

Concord Soccer

Fall 2010 SDP Season

Coaches Meeting

Wed 9/1 @ BTC Hall 6:30

Agenda

- SDP Philosophy
- Coaching
- Season
- Parents
- Fields
- Snack
- Our Future

Mission Statement

- Concord Soccer Association is a non-profit, community-based, volunteer organization devoted to the development of youth through the sport of soccer.
- Our broad-based approach provides opportunities to play soccer at the highest competitive level appropriate, while fostering character development, sportsmanship, skill acquisition and fun in a positive, respectful environment.

Concord SDP Philosophy

- Fun, Learning, Sportsmanship
- Coaches working together
- Communication
- Development
- Allowing the Game to Teach
- More From Fran Kulas – Concord Soccer
Director of Coaching and Player
Development

Concord Soccer SDP Fall 2010 Season

- Opening Day - Sat Sept 11th - Practice & Game – U8s-coaches ref
- Practices start week of Sept 13th
- Eight weeks/games thru Nov 6th
- Weather Cancellations – Game (Club) and Practice (Coach)
- Rules @ concordsoccer.com - Helpful Resources-Info For Coaches
- Equipment – Pickup opening day – Jersey Sales 1st 2 weeks
- Updates and Calendar at concordsoccer.com
- Goalkeeper Training On Select Mondays Nights
- Start and finish your games on time & work with the Referees.
- Remember–you are the coach–you are expected to lead & make decisions.

Coach - Your To Do

- Contact your parents by tomorrow-Thursday.
- Note opening day game time, practice night, time & location.
- Tell Parent- If practice night for player does not work, Email all team-practice night change requests to csasdp@concordsoccer.com. Include details.
- Prepare your basic practice plan for opening day. See content at concordsoccer.com.

Points For Age Groups

- All – Fun, Learning and Sportsmanship
- KK
 - Ball Boss
 - Playing time and fun
- U8
 - Development, individual and beginning of team play
 - Introduction to Concord Soccer U9 Rep Program
- U10
 - Competition versus Brandywine YMCA
- U12/14
 - NDDSL League
 - Twice a week practices
 - Trainers during the season

Parents

- Ask them all to help in some way. Develop future coaches and volunteers.
- Goal setup and take down
- Help in practice and on game day. Shadow.
- Feedback during the season.
- Sideline – Positive comments only. Zero tolerance of referee abuse by parent and player.
- Watch on perimeter, not between, of fields at TDF.
- Away from - Other side from coaches & team

Risk Management

- Safe environment
 - Physical
 - Mental
 - Equipment
 - Lightning
- Player Pickup and Drop Off
- Health and Injury

Snack & Apparel

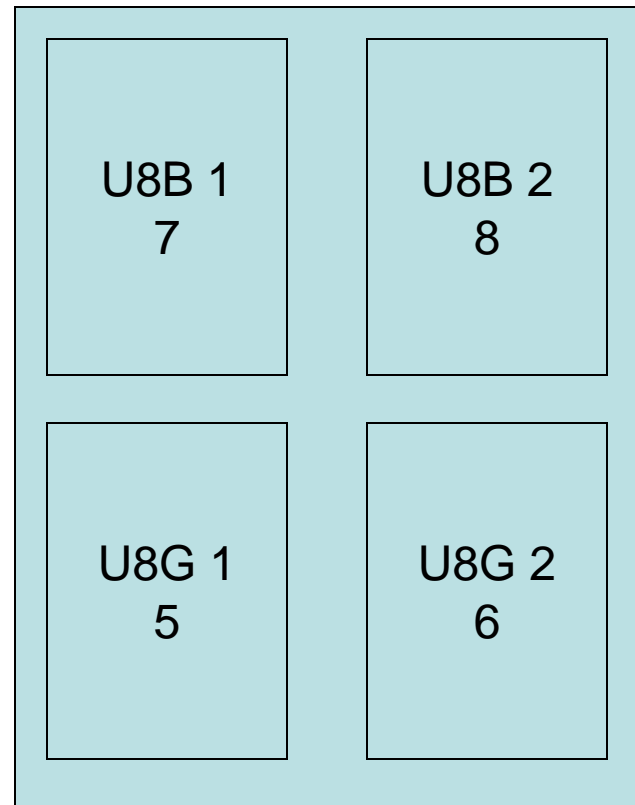
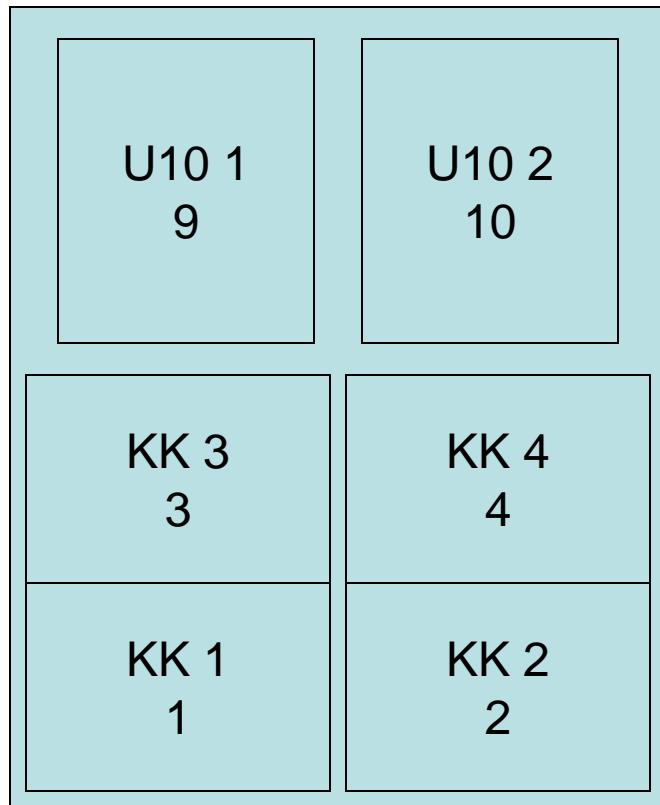
- Snack/food service on Saturdays at Talley Day field.
- Includes player end of game snack.
- Parents paid during registration.
- SDP Jersey on sale 1st two Saturdays \$20
- Apparel sales- Look like a coach

Fields

- For practices - pre-assigned field and location. Fit into the space.
- Watch on perimeter, not between, of fields at TDF.
- Trash cleanup
- At end of practice - close equipment shed. Else it will not be available in the future.
- U10s at Brandywine High School – Do not practice on the field hockey field – located on the back right.

Practice Field Layout TDF

Foulk Road



Parking Lot

Our Future

- Fall 2010 SDP – 60 teams 650+ players, Many new families.
- Measure us by the quality of our programs and play. For all players, coaches, teams and levels.
- Strong coaching development programs.
- Enjoying the game of soccer.

Wrap-Up Before You Leave

- Know your practice night and location
- Pickup your complimentary coaches t-shirt
– Saturday at TDF
- Meet your fellow coaches.