



# SOCCERFEST

## Memo

To: All Coaches at the 2006 National Games  
From: The Soccerfest Coordinators  
Subject: Soccerfest Schedules, Balls, Etc.

Here are a few quick notes to all National Games coaches about Soccerfest.

1. The sign up schedule for your teams will be posted on the web site within a day or so, as will material describing the mechanics of Soccerfest team formation and play.
2. In general 12 teams from each division will be formed into teams for Soccerfest at the following times: 7:15 a.m., 8:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. on Wednesday, July 12, 2006. U-10 Teams will be formed at 11:15 a.m.
3. Please note that actual team formation will take place at the above times. Therefore, your teams must plan to be at the appropriate complex and be ready to form teams at these times.
4. U-12, U-16 and VIP games will be played at the Vernon Hills complex. U-14, U-19 and U-10 Games will be played at the Libertyville complex.
5. The first game will start at 8:00 a.m. The last game will start at 3:00 p.m. However, players whose teams are formed at 7:15 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. will be finished by 12:00 p.m. Similarly, teams formed after these times will be finished by 4:00 p.m.
6. Players will have one hour between games so that they are adequately rested for pool play on Thursday.
7. In order to be awarded points for participation in Soccerfest at least one coach and 10 players (8 players for U-12 teams) will need to play in 2 games at Soccerfest.
8. Players who do not arrive at the scheduled time will be placed on a Soccerfest team if possible, but they will not be counted as one of the team's players for purposes of

awarding points.

9. All teams participating in Soccerfest will need to bring at least 1 game ball with them. This will ensure an adequate number of balls for each game.

10. We are looking for coaches who are willing to coach U-10 teams for Soccerfest. Anyone who is interested in doing so should contact Jim Latta at 847.869.9509.

11. Remember AYSO registered players who are not on your team may register for Soccerfest. They must fill out a registration form, attach a copy of a current Registration form, and pay the required fee. These materials may be submitted at team registration, but we would appreciate it if the registrations are sent in early. It makes planning and team formation easier. All Soccerfest applications for currently registered AYSO players must be signed by the Regional Commissioner.

12. Non AYSO players may also register for Soccerfest if they complete an AYSO player registration form and include it with the registration form and fee.