

## Travel Team Pre-Tryout Information Sheet 2013 – 2014

Welcome to the Loudoun Soccer Travel Team 2013-14 Tryouts. Below is key information regarding the Loudoun 03 Red team for which your child is trying out for this spring. It includes general team information, as well as financial and logistical commitments associated with being part of this team in the Loudoun Soccer Travel Program. If you would like further information, please feel free to contact the Head Coach.

**Team Name** Loudoun Soccer 04G Red **Age Group** U10 Girls

There are expected to be 6 teams in this age group. This team is in the Loudoun Soccer Elite tier and is considered the A Team.

This team plays in the following Competitive League: CCL (Club Champions League)

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# **Head Coach Qualifications / Experience**

USSF National "B" License
USSF National Youth License
VA State ODP Coach
VYSA Academy Head Coach
2003 VYSA and Region 1 Girls Coach of the Year
Loudoun U9-U12 Girl's Director
Former High School Varsity Coach (Stone Bridge – 4 Years)
Loudoun All-Extra HS Coach of the Year - 2007
VYSA State Champions - 2004
VYSA State Finalists - 2005, 2006, 2010, 2012
Virginia AA HS State Champions – 2005
VYSA Coach of the Year - 2003
Region I Girls Coach of the Year – 2003

**Required commitments for being on this team:** This team practices 3 times per week (two days tactical and one day footskills) and plays games on Sundays (and occasional Saturdays) in the Club Champions League. Winter will include indoor and outdoor training and league play.

This team will practice through the winter with 1-2 practices or scrimmages a week and 1 club provided training per week (Sunday).

This team will participate in a minimum of 2 tournaments that will require travel; all players are expected to attend.

# This team will have the following tournament schedule:

### Fall tournaments include:

Tournaments are representative and subject to change

• Spirit Kick-Off Classic (8/23-8/24)

- OBGC Capital Cup (8/29/9/1)
- Discovery Cup (10/11-10/13)
- Bethesda Tournament (11/14-11/16)

#### Spring tournaments include:

- Arlington (3/7-3/8)
- Jefferson Cup (3/14-3/15)- Richmond
- FC Delco (Memorial Day Weekend 2015) Pennsylvania

#### All players and parents should be aware of the commitment required for this team:

This team is a year-round team and will train two to three times a week as well as participate in additional technical training sessions and play games on the weekend (spring/fall). It will also require various winter and summer training commitments. The number of practices and the requirement for attendance at practices and games will necessitate a very high degree of dedication on the part of all team players and their parents. If your child is selected and you cannot make such a commitment, please do not accept a spot on the team. One of the other teams should be able to match your ability level and commitment. If you are accepted on the team and cannot maintain your commitments to the team, the coach will limit your playing time to represent your level of commitment in all areas.

In accordance with "VYSA Policy Regarding Nonpayment of Club/Team Financial Obligations by Travel Players", approved in April 2012, players may be released by the team for non-payment of club or team fees. A team may release a player from the team roster for failure to meet financial obligations as outlined in VYSA Registration Manual (5.27). Accordingly, VYSA will not process a transfer of a player from one club/team to another during the seasonal year if that player is not current on his or her financial obligations.

### **Additional Try out**

There are a number of players who may be either injured or who have conflicts with tryout dates. Therefore, a supplemental tryout <u>may</u> be held, should the coach wish to. Any additional tryouts will be at the coach's discretion and information regarding such will be posted on the team website.

#### Loudoun Soccer Club Fee (Elite - Red Team)

Club fee per player for the full seasonal year (Fall 2014 and Spring 2015) \$2,215

Installment plans are available for club fees (4 month/9 month payments)

Club fee includes coach salary as defined in the standard coach plan, 10 winter team sessions, 10 summer team sessions, Pre-Season Team Summer camp, all facility fees.

Fall & Spring Training Academy and GK Academy are included in Club fee

8 winter Club Training sessions are included in Club fees

# **Approximate Additional Team Finances:**

Tournaments	\$ 600
Winter Training Space or Indoor League	\$ 370
Uniforms (New players \$100 per player, does not include	\$ 100
warm-ups or backpacks)	
Miscellaneous – equipment, field fees, other misc	\$ 100

Additional Fees for Returning Players: \$1,020 Additional Fees for New Players: \$1,120

### **Fundraising**

As a member of this team, you are expected to be proactive in fundraising, along with the rest of the team families. All funds raised are for the benefit of the team and remain as team funds (see below).

### **Financial Refunds**

Please be aware that financial refunds will not be given to any player's family or associated person, partner, colleague or alike should the player choose to leave a Loudoun Soccer team. Please refer to the Loudoun Soccer website for the full Refund and Transfer of Funds policy. If the website does not answer your questions, please contact the Loudoun Soccer office. Thank you for your understanding.

## **MANDATORY TEAM MEETING INFORMATION:**

Loudoun Soccer 04G Red will hold a mandatory meeting for the parents of players offered a spot on the team. The date/location of the meeting will be determined once the team has been selected. We will be discussing team expectations / plans, budget and roles, as well as answering any questions.

If you have questions about this team that have not been answered here, please feel free to contact the team coach .If you have general questions regarding the Loudoun Soccer Travel program please contact Fiona Legg, Travel Program Manager at <a href="mailto:tpm@loudounsoccer.com">tpm@loudounsoccer.com</a> / 703.777.9977 or contact Mark Ryan, Director of Coaching (Travel) at <a href="mailto:traveldirector@loudounsoccer.com">traveldirector@loudounsoccer.com</a> / 703.777.9977

We thank you for your interest in the Loudoun Soccer Travel Program and trust that you will have a very enjoyable experience at our tryouts. Thank you for your attendance and please let us know if we can be of any assistance to you in the soccer community.