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# APPLICATION TO HOST A TOURNAMENT OR GAMES

Name of Tournament or Games 2026 Hawks Indoor Cup						Website URL: https://www.ticketsignup.io/TicketEvent/							
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Loc	Location of Tournament or Games Merrol Hyde Magnet School							TEAM ENT	RY DEADLIN	IE: 01/25/2	2026		
Date(s) of Tournament or Games 01/31/2026 - 03/29/2026							Estimated # of Teams $70$						
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			CTED TOURNAMENT (Open	to all	Federa	ation affiliated	participants)						
	Interna	ational Te	ams as listed:										
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Signature of Designated Official of Hosting Organization								Date					
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#### I. DEFINITIONS OF TYPES OF TOURNAMENTS AND TEAMS

(Place corresponding letter in appropriate space on application.)

#### **TYPES OF TOURNAMENTS**

- UT UNRESTRICTED TOURNAMENT: A tournament that is open to all Federation affiliated participants. Any tournament that allows international participants must be an Unrestricted Tournament.
- RT RESTRICTED TOURNAMENT: A tournament that is open only to members of US Youth Soccer and its State Associations.

#### **SELECT TEAMS** (teams formed by a selection or tryout process):

- S1 generally a team which competes at the highest level of play in a state or region
- S2 generally a team which competes at other than the highest level of play in a state or region
- \$3 generally a team which competes in a local area or state

#### TOURNAMENT SELECT TEAMS

S4 a team which is put together for the sole purpose of playing in a tournament or other sanctioned non-league competition, whose roster includes select players who are members of one club.

#### **RECREATIONAL TEAMS**

RT a team which was formed in a random nature without regard to players' abilities.

#### US YOUTH SOCCER ODP TEAMS

**ODP TEAM:** the official US Youth Soccer Olympic Development team of US Youth Soccer, any of its regions, a State Association, an Affiliate, other Organization Member, or any district or geographical subdivisions thereof.

### **NATIONALTEAMS**

NATIONAL TEAM: the official national team of US Soccer or any other member of FIFA.

## II. HOSTING RESTRICTED AND UNRESTRICTED TOURNAMENTS AND GAMES

#### APPLYING TO HOST RESTRICTED TOURNAMENTS OR GAMES

- 1. These procedures apply when hosting ONLY US Youth Soccer State Association or US Youth Soccer Affiliates teams for tournaments or games.
- 2. Applications, agreements to host and other required information must be submitted as provided by the designated approving association or affiliate to include:

Not later than the date established by the State Association or Affiliate for submitting an <u>Application to Host a Tournament or Games</u>, the hosting organization must submit to its State Association or Affiliate and, if any game is to be played in another State Association or Affiliate, to that other State Association or Affiliate, for approval a completed <u>Application to Host a Tournament or Games</u> signed by the designated official of the hosting organization and the following items:

- a) a completed US Youth Soccer <u>Tournament or Games Hosting Agreement</u>, with appropriate supporting documents and information, signed by the president or chief officer or designee of the hosting organization and by the tournament or games director;
- b) a copy of the approved Rules for the Tournament or Games; and
- any fees required by the State Association or Affiliate for processing the application. Incomplete applications will be returned and considered as not having ever been submitted.
- 3. The State Association or Affiliate is not required to approve any application not submitted by the deadline established by the State Association or Affiliate. Any application which is not submitted in a timely manner may be subject to late fees if approved. The team must contact its State Association for its specific policies and fees.
- 4. The State Association or US Youth Soccer Affiliate shall make a determination as to whether or not they will sanction the tournament or games in accordance with the policies they have established within their organization for the sanctioning of tournaments or games.

# APPLYING TO HOST UNRESTRICTED TOURNAMENTS INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL TEAMS (TEAMS FROM OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES) AND OTHER FEDERATION ORGANIZATION MEMBERS

- The provisions below are in addition to those required as stated above under "Applying to Host Restricted Tournaments or Games". All those
  provisions so stated above must also be complied with.
- 2. For all tournaments and games involving international teams (teams from outside the United States), the Rules for the Tournament or Games must comply with the following substitution requirements: For matches involving players under 16 years of age, the number of substitutions allowed is as provided by the Rules of the Tournament or Game. For all other matches, the number of substitutions is as agreed to prior to the match and the referee is informed prior to the match of that number. The number agreed to can be as provided in the Rules of the Tournament or Game.
- 3. The completed US Soccer forms Application to Host a Tournament or Games Involving Foreign Teams and Certification Regarding Compliance with the Ted Stevens and Olympic Amateur Sports Act, must be submitted and approved by the hosting State Association or US Youth Soccer Affiliate and any additional fees required by the State Association, Affiliate and/or the United States Soccer Federation for processing the application.
- 4. For all teams that are not members of US Youth Soccer or a US Youth Soccer Affiliate, Proof of medical and liability insurance must be provided by their organization of registration



# **US Youth Soccer**

## **TOURNAMENT OR GAMES HOSTING AGREEMENT**

In consideration of permission being granted to	Central - Middle Tennessee Futb	ol Club		to hold a tournar	ment				
or games at 3908 Brush Hill Rd	Nashville			TN					
or games at 3908 Brush Tilli Ru (Hosting Organiza	tion)	(City)		(State)					
On the dates of $01/31/2026 - 03/29/2026$	, we agree to the following con	nditions:							
ABIDE BY RULES: We shall abide by all standard or Games, in our tournament Tournament Policy and in this US Youth Standard of teams is based upon race, creed, color or national games until all approvals are received.	invitation, in our tournament rules Soccer <i>Tournament or Games Ho</i> nto a tournament shall be fairly a	, in the US ` os <i>ting Agreer</i> nd impartially	Youth S nent. / made	Soccer <i>Travel</i> We agree that and shall no	and t all t be				
<b>NVITATIONS</b> : The tournament or games approval form shall accompany all tournament or games invitations listributed.									
HOUSING: We agree that we will not required organization, required hotel/motel names and the guarant	unless disclosure is made on the	odations appr e tournamen	oved o	or provided by cation form of	the the				
PROCURING LIABILITY INSURANCE: We have procured liability insurance coverage for the tournament or games with limits of not less than \$1,000,000/\$2,000,000 which names the State Association or Affiliate with which the Hosting Organization is a member. A copy of the certificate of insurance, IF REQUIRED, is attached issued by									
REQUIRING MEDICAL AUTHORIZATIONS provide medical releases for each player in Hosting Organization at registration and kep	n an appropriate form. These aut	thorizations s	tourna shall be	ament or game e reviewed by	s to the				
ADVANCE PUBLICATION OF RULES: W invitation sent to each team and shall, a tournament/games.	e agree that our tournament or ga again, be published to all teams	ames rules s accepted p	hall be prior to	included with the start of	the the				
<b>CREDENTIALS CHECKS:</b> We agree that we shall conduct credentials checks to ensure that all players are registered with US Youth Soccer or US Soccer or a member thereof or their national association, properly rostered with their team, and participating in accordance with representations set forth on the US Youth Soccer <i>Application to Host a Tournament or Games</i> . We agree that we will not modify or mark <u>in</u> any way original rosters or member passes; and will not register any player, coach, or team official or issue any member pass.									
USE OF US SOCCER REGISTERED RE registered referees who are in good standin referees from another country), and shall us the following age groups: registered referees available in the area du have selected the following assignor to as certified assignors may be used.):	g (unless US Soccer has granted a se a one- or 3-referee system. We There will rring the tournament or game date	a waiver to al e intend to us be an adequ es to cover th	low the se a 3- ate nur se sche	e use of author referee system mber of US So eduled games.	ized n for ccer We				
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AVAILABILITY OF POLICE AND RESCUE rescue services of the date of the tourname have been advised by them that they will method(s) of contacting emergency services	ent or games and the times and fie be available to render assistance	lds which wil	l be us	ed for games,	and				

**TOURNAMENT OR GAME RULES – BEHAVIOR:** We agree that our tournament or game rules contain provisions ensuring that the behavior of teams, players, coaches, and spectators is appropriately controlled, including specific provisions that—

- Spell out the disciplinary measures to be imposed for the issuance of red and yellow cards or other improper conduct;
- indicate what procedures will be followed regarding protests and appeals;
- indicate that all disciplinary measures imposed by hosting organizations shall be limited to placing restrictions upon an individual's group participation in the tournament/games;

- record the issuance of all red and yellow cards and other matters involving the conduct of a team, its players, coaches, and supporters and also report them immediately to the home State Association and the home club/league of the team; and
- state that the home State Association or member thereof and the home club or league shall, except
  in the case of referee assault or abuse, have the responsibility for imposing, should circumstances
  warrant, additional penalties within their respective jurisdictions with regard to any matters arising
  from the tournament or games.

**TOURNAMENT CANCELLATION:** We agree that our tournament or game rules shall state what refunds, if any, shall be made to participating teams if all or a portion of the tournament or games is cancelled by the hosting organization for any reason.

**POST TOURNAMENT OR GAMES REPORT:** We agree that we shall file any required Post Tournament or Games Report with the State Association or Affiliate granting us permission to host this tournament or games within 30 days after the conclusion of the tournament or games. We understand that failure to file the report may preclude the tournament/games host from receiving approval for any tournament/games for the following seasonal years until the report is filed. The Post Tournament or Games Report shall include the following information:

- the number of teams participating in each age group (boys and girls);
- if a champion is determined, the name of the champion for each group;
- the number of teams from each State Association, Affiliate, other Organization Member, or foreign country;
- if "Sportsmanship Awards" are given, the criteria for the award and to whom awards were given;
- the number of fields used for the tournament/games;
- the name of the sponsor, if any; and
- the names and teams of all players issued red and yellow cards, and details of any other matters involving the improper or unsporting conduct of a team, its players, coaches or supporters. NOTE: Any incident of referee assault or referee abuse by a player, coach, manager, club official, or game official must be reported to the alleged offender's home State Association, or member thereof immediately, but in no event later than 48 hours after an incident of referee assault or abuse..

Signature of Hosting Organiz	zation Designate	d Official	Signature of Tournament or Games Director					
Date	•		Date					
Hosting Organization Centra	al - Middle Tenr	essee Futbo	l Club	Phone	(615 <b>)</b> 7 <u>36-2712</u>	W		
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City Nashville	State TN	Zip	372161904	Phone	( )	Fax		
Tournament or Games Head	quarters C <u>entral</u>	- Middle Te	ennessee Futbol Club	Phone	( )	W		
Address 128 Township Dr		Email mhm	nsabc@gmail.com	Phone (	(61 <b>6</b> ) 4)74 <u>-7877</u>	Н		
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