



2012 Area 1-R Championship Tournament Coach Information Sheet



Before Game Day

- 1) Sign your official team roster. This must be submitted by your region to the Area staff no later than December 5, 2012. It must include all of the players on your team and in JERSEY ORDER. Any player left off the roster, even if it is an oversight, will probably not be allowed to play in the tournament. Is all of the player's personal information (address, telephone number, date of birth, etc.) correct? Coaches and Certification **MUST** be printed on the roster from EAYSO, NO handwritten information will be accepted.
- 2) Complete tournament game cards for your team, as follows:
Area Championship Tournament **5 game cards**

Be sure to list players in jersey number sequence and include both the first and last names of all players and coaches. **You will turn in ALL of these completed game cards at your first check-in on Saturday morning.** Do not list any fields or game times on the game cards.

Ask your Regional Commissioner if the Area supplied special game cards for the tournament. If not, then use your region's game cards instead.

- 3) Tell your parents about the rules for the Ab Brown Soccer Complex in Riverside, including:
 - No smoking, alcoholic beverages or glass bottles
 - No pets of any type, including specifically - NO DOGS
 - Awnings may be set up only around the perimeter of the Complex. No awnings between the fields.
 - Parking lot speed limit is 10 mph.
 - No parking in restricted or no parking (red log) areas
 - Handicapped parking spaces are restricted to authorized vehicles
 - No climbing or hanging on buildings, structures, goal posts or trees
 - No motorized vehicles (except golf carts) on any turf areas, without specific permission
 - No open fires, BBQs, or propane or liquid gas heaters, grills or other similar devices
 - No soliciting or sales of food or merchandise or distribution of advertisements. Push cart vendors are not authorized on the Ab Brown Soccer Complex.
 - RVs over 23' long will not be allowed to park within 100 feet of the fields. The only exception is parking on the east (far) side of Fields Murphy 1 and 2.
- 4) If you have the first game of the day on your field, arrange for some parents to get to the fields at least 45 minutes before the game to set up the nets, corner flags, trash cans, etc.
- 5) Red cards carry over! Any player sent off or coach or spectator ejected in a previous region match that has not completed their suspension may not play or participate in the Area tournament until

their suspension is completed. Generally, this involves a player that is sent off (red card) from the region's final Fall match and must miss the first game of the Area Tournament.

- 6) Review your Player Registration Forms. Do you have one for each player? Do all of your Player Registration Forms have original (wet) signatures and dates? Does someone else on the team have a full back-up set (with original (wet) signatures and dates)?
- 7) If you have any referees affiliated with your team, ask them to bring their referee gear to all games, even if they are not scheduled to referee. In a pinch, they may be needed to be an assistant referee for a game or two. They won't be used except as a last resort, but if they are needed it's best if they have and change into their full referee gear.
- 8) Be familiar with the rules for the tournament, especially for those semifinal and final games that cannot end in a tie. Tournament rules will be sent out with the schedule and posted on the Area 1-R web site at <http://area1r.d4sportsclub.com>.
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- 10) Check the Area 1-R web site periodically for possible news and updates.
- 10) December can be cold and wet. Players may wear sweats or other clothing under their AYSO uniforms. It is preferred that the sweats or other clothing be a similar color for the entire team.

On Game Day

- 11) Bring your Player Registration Forms and all completed game cards with you to the check-in.
- 12) Have the entire team arrive at the Check-in station approximately 60 minutes prior to your first game on each Saturday (or Sunday). There will be lots of people, so allow plenty of time! Any players not present at the check-in must come up to the Check-in station prior to entering the game.
- 13) Players will have their hand stamped at the initial check-in each day, so the team does not need to come back to the Check-in station prior to the second game of the day – go directly to your field.
- 14) Game schedules are very tight! Games that do not get started on time will probably be cut short to get the following games back on schedule. Check in early and get to your field early.
- 15) After your games, have your parents pick up any loose trash along your team's entire side of the field.
- 16) If your team has the last game of the day on a field, arrange for some parents to take down the nets, corner flags, trash cans, etc. After take down, the nets, flags and trash cans need to be carried up to the Net Bin (by the Check-in station).
- 17) At the end of pool play, make certain that you check the scoreboard to see if your team advances. You will not receive a call and the Area web site will not be updated during the tournament.
- 18) Have a good time and cheer your team on to a good tournament!