

JAMBOREE U6 & U8

Player age and Team Eligibility, The tournament is open to U6 & U8 recreational teams registered within NWSC, CWSC & SWYSC spring season.

Check In:

- Coaches must check in at the registration booth located next to the flagpole, at least 30 minutes prior to their first game only.
- If the coach fails to check in prior to its first game and plays, they will forfeit the remaining jamboree games.
- Requirement: Coaches MUST HAVE either coaches binder or an electronic version on them with authorization properly executed with original signatures to allow emergency medical treatment of each player must be presented at the time of Team check-in.(i.e. Medical releases provided by each club)

Rules of Play

The tournament uses FIFA and Washington Youth Soccer (WYS) rules as amended for youth soccer competition, except as specifically modified by the following rules.

Number of Games

Each team will play two (2) or three (3) games.

U6 Play

- Format: 3v3 – No Goalie
- Roster Size: Min of 4 Max 8
- Ball Size: 3
- Game length: 10 minutes (no half time)
- Kick –in: are given when the ball crosses the touchline. Players must give 5 yards to allow space for the kick in
- Corner Kick: is given when the ball is kicked passed the goal line by the defending team
- Goal Kick: is given when the ball is kicked passed the goal line by the offensive team
- Punting: will not be allowed
- Handball: is called when a player INTENTIONALLY touches the ball with arm or hand resulting in advantage. HOT button topic. The players are 3 feet tall almost everything is a handball. An Indirect Kick to be awarded
- Substitution: can be made at anytime
- Heading: will not be allowed.
- No Penalty kicks are to be awarded

U8 Play

- Format: 5v5 – 4 players plus a Goalie
- Roster size: Min of 5, MAX 10
- Ball Size: 3
- Game length: twenty (20) minutes (no half time)
- Punting: will not be allowed

- Heading: will not be allowed.
- Handball: is called when a player INTENTIONALLY touches the ball with arm or hand resulting in advantage. Indirect kick to be awarded.
- Throw-in: are given when the ball crosses the touch line- U8 players
- Substitutions: can be made at any time

Additional Rules and Info

- NO scores are kept.
- Coaches & Asst. Coaches are expected to show respect for the laws of the game and demonstrate good sportsmanship towards players, referees, other coaches and parents.
- Players not on roster will not be allowed to play.
- Home team - If a color conflict arises, home team wears pinnies.
- Jerseys and/or Pennies: teams may play in any of these as long as they are of the same color. Numbers are not required.
- Parent/Sidelines should show respect for the laws of the game and demonstrate good sportsmanship towards players, referees, other coaches and parents.
- NO Earrings or any jewelry are allowed.

Uniforms/Equipment

- Players must wear equipment (including shin guards) in accordance with FIFA laws.
- The two teams must wear colors that distinguish them from each other and from the referees. Each goalkeeper must wear colors that distinguish him/her from the other players, the referee, and the assistant referee.
- The first team listed on the bracket is the Home team.

Discipline

- Conduct of players, coaches and spectators are monitored by the referees under FIFA rules.
- Coaches are responsible for good conduct of their players, coaches, and spectators during all competition. If a match is terminated due to inappropriate behavior, the responsible team will forfeit the match to the opposing team.
- Spectators may not enter the field of play or interfere with the game or participants in any way.
- Alcohol, drugs, weapons and animals are not allowed at any of the field sites.
- NO PETS allowed at games or on sidelines. You will be asked to leave.