player wishing to play up in a division (playing a year older) will need the written consent of our current Director of Soccer and will need to attend the **Player Play Up Request Evaluation Days** on June 17 and June 19. Players who do NOT attend one of the Play Up Evaluation Days will NOT be considered for play up.

The purpose of the Play Up Evaluation Days would be to evaluate the player at their level as well as to challenge them in a positive and constructive environment. The Director of Soccer and the Youth Academy Director would determine whether the "play up" would be beneficial to the player.

Saturday, June 15, 2019- Final day for parents to submit play-up requests.

Monday, June 17 and Wednesday, June 19- Play-up Request Players attend Evaluation. Play ups will NOT BE considered unless player attends one of the sessions above.

Player Evaluations and Player Freezes for U7, U8, U10, U12

2013 U7 (4v4; 10 player roster max)-

- Coaches are allowed 3 freezes (including head coach player)

2012 U8 (4v4; 7 player roster max)-

- Coaches are allowed 3 freezes (including head coach player)

2011 & 2010 U9/U10 (7v7; 10 player roster max)-

- Coaches are allowed 3 freezes (including head coach player)

2009/2008 U12 INTERCITY LEAGUE (9v9; 13 player roster max)-

- Coaches are allowed 5 freezes (including head coach player)

2007/2006 U14 INTERCITY LEAGUE (11v11; 18 player roster max)-

- Coaches are allowed unlimited freezes; coaches encouraged to generate a roster of players
- Player freezes are due June 7
- Frozen players must be registered by June 7- late registrations are not guaranteed placement on requested team.

- Team rosters are completed in an “open” style draft. Coaches are supplied with a list of eligible players. Coaches alternate turns and pick players to bring their rosters to the maximum number of players.

Game Formats

2015 U5

- **teams are CO-ED**
- 4v4 games on small fields with small goals
- Two games will be played side by side at the same time
- No goalie
- Parent referee
- 32-minute game
- Size 3 ball
- No score keeping
- No All Stars or post season play

2014 U6

- 4v4 games on small fields with small goals
- Two games will be played side by side at the same time
- No goalie
- Parent referee
- 32-minute game
- Size 3 ball
- No score keeping
- No All Stars or post season play

2013 U7

- 4v4 games on small fields with small goals
- Two games will be played side by side at the same time
- No goalie
- Parent referee
- 32-minute game
- Size 3 ball
- No score keeping

- Will play CHSA All Stars (coaches will nominate a selected number of players to complete in CHSA All Stars)

2012 U8

- 4v4 games
- No goalie
- Parent referee
- Play Out Line is use
- 4 quarters of 12 minutes each
- Size 3 ball
- No score keeping
- Will play CHSA All Stars (coaches will nominate a selected number of players to complete in CHSA All Stars)

2011 & 2010 U9/U10

- 7v7 games on small field
- NOCRA referee (referee fees to be paid at each game)
- Play with goalie (no punting the ball)
- Play Out Line is use
- Offside rules begin
- 2 halves of 25 minutes each; 10 min half
- Size 4 ball
- Will post scores and keep standings
- Will play CHSA All Stars – eligible to participate in Cal South All Star Tournament

Play Out line: The play out line will be placed beyond goal line. Once the opposing team is behind the play out line, the goalkeeper can pass, throw or roll the ball to a teammate. Punting the ball is NOT allowed. After the ball is put into play, the opposing team can then cross the play out line and play can resume as normal.

2009/2008 U12 INTERCITY LEAGUE

- Games are scheduled within the Cal South Intercity U12 League
- 9v9 games
- Referee (referee fees to be paid at each game)
- Play with goalie
- Offside rules

- 2 halves of 30 minutes each; 10 min half
- Size 4 ball
- Will post scores and keep standings
- Eligible to participate in Cal South Commissioner's Cup

2007/2006 U14 INTERCITY LEAGUE (11v11; 18 player roster max)-

- Games are scheduled within the Cal South Intercity U14 League
- Referee (referee fees to be paid at each game)
- 11v11 games
- Play with goalie
- Offside rules
- 2 halves of 35 minutes each; 15 min half
- Size 5 ball
- Will post scores and keep standings
- Eligible to participate in Cal South Commissioner's Cup