



## **MOSCOW INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS SOCCER LEAGUE 2014**

*Hosted by the Anglo-American School of Moscow*

We would like to invite you to join the Moscow International Schools Spring Soccer League 2014 which will take place at the North Field of the Anglo-American School of Moscow. The league will commence on April 5 and conclude in mid-June, final dates yet to be determined. The league will be comprised of AAS students and students from other foreign/international schools in Moscow aged 8-16.

### **Philosophy:**

Our league recognizes that the competitive nature of sport, yet we aim to foster the ideals of fair play, respect and developing a love of the game of soccer.

### **League focus:**

- Balanced Teams\*
- Positive coaching, spectating and participating
- Participation (every player will play at least 50 % time of each game)
- Mixed teams (boys and girls can play together)
- Rules of Fair Play on and off the pitch

*\*We cannot accommodate requests for children to be placed on teams with their friends. We must focus on balanced teams and we hope that you can work with your child in understanding this need.*

### **Volunteers, we need your help!**

League will run by volunteers, so we need your help! We are looking for coaches, referees and general helpers. The number of participants will be determined by the number of volunteer coaches. Registration will be limited. If you are interested in volunteering – please put this information in the registration form.

## **Dates**

We will hold an assessment session for all age groups on Saturday, April 5. Times will be emailed to participants once determined. We are scheduled to begin league games on Sunday, April 7. Please also note that the league will do whatever it can to manage conflicting schedules with the Moscow Youth Baseball League.

## **Fees and Registration**

The fees for AAS students are to cover the costs of a uniform. Please note this is not an Anglo-American School of Moscow program. The fee of 2,000 Rubles must be paid before Monday, March 31 at the school cashier together with a registration form.

Registration will be closed after this date.

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### **REGISTRATION FORM**

**Player's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Male

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Female

*Last*

*First*

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Age Group (age at or before April 5):**    \_\_\_ U10    \_\_\_ U12    \_\_\_ U14    \_\_\_ U17

**Preferred Uniform Size:**        \_\_\_ Youth Med    \_\_\_ Youth Large    \_\_\_ Youth XL

                                 \_\_\_ Adult Small    \_\_\_ Adult Med    \_\_\_ Adult Large

**Skill Level:**    \_\_\_ Low    \_\_\_ Medium    \_\_\_ High

**Parents/Guardians:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's E-Mail Address (1 only):** \_\_\_\_\_

*I, the parent or guardian of the above-named player, acknowledge that soccer is a physically-demanding activity from which injury can result. League provides a professional medical support.*

*I have read the Rules and Responsibilities for Players, Parents, and Coaches and agree to abide by them as a condition for registering my child.*

*I have enclosed a payment of 2,000 Rubles for my child's participation*

*I understand that the league is based on volunteerism and it is not an Anglo-American School of Moscow program*

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent/Guardian's signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

**Parent/Guardian Interested in Volunteering, Please Check Appropriate Box:**

\_\_\_ Coach    \_\_\_ Asst. Coach    \_\_\_ General Help    \_\_\_ Referee

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## 2014

### **RULES AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR PLAYERS, PARENTS AND COACHES.**

#### **Players' Responsibilities & Rules**

1. Work hard, have fun and give your best effort every time you are on the field for the games.
2. Wear all required equipment (shin guards, proper shoes & uniforms).
3. Pay attention to the coaches when they are speaking and providing instructions on or off the field. Respect the decisions of the referee.
4. Be a team player. Players should learn the rules of soccer and play by them at all times. Learn and develop teamwork, discipline and sportsmanship and practice them.
5. Be on time for all games.
6. Disrespectful behavior to coaches, referees or other players will not be tolerated. The use of indecent or profane language is unacceptable. Use of such language may result in suspension.
7. Fighting or any physical or verbal abuse will not be tolerated. Penalties may include issuing a red card and ejection from the game.

#### **Parents' Responsibilities & Rules**

1. Be sure that your child attends all games. Coordinate. If unable to attend a game or practice, notify the coach and/or manager of the team. Lateness may affect the future inclusion of a player on the game roster.
2. Ensure that your child brings all equipment and uniforms to games and practices.
3. Support your child's coach and help when you can. Disagreements with your coach do not belong on the field. Questions, input and positive suggestions should be voiced to the coach in the absence of players.
4. Parents are encouraged to come and watch, but should not shout instructions from the sidelines. This causes confusion. Players should listen for coach's and ref's instructions only.
5. Parents and spectators for each team should remain at least six feet behind the sidelines and across the field from players. Parents should not stand behind the goal posts or goal line. Parents should not go on the field before, during, or in-between games.
6. Parents are expected to set a good example for the children at all times by their positive behavior, sportsmanship, attitude and language. Abusive language, behavior or physical assault may result in immediate suspension from the soccer program.
7. Parents are expected to demonstrate respect for the referees.

#### **Coaches' Responsibilities & Rules**

1. Coaches are expected to demonstrate good sportsmanship and treat players fairly.
2. Allow each player to play at least one-half of each recreational game.
3. Ensure that players and no more than two coaches are on one side of the field, with parents and spectators situated on the opposite side. Coaches should not go beyond their half line, nor should they go on the field or stand behind the goal line.
4. Know the rules, respect the referees and act in a controlled manner on the field.
5. Disrespectful behavior to players, coaches, spectators or referees will not be tolerated and may result in a red card.