

## **FIELDS RULES**

- \* PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR CHILD WITH WATER AT EVERY GAME AND PRACTICE
- \* CHILDREN ARE NOT PERMITTED TO CLIMB ON NETS OR GOALS
- \* PLEASE BE AT THE GAME FIELDS AT TIME SPECIFIED BY YOUR COACH. WHEN IN DOUBT, A GOOD RULE OF THUMB IS 30 MIN BEFORE THE START OF THE GAME
- \* ALL PLAYERS MUST WEAR SHIN GUARDS DURING GAMES AND PRACTICES
- \* HELP US KEEP OUR FIELDS CLEAN-PLEASE PLACE ALL TRASH IN THE TRASH RECEPTACLES.
- \* NO SMOKING ALLOWED AT THE SOCCER FIELDS
- \* NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED ANYWHERE ON THE COMPLEX
- \* NOISE MAKERS ARE PROHIBITED
- \* NO AGGRESSIVE PETS ARE ALLOWED AT THE SOCCER FIELDS. IF YOU CHOOSE TO BRING YOUR ANIMAL YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CLEANING UP ANY MESSSES THAT THEY MAKE
- \* SEATING IS RESTRICTED TO SIDES OF FIELDS. FRIENDS AND FAMILY ARE REQUIRED TO SIT ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF THE FIELD FROM THE TEAM. NO ONE IS PERMITTED TO STAND/SIT BEHIND GOALS/END ZONES
- \* PARENTS AND SPECTATORS ARE WELCOME TO SIT ANYWHERE ON THE DESIGNATED SIDE OPPOSITE FROM THE TEAMS, HOWEVER, SHOULD ANY ISSUES OCCUR THAT REQUIRE INTERVENTION OR GAME STOPPAGE PARENTS AND SPECTATORS MAY BE ASKED TO SEPARATE EACH TO THE SIDE DIRECTLY ACROSS FROM THEIR TEAM. THIS MAY BE REQUIRED AT ANY TIME BY THE GAME OFFICIALS, REFEREE ASSIGNOR OR A BOARD MEMBER AND BOTH HOME AND AWAY TEAM SHALL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLY OR YOU WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE FIELDS.

## **ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY**

Physical violence or physical abuse of any person will be cause for permanent suspension from facilities and legal action may be filed.

Unsportsmanlike conduct by players, coaches, referees, or spectators will not be tolerated at any time on fields and surrounding areas.

Unsportsmanlike conduct includes, but is not limited to, the following actions towards any player, coach, referee, spectator or league representative:

- booing, ridiculing, using sarcasm, using intimidation or any other remarks or gestures that are inappropriate and demeaning
- using profanity, racial slurs, or other abusive language or gestures
- threatening physical violence through words or gestures
- throwing of any object onto the field or surrounding areas in a manner that may create a safety hazard

Unsportsmanlike conduct also includes the following specific actions towards any referee:

- questioning a referee before, during or after a game by any person that is not a coach
- questioning a referee in an aggressive manner before, during or after a game
- stepping onto the field during a game to question a referee
- displaying excessive signs of dissatisfaction with a referee's decision