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ADULT SOCCER

NEW IBERIA RECREATION DEPARTMENT

6 VS 6 SOCCER RULES & REGULATIONS

2016

- Field:** 60 X 40 yards, penalty area (30 X 24). Goals (6 X 12) Size 5 ball.
- #of players:** Games are played with five players and a goalie. Minimum # of players on the field should not be less than 4. Only the players on your original roster are eligible to play during games.
- Substitutions:** Substitutions are limited to the size of the roster up to a maximum of 20 players. Only players on your roster who have completed all paperwork by the required forms deadline are allowed to participate in the leagues. Players may not be rostered on two teams with in the same division. Substitutions are on a stoppage of play.
- Player Equip.** SHIN GUARDS ARE MANDATORY and must be completely covered by socks. All Players on the field must wear shin guards.
- ID's & Uniforms:** Jerseys or customized approved shirts must be worn by all players. Jerseys/shirts must be same color. Goalkeepers must wear a jersey/shirt that is different from the color of either team. Referee has final call on allowing players to compete.
- The Game:** 2X25 minute halves with a 5 minute halftime. OFFSIDES DOES NOT APPLY. No Ties. No extra time unless in a playoff game. PK shootout automatically following a draw during regulation. In the event that two teams having same record at the completion of season, a 25 minute playoff game will be played
IMPORTANT - Teams must have enough players to start (goalkeeper & 4 attackers) at the field and ready to play at game time. Referee and opposing team captain can allow a maximum of 5 minutes past game time to allow an additional player to arrive. In the event of a team needing to forfeit, teams will be charged a 25 dollar fee, to be paid by the next business day. 3 forfeited games will go before the board for ruling. The team as a whole will be responsible for the result.
- Start of Play:** Opposing players must be at least 15 feet away prior to kick-off. No drop balls in penalty area.
- 3 line violation:** A player is guilty of a 3-line violation when he/she kicks or throws the ball

across 3 lines in the air, towards the opponent's goal, **without** touching or having been played by another player. An indirect kick will be awarded to the opposing team, at the point where the ball passed over the first line.

Fouls & free kicks: All direct and indirect fouls apply. Opposing players must remain at least 10 yards from the ball. Once the referee signals for play to continue, the kicker has 5 seconds to play the ball. In the event of the infraction an indirect free kick is awarded.

Goalkeepers:

- 1) A goalkeeper, having control of the ball in hands, and having released it from his/her hands to be played, either by himself/herself or a teammate, shall not handle the ball again until it has been touched by an opponent, or a stoppage of play occurs.
- 2) KEEPERS MAY NOT HANDLE A BALL INTENTIONALLY PASSED TO THEM BY A TEAMMATE. An indirect free kick will be awarded to the opposing team at the top of the penalty box.
- 3) Once the goalkeeper has handled the ball they have 6 seconds to put the ball back in play. Failure to do so will result in an indirect free kick for the opposing team at the top of the penalty box.

Penalty Kicks:

- 1) A penalty kick shall be taken from the top of the penalty spot. All players, except the kicker and the opposing goalkeeper must stand beyond the top of the penalty area. Players are not permitted on sides of the penalty area.
- 2) On direct kicks players must remain at least 10 yards from the ball. Yellow cards will be awarded to players who slow down the flow of the game by not providing the mandatory 10yards t.

Throw-Ins: The 6 second rule and the 3 line violation also apply for throw-ins. The opposing team will regain possession after a 6 second infraction.

Goal Kicks: The 6 second rule DOES NOT apply to goal kicks. Goal kicks may not cross three lines in the air unless touched by a player. Goal kicks are taken anywhere inside the penalty area.

Corner Kicks Goals can be scored directly on corner kicks. Opposing players must be at least 10 yards. 6 second rule applies

Misconduct: Players ejected from a match will be suspended for at least the following match. Ejections for fighting or any other actions deemed violent may result in suspension for any further play. Should a player accumulate (2) cautions he/she will be suspended for (1) match. Offensive language is cautionable conduct. A \$25 dollar fee will be assessed to the team for a Red Card or Soft Red/Double Yellow in one game. The player and team will be notified of the infraction in writing.

Referees: One/two referee will be assigned to each match. Remember that he/she will not be able to see everything as it happens (especially balls that go out of bounds). **THE REFEREE WILL BE TREATED WITH RESPECT AT ALL TIMES.**

Inclement Weather: Regardless of weather conditions-players must appear at the field of play, ready to play as scheduled unless notified by league supervisor Failure to play will result in the forfeit(forfeits will have a financial penalty) of the match. Only referees and/or league directors can cancel or postpone a match. Should a match be terminated due to weather conditions after half of play is completed the match will be considered official, and the score will stand.

Amendments: Should any problems arise during the season, additional rules may be added or changed by league director. Any changes will be brought to the attention of all team captains.

GENERAL RULES

1. Teams must have at least five (5) players to start the game at game time. 5 minute grace period will be allowed.
2. No player is allowed to play on more than one New Iberia Recreation Department team. Any player caught doing so will be suspended for one complete NIRD season. Any game that said player has played in will be forfeited if his team has won that particular game.
3. Half time will be five (5) minutes.
4. NO PROFANITY IS ALLOWED in any Recreation League program.
5. A PLAYER EJECTED FROM THE GAME FOR ANY REASON MUST LEAVE THE PARK IMMEDIATELY!
6. All teams are asked to help keep the parks clean & free of litter.
7. ALL TEAMS MUST WEAR JERSEYS OF THE SAME COLOR, GOALKEEPERS MUST WEAR A JERSEY OF A DIFFERENT COLOR FROM ALL OTHER PLAYERS.
8. Teams with the best standings will determine league winner. UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED ON SCHEDULE.

MISCONDUCT

9. A. MISCONDUCT ON THE PART OF ANY PLAYER AT ANY TIME CAN RESULT IN A SUSPENSION OF A MINIMUM OF THREE (3) LEAGUE GAMES. Any player so suspended must appear before the Recreation Department administration, if deemed necessary before being reinstated to any Recreation Department facilities, functions or programs.
B. Should a player accumulate two (2) cautions he/she will be suspended for one (1) match.
10. Fighting among players, will result in an automatic ejection from the game and indefinite suspension for the player or players responsible. Charges may also be followed up by the league. Reinstatement for misconduct violations will be decided by the park administration.
11. Cursing an official or physical contact with any Recreation Department Official or employee will result in an automatic suspension from the league and all department facilities and programs for a period of NOT LESS THAN ONE (1) YEAR. Reinstatement can only come by appearing before the park administration.

Any team wishing to protest a game must do so within twenty-four (24) hours of the game in question. The protest must be filed in writing with a \$25.00 protest fee to the New Iberia Recreation (NIRD). If the protest is ruled in favor of the team protesting, the fee will be returned. If the decision is against the team protesting the fee will be lost. ALL DECISIONS OF THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT WILL BE FINAL. NO PROTEST WILL BE ACCEPTED ON JUDGEMENT CALLS.

TEAM ROSTERS PLUS \$400.00FEE MUST BE TURNED INTO THE NEW IBERIA RECREATION DEPARTMENT OFFICE NO LATER THAN **4:00PM ON THURSDAY MARCH 17TH 2ND 2016.** A MAXIMUM OF 20 PLAYERS ON THE ROSTER IS ALLOWED BUT ONLY 15 AWARD SHIRTS WILL BE GIVEN. 1ST AND 2ND PLACE SHIRTS WILL BE AWARDED IF THE LEAGUE CONSISTS OF SIX (6) OR MORE TEAMS. IF THERE ARE INDIVIDUALS YOU KNOW OF, WHO WANT TO PLAY AND DOES NOT HAVE A TEAM, WE WILL ATTEMPT TO ASSIGN ONE OR FORM A TEAM. LEAGUE WILL BEGIN THE WEEK OF MARCH 21ST 2016

ALL PLAYERS MUST SIGN THE ROSTER BEFORE THE SECOND PLAYED GAME OF THE SEASON. ALL OTHER INFORMATION MUST BE COMPLETE ALONG WITH SHIRT SIZE AND PLAYERS #.

NEW IBERIA RECREATION DEPARTMENT
2013 ADULT 6V6 SOCCER

FOR OFFICE
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NEW IBERIA RECREATION DEPARTMENT

OFFICIAL NEW IBERIA PARKS & RECREATION RELEASE FORM AND ROSTER

BY SIGNING THIS OFFICIAL ROSTER, EACH INDIVIDUAL HAS READ AND AGREED TO THE TERMS & CONDITIONS OF THE PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY FORM. THE SIGNEE ALSO BECOMES A LEGITIMATE MEMBER OF THIS TEAM.

_____ AWARD _____
 TEAM NAME LEAGUE SPORT SHIRT COLOR/SCREEN

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 TEAM MANAGER ADDRESS HM PHONE ☺ WK PHONE ☺ FAX

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PROGRAM / ACTIVITY REGISTRATION / WAIVER

Program/Activity Name _____

NAME _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

PHONE (H) _____ (W) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____ CELL # _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT _____ PHONE _____

WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY

I RELEASE, ABSOLVE AND AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY The City of New Iberia and its Parks and Recreation Department, their staff, sponsors and representatives from and against any and all liability, and from and against any claims, demands, costs or expenses, or causes of action arising out of or in connection with the above program/activity for which I have registered myself or my child.

I expressly acknowledge that I am aware that the above program/activity, even under the safest of condition possible, may involve risk to me. Nevertheless, I expressly assume all risk or hazard related or coincidental to, arising out of or connected to, the above program/activity, including risk of loss or damage to property and/or personal injury or death, however caused. If I have any questions or concerns, or I feel I do not have adequate information about risks or hazard of the above program/activity, I realize that I should not sign this Waiver and Release before satisfying myself completely about such question or concern.

I represent to the City of New Iberia, and Parks and Recreation Department, knowing that it will rely on my representation, that I have the experience, training, and knowledge appropriate to participate in the above program/activity without supervision or special precautions. I also represent that I do not have any special needs or require special accommodation necessary for me to participate safely in the above program/activity. If I do, however, have special needs or require special accommodation, then I have disclosed them to the appropriate staff person of the City of New Iberia Parks & Recreation Department. I realize and agree that the City of New Iberia Parks & Recreation Department may decline to allow me to register for the above program/activity due to such special needs or required special accommodation.

I further represent that I am physically fit to participate in the above program/activity and have not otherwise been informed or cautioned to restrict my physical activities by a physician. I am of legal age and competent to sign this Waiver and Release. **I REALIZE THAT I AM GIVING UP LEGAL RIGHTS AGAINST THE CITY OF NEW IBERIA AND ITS PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT BY SIGNING THIS. I HAVE READ THIS WAIVER AND RELEASE FULLY AND UNDERSTAND ALL ITS PROVISIONS.**

I give my permission and grant to the City of New Iberia and its Parks & Recreation Department the right to make pictures and sound recordings of me or my child and the right to use such pictures and sound recordings, including the right to identify my child's name, likeness, voice and words, in television, film, newspaper, magazine, internet, and other media of any form, for the purpose of advertising and communicating the objectives of programs and activities offered by the City of New Iberia's Parks and Recreation Department and for the purpose of applying for funds to support those purposes and activities.

Participant signature (or guardian if under 18)

Date