



Germany Tour 2013

Myerstown Soccer Club ELCO BOYS INDOOR TOURNAMENT March 3 and 4, 2012

Saturday, March 3 - Boys U-8, U-10, U-12, U-14
Sunday, March 4 - Girls U-8, U-10, U-12, U-14

- All games in age group will be played continuously until age group is complete.
- Minimum of four (4) teams per age group required or age group will be dropped.
- Minimum of three (3) - 20 minute games guaranteed.
- 5 v 5 (including keeper) format with "on the fly" substitution.
- Maximum roster size of 10 players and 2 coaches.
- Tournament features walled-in sidelines and touchline end lines.

Open to any EPYSA Registered Teams (Travel/Rec) and/or players.
 All teams are responsible for their own insurance (EPYSA registered players are covered).
 Tournament team roster can be handed-in on day of tournament.
 ELCO High School coaches and players will referee
 Concessions will be available on-site. No outside food or drinks will be permitted.
 Spectator fee - \$2.00 for adults/\$1.00 for students.
 Registration forms and tournament rules are available on the Myerstown Soccer Club website at www.myerstownsoccerclub.org.

Location is ELCO High School, 180 ELCO Drive, Myerstown, PA, 17067.
Cost is \$100 per team with all proceeds benefiting the ELCO Boys 2013 Germany trip.

Complete and return bottom portion of this form with check for \$100 made payable to "MSC Soccer Trip" by February 18, 2012. Send to:
 Greg Eckel
 Myerstown Soccer Club
 PO Box 3
 Myerstown, PA 17067 **or** e-mail this form to tour@myerstownsoccerclub.org.

The number of teams for each age bracket is limited and will be selected based on the order that registration and payment is received, so REGISTER EARLY. It is sure to be a great day of soccer and fun for all.

_____ **Complete and return bottom portion** _____

Club Name _____ Circle one: *Travel* *Rec*

Team Name: _____

Age Division - Circle one: U-8 U-10 U-12 U-14 Circle one: *Boys* *Girls*

Coach's Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone (home & cell): _____

F-mail:

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Medical Release Form

(To be turned in the day of the tournament)

Player's Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Emergency Contact (Parent/Guardian):

Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Insurance Coverage: _____

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Recognizing the possibility of physical injury associated with soccer and in consideration of the Eastern PA Youth Soccer Association. The Myerstown Soccer Club and the Elco School District accepting the registrant for this soccer tournament, I hereby release, discharge and/or otherwise indemnify these organizations against any claim by or on behalf of the registrant's participation in this tournament. I also recognize that any costs that may be incurred as a result of any injury and/or medical treatment are my responsibility and not the responsibility of the above organizations. In addition, I authorize any treatment that may be required until such time that I am notified.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

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Rules and Regulations

All outdoor rules apply except for the following:

1. There are no off-sides.
2. All substitutions are made on the fly.
3. Keepers can throw the ball, but it may not cross midfield in the air.
4. Keepers cannot punt or drop-kick the ball.
5. Keepers can place the ball on the ground and kick it over half (ball is live). Infraction of any of the Keeper rules will result in an indirect kick at midfield.

There is no slide tackling. A slide tackle will result in a direct kick from the point of the infraction. A 2-minute penalty will be assessed.

There is no boarding or pushing into the sideline bleachers. A direct kick will result from the point of the foul and a 2-minute penalty will be assessed.

If a **player kicks the ball and it hits the ceiling**, a 2-minute penalty will be assessed and the opposing team is awarded a direct kick from the approximate spot where the ball hit the ceiling. If the team with a power-play (person advantage) scores, the penalty is over and the short-handed team may return to full strength.

Players must be 8 feet away from the spot of the ball on free kicks.

Play will continue on any ball that comes back into play from the sideline bleachers. If the ball does not return to play, a kick-in will be awarded.

No cleats or turf shoes, only sneakers. Shin guards are required for all players.

Any fighting among players, coaches, and/or fans will result in immediate ejection of the person or possibly the team based on the incident (ELCO staff discretion).

It will be the honor system for the coaches to use only age appropriate players (fall age group applies). If a team is caught using an illegal age (older) player, the team will be disqualified from the tournament. The entry fee will not be returned.

Each age group winner will be determined by a point system: 3 for a win, 1 for a tie and a possible + 1 bonus point for a shutout (no bonus points will be awarded for a 0-0 draw).

If two or more teams are tied on points at the end of play, the tie breaker determination will be in the following order: Head to Head, Goal Differential (maximum +5 per game), Goals Against, Flip of Coin.

No protests allowed. Please respect the referee's decisions. In the event of an issue not clearly defined in these rules, the tournament director will have the final say. Good sportsmanship will be the rule of the day and greatly appreciated.