



2017 YMCA SUMMER SOCCER LEAGUE

REGISTRATION & FEES:

Registration begins May 1, 2017 and concludes May 30. Online Registration concludes May 27 but you may still register at the YMCA until May 30. You may register from your home computer or stop by the YMCA to register. The fees for this season are \$35.00 (YMCA Members) and \$64.00 (non-members) There is a \$10.00 late registration fee for anyone who registers after the registration deadline (should space allow). Please note that the registration process after the Registration Deadline must be completed here at the Greene County YMCA. Registration is on an individual basis and all participants will receive a Team T-shirt.

ELIGIBILITY:

High School Sophomores (up-and-coming) through adult men and women are eligible to play.

CAPTAINS:

Team captains are needed! Their responsibilities include selecting players for their team in a player draft and calling those players they selected to let them know of the first game. If you are interested in becoming a captain, please indicate so on the application form. A Captain's Meeting will be scheduled upon the completion of registration. Teams will be selected, a schedule will be given out, and rules will be discussed at this meeting. Captains will be notified of this meeting by the YMCA.

GAMES:

All games will be played at the YMCA's Terry Bellamy Soccer Park and will begin by mid/late-June. Games are tentatively scheduled for Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Fridays may be used for make-up games.

YMCA INFORMATION:

The Greene County YMCA is located at 404 Y Street. Our phone number is 423- 639-6107. Program Director's (Danny L. Silvers) email: dannys@greencounty-ymca.org. The YMCA's web site is: www.greencounty-ymca.org.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- No slide tackling except to clear the ball or to save from going out-of-bounds.
- No off-sides unless an attacking player is alone with the goalkeeper within the box and the goal.
- Each player must wear shin guards.
- Games will consist of two (25-minute) halves. Ties and scores stand as long as half of the game has been completed.
- Six field players and a goalkeeper per team will be allowed to play on the field at any time.
- A team must have at least five players present to start the game.
- The Season Champion will be determined by the regular season results. There will be a "Y CUP XIV," tournament at the conclusion of the regular season.
- Rosters MUST be finalized prior to the first match. Any team who allows a player to participate (who is not listed on their team's roster) will forfeit those games. Should uncontrollable circumstances occur and a team's roster is depleted, any requests for additional players must be submitted to the YMCA Program Director prior to any participation.
- Games postponed due to bad weather or poor field conditions will be attempted to be made up as the season goes along. Make-up games may be played on a different day than our regularly scheduled games and may be rescheduled on a weekend. There are no guarantees that postponed games will be made up.
- Players will be expected to model the YMCA's core values of respect, responsibility, caring, and honesty. Players will conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike manner at all times on and off the playing field.
- Players will at no time argue with the referee or the field supervisor over a call or ruling during a game. To do so could result in immediate dismissal from the game and possible dismissal from the league depending on the severity of the incident.
- Fighting, which could include baiting a fight, pushing or intimidation, will result in automatic suspension from the league. Rough or intimidating play is not allowed.
- The use of foul language on the field is prohibited and could result in a yellow card (warning), red card (ejection), and suspension.
- The first time a player is disqualified from a game will result in a one game suspension. A second disqualification will result in a three game suspension and the third disqualification will result in that player's suspension for the remainder of the season.
- Possession of, or being under the influence, of a controlled substance on YMCA property will result in immediate suspension from the league. In addition, the authorities will be contacted if such an incident occurs.