

New Jersey Youth Soccer

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Sports Management Internship

New Jersey Youth Soccer Overview

New Jersey Youth Soccer (NJYS), a 501(c) (3) organization affiliated with US Youth Soccer and the US Soccer Federation, is comprised of more than 100,000 players from 5 to 19-years-old and thousands of coaches and volunteers. Members collectively support the sport of soccer through training, practice, competition and the spirit of good sportsmanship. Interested students should email a resume and cover letter to communications@njyouthsoccer.com.

NJYS features recreational and travel soccer programs at multiple skill levels:

- NJ Youth Soccer Olympic Development Programs (ODP)
- Coach Education Courses with certification programs
- Tournaments including the National Championship Series
- TOPSoccer (a program for players with special needs)

Internship Role Description-NJYS Sports Management Intern

Title: NJYS-Sports Management Intern

Company: New Jersey Youth Soccer

Duration: Summer 2022

Salary: Unpaid Application Deadline: Ongoing

Commitment: Flexible with minimum of 10 hours/week

Hours: Remote and Flexible

Office Location: Summer 2022 internships can be completed remotely and include the

opportunity to cover on-site events

Internship Role Summary

The NJYS Sports Management Internship will consist of both the operations and business aspect of the New Jersey Youth Soccer industry. The NJYS-Sports Management Intern will assist the NJYS staff with the planning and execution of NJYS initiatives, events and activities such as the Olympic Development Program, Annual Awards Dinner, State Cups as well as provide administrative support for phone inquiries, marketing, outreach programs (NJ ODP, Recreation, TOPSoccer, Club/Travel) and on-site event customer service support.

Interns will be encouraged to suggest and develop ideas independently and within a team environment, follow through on the initiatives and deal effectively with internal and external staff. Interns will be exposed to and work with desktop publishing programs (Word, Excel, PowerPoint). Some events may involve heavy lifting and occasional hours on evenings and weekends. Internship hours will be adjusted

based on the individual school schedule with office hours from 8:30am-4:30pm. Interns are reimbursed for mileage to/from events and assigned tasks.

Specific Duties

- Provide research, development and implementation support for NJYS events/activities
- Assist with promotional activities and event management for special events
- Assist with organizing events and provide administrative /operational support at NJYS programs
- Promote the NJYS initiatives and activities through social media outlets (Twitter, Facebook)
- Provide support with sponsorship activation at NJYS events by coordinating with volunteers, prep calls and implementing future events
- Assist set-up and break down at events including field support and coordinating needs between NJYS staff, teams, managers and coaches
- Help organize membership benefit events
- Attend and actively participate in staff meetings, meetings for specific events and webinars

Important: The Spring 2022 internships may be completed fully remotely. Therefore, the responsibilities would be impacted (e.g. limited to no in-person activities).

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