

2015 RYSC SOCCER REGISTRATION INFORMATION

General Information

Rehoboth Youth Soccer Club (RYSC) is a private, nonprofit organization that provides a soccer program for the children of Rehoboth. RYSC is not affiliated with the Town of Rehoboth and receives no funding from the town. The Bliss Soccer Complex resides on land leased from the Bliss Brothers Dairy. RYSC developed the Bliss Soccer Complex with the help of donations of services, time, money, and materials by the generous people and businesses of Rehoboth. The Complex and our programs run using the moneys from players' registration and from renting the fields to other soccer clubs. RYSC does not pay directors, coaches, referees, or concession stand workers. We rely on volunteers to fill these roles for the benefit of the players in the program. Please consider volunteering your time to support the program.

The program welcomes boys and girls who are between 4 ½ and 15 years old as of August 1, 2015. All children are placed on teams by age: Under-6 (also known as the Kindergarten Division), Under-8, Under-10, Under-12, etc. The U-6 and U-8 teams are co-ed; U-10 and older teams and divisions are single gender. Children may not play on a team below their age; children may be moved up a division if that will keep them with their school classmates. All games are "small-sided," typically 6-on-6, allowing for lots of action and ball contact for every child.

Teams will be put together in August. You can expect to hear from a coach by the last week in August. Play will begin on September 12, 2015. All games are on Saturdays. Teams may practice one or more times during the week at the discretion of the coach. This is a recreation league, meaning that although games themselves are competitive, no team standings are kept, and no tournaments or playoffs are held. We try to balance all teams with more- and less-skilled players. Teams are built "from scratch" each year. Priorities are soccer education, sportsmanship, and fun.

The town also enters teams in competitive leagues and tournaments in conjunction with Dighton. This travel program is separate from the recreation program. Separate tryouts and registration are announced at various times of the year for those teams. This form is just for the Rehoboth town recreational league.

Important Dates

- Registration Deadline:** 7/15/2015, end of Early Bird registration. Registration fee \$85 as of this date (except Under-6 and new residents)
- Teams Announced:** 9/1/2015, if you haven't heard from a coach by now, let us know, otherwise be patient
- Fall 2012 Opening Day:** 9/12/2015
- Last Day of Season:** 11/14/2015

Registration Form Instructions

For extra blank forms, or for any questions about registering, please call Kathy Saleeba at 401-556-9612 or Wendy Cordeiro at 508-272-4129.

Special Issues: If you have a special issue, please contact Kathy Saleeba 401-556-9612 or Wendy Cordeiro at 508-272-4129. As of 2015, no requests will be honored for coaches or teams.

Uniforms: Players under the age of 6 (Kindergarten Division) get a T-shirt as part of the registration fee, and do not need to buy a uniform. For all other players, the uniform jersey is green/white reversible, of good quality intended to last more than one season. If you need a new uniform, please indicate the size you want in section 3. Although there will be a small number for sale during the season, the only way to guarantee that we will have your size is to order it on this form. Sizes run pretty "true," and the jerseys are all synthetic so they don't shrink when washed. The jersey and socks come as a package; extra socks will be on sale at the fields in the fall. Uniform orders must be mailed separately to PO Box 463 with a \$30 check.

Mailing instructions: Please register online rysc.net. If you need to register with paper send your form(s), with a check made out to RYSC for the full amount for registration plus any uniforms ordered, to: **RYSC, P.O. Box 463, Rehoboth, MA 02769.**

It is RYSC policy that no child should be denied the opportunity to play soccer due to financial constraints. Scholarships are available; please contact RYSC President Kathy Saleeba at 401-556-9612, if you would like to discuss this option.

Visit our website, www.rysc.net, for registration forms, schedules, and announcements.