



# NORTH EAST SOCCER ASSOCIATION

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## 2009 SUMMER SOCCER REGISTRATION

Summer traveling soccer for ages 9 through 19 (boys and girls programs)

On-line Registration will be open from  
August 12<sup>th</sup> through September 30<sup>th</sup> at

[www.nesasoccer.org](http://www.nesasoccer.org)

Click on the registration link

*This is the only planned opportunity to register for the 2009 soccer season!*

Dear Parent and Soccer Player,

It is our mission to promote, provide and teach soccer in the  
"Spirit of the Game." FUN, FAIRNESS and SAFETY.

**NESA Soccer** invites you to play soccer with us Spring/Summer of 2009. This is our 32nd year and each passing year tends to bring new challenges to the club. One of the questions that come to mind is: Why register eight months in advance of the season? The primary reason for registering early is to foster player development through:

- Team organization allowing training through the winter.
- Complete tryouts, if needed, outdoors to minimize costs. (indoor time for tryouts is very expensive)
- Complete tryouts immediately after fall High School/fall season so the players are at their peak skill level but before winter sports begin.
- Improve player development opportunities.

Early registration also supports our goals for the 2009 season as follows:

1. **Provide development to our U9 & U10 teams** to prepare for the upcoming season with the identification process. This includes players, parents, coaches, managers, uniforms and planning for the teams.
2. **Early player identification for our 2009 competitive teams** and identify teams where there is a need to recruit players and coaches for the 2009 season. See the anticipated 2009 competitive teams and classification below.
3. **Reduce the number of over rostered teams.** Over the past several years we have supported our Mission statement of finding a place for all registered players to play and therefore have created over rostered teams. While over rostering does increase the number of available roster positions, it can, in some case hinder player development. Therefore, for the 2009 season, NESA will not over roster a team unless the respective coach requests that the team be over rostered.



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## What does this mean to our soccer players?

- ✓ Tryouts will be held for each age group where more players register within the open registration period than can be rostered on the team.
- ✓ Tryouts will be held within two weeks of closing the registration. Team rosters and waiting list will be announced within two weeks of the tryout
- ✓ Players who are not placed on a team will be placed on a waiting list. NESASoccer will attempt to recruit players to form additional teams; however, if additional teams can not be formed by January 15, 2009, the players will be released and full refund of all fees paid through January 15, 2009, will be returned to the players.
- ✓ Players who withdraw from NESASoccer may request a refund subject to the NESASoccer Board approval and the refund policy.
- ✓ Players may request NESASoccer Board permission to play up, but may not displace an age appropriate player who will not have a place to play in NESASoccer if the younger player is moved up. However, if there is not an age appropriate team for the younger player, then the younger player MAY displace an older player based on ability.
- ✓ Registrations will not be accepted after September 30th until after teams are formed and waiting lists have been created.

For 2009, we anticipate forming U-9 and U-10 teams in addition to competitive teams U-11 and up as follows:

### List of Probable Competitive Teams for 2009

<b>Girls Teams</b>	<b>Boys Teams</b>
Girls U9	Boys U9
Girls U10	Boys U10
Girls u11c2	Boys u11c2
Girls u12c1	Boys u12c2
Girls u13c2	Boys u13c2
Girls u14c3	Boys u14c3 New
Girls u15c2	Boys u15c2
Girls u17c2	Boys u16/17c3
Girls u18c1	
Girls u19c1	

### Our 2009 Registration FEE will be:

U9-U10 players is \$165	U11-12 players is \$220
U13-16 players is \$235	U17-19 players is \$190

The registration fees include: MYSAsoccer registration fees for club, team, player and coach; player training, team training, coach's training, team equipment needs; and referee fees, district playoffs and state tournament and the State Jamboree. Please note partial payments will be accepted if a credit card is used at registration. **Note: Registration is not complete until the fee is paid in full.**



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## 2009 Tournaments

Your Team may decide to enter other tournaments; however, the fees for these tournaments **ARE NOT** included in the registration fees.

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## New Players

If you have ***not*** played for NES A before, proof of birth date/age must be provided to NES A before a player pass can be issued. Any player found to be providing false birth date information will not be issued a player pass for the 2009 season. Proof of age can be a copy of your birth certificate, pass port, or driver's license.

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## 2009 Uniforms

We have used the 2008 Uniform for three seasons and we can no longer order this style of uniform; therefore, in **2009 new uniforms** will be required. Uniform style and costs have not been determined at this time. Look for more information to come.

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## Additional 2009 Goals and Programs

### Kicks for Kids

In 2008, we partnered with Maplewood Parks & Recreation. This u4 through u8 soccer program for boys and girls was a huge success with over 150 participants. We plan on continuing this relationship in 2009.

### Referees

Continue to grow our referee program.

### Professional Technical Training

Continue our professional technical training with our all of our club players and coaches.

### NESA Tournament

Look for more information regarding our 21<sup>st</sup> Annual tournament to be held on June 12, 13 & 14, 2009

### Field Restoration

Continue our partnership with Maplewood Parks to ensure Hazelwood Soccer Complex is restored to make safe playable fields for our players.

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## 2009 Refund Policy

- If you request a refund prior to 10/31 you will receive a full refund less \$25.
- If you request a refund between 10/31 and 12/1 you will be charged a 25% administrative fee. (Full refund if NES A is unable to place player on a team.)
- If you request a refund between 12/2 and 2/1 you will be charged a 50% administrative fee.
- If you request a refund between 2/2 and 5/1 you will be charged a 75% administrative fee.
- If you request a refund after 5/1 you will receive no refund.