



2022 SYL Match Requirements and Covid-19 Policies

Covid-19 Precautions & Best Practices

All clubs, staff, players and parents will be required to follow the precautions and best practices laid out below on game days. The information in this document is not intended or implied to be a substitute for professional medical advice, diagnosis, or treatment. All content, including text, graphics, images and information, are provided for general informational purposes only. The knowledge and circumstances around COVID-19 are changing constantly and, as such, the Super Y League makes no representation and assumes no responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of this information. **This information is subject to change throughout the SYL season.**

- Coaches
 - Always required to wear a mask, except when speaking to players
 - Upon arrival ask players if they are experiencing any symptoms of Covid-19. If an athlete has any signs or symptoms of COVID19, the athlete should be sent home and instructed to contact his/her healthcare provider as soon as possible.
 - Maximum of 2 coaches per team will be allowed in the bench area
 - Ensure all soccer balls, benches and other equipment is cleaned/sanitized before player arrival and use
 - Ensure bench areas are sanitized following the conclusion of games as well
 - Designate one person to handle the check-in process with referees; Ensure the same person tracks stats to avoid multiple interactions
 - Ensure players and staff maintain social distancing guidelines in the bench area; 6FT of space between players/staff
 - No huddles or team groupings before games, during half-time or after games

- Parents
 - Must always maintain social distancing guidelines; Stay 6FT away from other spectators
 - Required to wear a mask at all times
 - Provide your children with hand sanitizer
 - Must leave the field area as soon as games are completed; This will help allow time in between games for people to arrive to and from the playing area safely

- Players
 - Required to wear a mask at all times, other than on the playing field
 - Maintain social distancing guidelines when possible (Arriving to and from the playing area, while in the bench area)
 - Bring your own, personal water bottles, towels and sanitation products; Do not share any source of hydration or personal hygiene product



- Other than when on the field, avoid any contact with teammates or other players including hugs, high fives and any other types of physical interactions
- No pre-game walkouts or handshakes
- Players should leave the field immediately following the conclusion of the games

- Referees
 - Required to wear a mask to and from the field
 - Required to wear a mask during team check-in
 - Maintain social distancing guidelines during check-in; 6FT of space between players.

Team Requirements for Matches (Both Teams)

- Official Game Day Roster
 - **The Referee must receive both the Home & Away score sheets before the match. The referee will keep both score sheets during the entirety of the game as the Referee is responsible for tracking all statistics during the match. Once the match has been completed, the Home team is required to retrieve both score sheets from the referee in order to submit both the HOME & AWAY Game Day Rosters (score sheets) to the league after the completion of the game.**

1. Official Game Day Roster

- Team Rosters are required for every game and can be printed 3 days prior to the game on the teams “Team Connect” page.
- All players AND Staff headshots must appear on the Game Day Roster to participate in a match.
- Coaches MUST appear on the Game Day Roster to be allowed on the sidelines during the game. Coaches can appear on multiple Game Day Rosters if needed.
- Players of a younger age CAN play “up” in an older age group. They will need to be added to the Game Day Roster as a “Guest Player”.
- If a player is rostered in an older age group, and they are of correct age for a younger age group, they can play on that team.
- Unlike last season, the Game Day Roster will be auto filled to reflect the game details, teams involved, rosters, and match information. Please ensure all coaches have the necessary information to print out the Game Day Roster.
- Scores will be live once submitted via QR Code or through website link found at bottom of Game Day Roster.
- Team Managers/Assistant Coaches for the HOME team are responsible for submitting the Game Day Rosters in its entirety. Stats must be kept for both teams by the referees on site.
- After the match, both coaches and the center referee must sign the Game Day Rosters.
- Within 24 hours of a match’s completion, the HOME team must submit BOTH the HOME & AWAY Game Day Rosters to the league via the QR Code or website link found at the bottom of the Game Day Roster after the game.






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My Team

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GAME DAY ROSTER









GAME	GAME ID	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	DIVISION	POOL				
	123456789	1/2/2014	1:23 AM	The Park	AAA	Gold				
HOME	SCORE	TEAM NAME	AGE GROUP	CLUB	CONTACT NAME	CONTACT PHONE				
		My Team	U-12	My Club	Joe DiMaggio	(555) 555-5555				
AWAY	SCORE	TEAM NAME	AGE GROUP	CLUB	CONTACT NAME	CONTACT PHONE				
		Their Team	U-12	Their Club	Joe Montana	(555) 555-5555				
STAFF	FULL NAME	ROLE		SEND OFF/MINUTE	COACH SIGNATURE					
	George Takei	Coach								
	Almond Roca	Assistant Coach								
	Joe DiMaggio	Manager								
ROSTER	FULL NAME	ROLE		SEND OFF/MINUTE	COACH SIGNATURE					
	#	FULL NAME	POSITION	NOT ROSTERED	STARTER	RESERVE	GOALS/MIN	ASSISTS	SEND OFF/MIN	CAUTION/MIN
	1	Samwise Gamgee	Companion							
	2	Perry Mason	Lawyer							
	3	Angela Lansbury	Sueth							
	4	Sal Monella	Disease							
	5	James Cameron	Director							
	6	Captain Kirk	Captain							
	7	Doctor Who	Doctor							
	8	Katee Sackhoff	Cylon							
Guest Players										
#	FULL NAME	POSITION	REGISTERED TEAM	NOT ROSTERED	STARTER	RESERVE	GOALS	ASSISTS	RED CARDS	YELLOW CARDS
10	Patrick Stewart	Knight	Lions							
11	Albert Einstein	Physicist	Tigers							
12	Nikola Tesla	Genius	Bears							
#	FULL NAME	POSITION	REGISTERED TEAM	NOT ROSTERED	STARTER	RESERVE	GOALS	ASSISTS	RED CARDS	YELLOW CARDS

Coach Photos

George Takei Almond Roca Joe DiMaggio

Player Photos

1 | Samwise Gamgee 2 | Perry Mason 3 | Angela Lansbury 4 | Sal Monella 5 | James Cameron 6 | Captain Kirk 7 | Doctor Who 8 | Katee Sackhoff

Guest Player Photos





10 | Patrick Stewart 11 | Albert Einstein 12 | Nikola Tesla

SYL Scouting Network Player Recommendation



2. Minimum Standards

- It is the responsibility of the HOME team to make sure the field is properly set up with the following:
 - 1 corner flag at each corner of the field
 - The field is accurately lined
 - Goals are accurate size and secured to the ground, with the nets properly attached.
- It is the responsibility of the HOME team to provide **BENCHES to BOTH** teams at SYL matches.
 - Benches should be separated by a distance of at least 12FT in order to adequately support social distancing of players and bench personnel.
- It is the responsibility of the HOME team to pay for the referees PRIOR to the start of the match and keep the referee assignor updated of any schedule changes including weather, location change, time change, etc.
 - **At designated Midwest, Mid South, and Southwest neutral sites, referee fees will be split between both teams.**
- It is the responsibility of the HOME team to submit the Official Game Day Rosters to the league within 24 hours after the completion of the game through U.S. Soccer Connect.
- To report any Minimum Standards non-compliance, please fill out the [Minimum Standards Form](#).

2022 STANDARDS CHART



Age Group	Birth Year	Number of Players	Field Size (Max)	Goal Size	Game Length	Half Time	Ball Size	Max Game Day Roster
U11	2012	9 v 9	75x47 max yards	6.5 x 18.5	2 x 30	10	4	16
U12	2011	9 v 9	75x47 max yards	6.5 x 18.5	2 x 30	10	4	16
U13	2010	11 v 11	112x75 max yards	8 x 24	2 x 35	12	5	18
U14	2009	11 v 11	112x75 max yards	8 x 24	2 x 35	12	5	18
U15	2008	11 v 11	112x75 max yards	8 x 24	2 x 35	12	5	18
U16/17	2007/2006	11 v 11	112x75 max yards	8 x 24	2 x 40	12	5	18
U18/19*	2005/2004	11 v 11	112x75 max yards	8 x 24	2 x 45	12	5	18

* 6 roster spots available for players born in 2003.

* Clubs may report to their field no earlier than 30 minutes prior to kick-off.



3. Weather Policies

- A game may be cancelled no earlier than two hours prior to the start time unless the facility in which the game is being played is closed.
 - The HOME team must notify the league AND referee assignor of any cancellations.
- If both teams and the officials show up and adverse weather begins prior to kickoff, all parties must wait ONE hour from the start of the match time before fully cancelling a game.
 - The HOME team must pay 50% of the referee fees in the instance the game gets cancelled.
- In the event a game begins that cannot continue through full regulation time due to weather, the following protocol will come into effect.
 - All parties must wait ONE full hour before abandoning the match.
 - If the game has not completed ONE full half, the game must be rescheduled beginning in the same minute with the same score.
 - If the game HAS played one full half, the game score is final.
 - Referees are to be paid the FULL amount by the HOME team (Split at Midwest Neutral Sites) in either circumstance.
- A team unable to attend, or would be late to a scheduled game for any reason must notify the LEAGUE, Opposing Team, and Referee Assignor immediately.
- The referees can provide water breaks for the players at their discretion.

4. Substitution Rule

- **For age groups U11 – U18/19, unlimited substitutions are permitted throughout the regular season and SYL Finals.**
- A substitution occurs when the referee gives permission for a player from a team’s bench to enter the field to replace a member of the same team that is currently on the playing field. Teams may only have 18 players rostered and eligible to participate in a game.
- Alterations to this rule are NOT allowed for weather-related reasons. However, in the interest of player safety, referees are given the right by the LEAGUE to provide water breaks at their discretion.

5. Important Notes

- Referee Payment Scale

AGE	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16/17	U18/19
Referee	50	50	60	60	60	70	75
AR1	30	30	40	40	40	45	50
AR2	30	30	40	40	40	45	50



- Player Registration Dates

U11 Player → Players born in 2012

U12 Player → Players born in 2012

U13 Player → Players born in 2010

U14 Player → Players born in 2009

U15 Player → Players born in 2008

U16/U17 Player → Players born in 2007/2006

U18/U19 Player → Players born in 2005/2004

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- Ineligible Player

Players listed on the Master Roster, but not eligible to play due to reasons such as not appearing on the Official Game Day Roster, registration forms, proof of citizenship, awaiting international clearance, illegal substitutions or serving a LEAGUE suspension shall be considered an ineligible player. Teams using players before they have been properly cleared to compete by the LEAGUE office will be subject to a loss of THREE (3) points in the LEAGUE standings, forfeiture of the game in which the ineligible player was used, and a **fine of \$50 for a violation of this rule.**

- Illegal player

Any player who does not appear on the Master Roster, has not registered and does not appear on the Official Game Day Roster, is not age eligible (regardless of them appearing on the Master Roster) and competes in a game shall be considered an illegal player. Any team using an illegal player shall be subject to a loss of THREE (3) points in the LEAGUE standings, forfeiture of the game in which the illegal player was used, and a **fine of \$150 for violation of this rule.** For clubs with multiple teams under one age group, players may only be on one master roster. Players competing on a team for which they are not on the master roster are considered illegal. Players are NOT allowed to cross over to other teams after playing in ONE match during the SYL season.