



NBGC SPRING 2023 CO-REC SOCCER

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REGISTRATION

Who: Boys & Girls in grades K-8.

When: Registration open through **April 23rd, 2023**

Cost: \$140 per participant (includes uniform)
(financial assistance available upon request)

How: Online registration available at nbgc.org/athletic-programs.
Registration will take place through the Sawyer platform. See FAQs on page 2 for more details.

PRESEASON PRACTICES

May 6th - May 9th

Challenge League K - 1st grades	Champion League 2nd - 3rd grades	Premier League 4th - 5th grades	World League 6th - 8th grades
Saturday, May 6th 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM	Saturday, May 6th 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM	Saturday, May 6th 1:00 PM - 1:50 PM	Saturday, May 6th 2:00 PM - 2:50 PM
Monday, May 8th 4:30 PM - 5:20 PM	Tuesday, May 9th 4:30 PM - 5:20 PM	Monday, May 8th 5:30 PM - 6:20 PM	Tuesday, May 9th 5:30 PM - 6:20 PM

POTENTIAL GAME SCHEDULE

May 13th - June 17th

Challenge League K - 1st grades	Champion League 2nd - 3rd grades	Premier League 4th - 5th grades	World League 6th - 8th grades
(Start time between 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM) Mondays/Wednesdays	(Start time between 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM) Tuesdays/Thursdays	(Start time between 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM) Mondays/Wednesdays	(Start time between 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM) Tuesdays/Thursdays

ALL LEAGUES

SATURDAYS

Start time between 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

SEASON INFORMATION

- Each team will play 1-2 games per week scheduled on their league's weekday game days or weekend game day.
- Each team will play 7 - 11 games
- There will be no games scheduled on **Thursday, May 18th for NBGC's Leaders of the Future Celebration**. The clubhouse will also be closed **Friday, May 26th-Monday, May 29th for Memorial Day Weekend**.
- If you are interested in volunteering as a coach, please indicate so on your registration form. Coaches will be asked to fill out a volunteer application and will be subject to a background check if they have not already done so in the past 12 months.
- Any changes due to weather will be communicated by NBGC athletic staff as soon as possible.
- Makeup games will be scheduled on Fridays as needed.

Frequently Asked Questions

How do I register for an NBGC athletics program? This season, we will be using our new Sawyer platform for registrations. If you do not have a Sawyer account, please create one at hisawyer.com. Once you have an account, please return to the NBGC website to follow the online registration link.

Email finance@nbgc.org prior to registering if:

- You have an outstanding NBGC Program Credit

or

- You have or plan to apply for financial assistance. Note that financial assistance requests must be renewed every school year.

Where will practices and games take place? All NBGC-scheduled games and practices will take place at Revere Park.

What should my child bring to practices and games? Players should come to practices with a labeled water bottle, cleats or sneaker, shin guards, and athletic wear. Shin guards and NBGC issued jerseys are required for games. Other gear such as a mouthguard is optional.

What can I expect from an NBGC Preseason Practice or game? Preseason Practices are scheduled to last for 45 minutes. Practices will begin with dynamic stretching followed by working on fundamental skills like passing, shooting, dribbling, defense and basic game knowledge. Games are scheduled to last for 60-75 minutes.

Are there NBGC-scheduled practices during the season? No, NBGC only schedules preseason practices. Once games start, any additional practices throughout the season will be coach-scheduled team practices.

Can I stick around and watch my child? NBGC's spectator policy will adhere to the IDPH sports guidelines. Spectators must remain in the designated spectator area.

What happens if weather prevents a game or practice from occurring? Any changes due to serious weather concerns will be communicated by the NBGC staff at the earliest possible opportunity.

How will program changes be communicated? Program is subject to change due to COVID-19 Phase and Tier mitigations. Any changes in programming will be communicated to the email addresses listed on the registration form.

What is the drop-off and pick-up process? All participants should be accompanied by an adult at drop-off.

What happens if I am late/early to drop-off/pick-up? If you are early to drop-off, please wait until you are called to your field. If you are late to pick-up, your child will be brought into the NBGC Clubhouse by staff. Note that late pickups & early drop-offs may incur charges for childcare.

What dates will games not be played? There will be no games scheduled on Thursday, May 18th for NBGC's Leaders of the Future scholarship event. There will be no games scheduled during Memorial Day weekend (Friday, May 26th - Monday, May 29th).

Will players be transported to program? Players in NBGC's after-school program will be brought to their game by NBGC staff if **all** of the following situations apply:

- 1) The player is enrolled in the NBGC after-school programs at NBGC Clubhouse, Bateman Elementary, Linne Elementary, or Cleveland Elementary, and is present in the program that day.
- 2) The player has an NBGC-scheduled preseason practice or game with a start time **at or before** 5:30 PM at Revere Park. Transportation will not be provided for coach-scheduled team practices, only NBGC-scheduled games and preseason practices.

How many games will my player have? Each team will play 1-2 games/week.

Will forfeits be rescheduled? Forfeits will not be rescheduled.

I want to coach a team. What do I do? If you'd like to coach your player's team, indicate interest on their registration form. Coaches will be background checked and asked to attend a coaches informational meeting.

What is the cancellation policy? If you cancel prior to the start of programming a Program Credit will be posted to your account. All registration fees are non-refundable. Cancellation requests must be emailed to athletics@nbgc.org and finance@nbgc.org