

Fulton Family YMCA Fall Youth Soccer

Experience the World's Game

Soccer is the most popular sport in the world, with children and adults of all ages playing the sport from dusk till dawn. It is time for you to join in on what people have been playing for years. Sign your child up to play soccer, YMCA style. This coming season, we will strive to not only teach kids how to play soccer, but develop character traits that they can use for the rest of their lives. Character development is just not a word, it is a philosophy of every sport sponsored by the Central Family YMCA.

Children are placed onto teams with one practice a week and a game on Saturdays where the whole family can join in on the exciting atmosphere. Children are encouraged to play with their friends, however teams are restricted to 12 players per team. Everyone participates in soccer, with each player being required to play.

Program Information

Cost: \$45 for members, \$80 for non-members

Age Groups: 3-4 years old, 5-7 years old

Registration Dates: August 6-29

Practice Times: To be determined

Practice Dates: Practices will begin the week of September 1

Game Dates: September 13, September 20, September 27, October 4, October 11, October 18

Coaching Information

Parents interested in coaching, please contact the Sports Coordinator at 661-1093 ext. 231 or e-mail at e.parsons@ymcanwnc.org.

Financial Assistance is available.



Our Mission: Helping people reach their God-given potential in spirit, mind and body.

Fulton Family YMCA

YOUTH ATHLETICS REGISTRATION FORM

PLAYER _____

Last First Nickname

AGE: _____ DIVISION: _____ BIRTHDATE: ____ / ____ / ____ Male Female HEIGHT: _____

SPORT: _____ # Yrs. Participated in this Sport: _____ Member Non-member

SHIRT SIZE: Youth: Sm (6-8) Med (10-12) Lg (14-16) Adult: Small Med Large X-Large

SCHOOL CHILD ATTENDS: _____ GRADE: _____

DO YOU HAVE SIBLINGS PARTICIPATING? Yes No If yes, list name and ages: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Street City State/Zip

NAME OF PARENTS/GUARDIANS

Mother: _____ Home # _____ Work# _____ Cell# _____

Father: _____ Home # _____ Work# _____ Cell# _____

Primary E-Mail Address: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____ Home # _____ Work# _____

Request for Permission: I, the above referenced youth athlete's parent/guardian, hereby register my child to participate in YMCA youth athletics for the above listed sport. Note: this form must be completed for each season participated in.

Assumption of Risk: I acknowledge and understand that there is a risk of injury involved in athletic participation. I understand that my child will be under the supervision and direction of a Branch volunteer youth coach. I agree to follow the rules for the sport and the instructions of the coach in order to reduce the risk of injury to my child and other athletes. However, I acknowledge and understand that neither the volunteer youth coach nor the Branch can eliminate the risk of injury in sports. Injuries may and do occur. Sports injuries can be severe and in some cases may result in permanent disability or even death. I freely, knowingly, and willfully accept and assume the risk of injury that might occur from my child's participation in youth athletics.

Release: In consideration of the Branch allowing my child to participate in youth athletics, I hereby agree to release, waive, discharge, covenant not to sue, hold harmless, and indemnify, on behalf of myself and any other parent or guardian of my child, the Branch, the YMCA of Northwest North Carolina, Inc. and their respective volunteer youth coaches, officials, agents, employees, directors, members, officers and other staff members from liability to us and our child, as well as our personal representatives, assigns, heirs and next of kin, for any and all claims, suits or causes of action arising from or out of any injury, known or unknown, to property or body, that my child may suffer from participation in YMCA athletics, activities, or the above-described sports activities.

Certification of Child's Fitness and Medical Authorization. I, the undersigned, hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge, my child is physically able to safely participate in the sports activity for which he or she has been registered. In addition, I understand that in the case of the illness or injury of my child the Branch will try to notify me or the emergency contact listed on the front side of this form. In the event of a medical emergency concerning my child at a time when either I or the emergency contact person cannot be notified, I hereby authorize Branch officials or my child's coach to obtain the necessary medical care and/or treatment for my child, including but not limited to first aid, X-ray examinations, and aesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment or hospital care and I hereby accept the sole financial responsibility for such medical care, first aid or treatment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Permission, Waiver/Release and Medical Certification form with full knowledge of its contents on this the ____ of _____, 20____.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Print Parent/Guardian Name

Please note your willingness to volunteer by checking 1 or more of the following: Coach Assistant Coach Referee/Umpire
How did you hear about this program? _____

SPECIAL REQUESTS: _____

(Special request may include coach request, teammate request, practice night request but are not guaranteed in any age group with a draft.)

Practice preference (Circle): Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Doesn't matter

For Office Use Only:

Date Registered: ____ / ____ / ____ Receipt #: _____ Registered By: _____ Amount Paid: _____

YOUTH SPORTS

PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

YMCA Youth Sports Philosophy:

YMCA Youth Sports are based on certain beliefs and philosophies: participation and everyone plays. The YMCA encourages having a healthy spirit, mind, and body, meaning the development of the whole person. The YMCA also emphasizes fundamentals, teamwork, fair play, cooperation, and respect for the officials one's self, one's teammates, and the other team. Our philosophy is simple: EVERYONE PLAYS – EVERYONE WINS. Every decision you make and every behavior you display is based first on what you think is best for your athletes, and second, on what can be accomplished to have everyone become a winner.

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child participating in the Youth Sports Program by following this Parent Code of Conduct:

I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all participants, coaches, and officials.

I will do my best to make this program fun for my child.

I will keep winning in perspective. A child usually forgets the outcome of the game: it is the **adults** that have a tendency to stress the win/loss record.

I will ask my child to treat other participants, coaches, officials, parents, and spectators with respect regardless, of race, age, sex, creed, or ability.

I will treat officials and coaches with respect. They are there to provide your child with a safe and healthy learning environment. Officials and coaches deserve the same type of environment from the parents and spectators.

I will strive to be a good role model for my child and the other children in the program. I will encourage my child to learn to **lose with dignity** and **win with grace**.

I will respect my child's coach and do my best to have my child at all practices and games on time. I will recognize the importance of volunteer coaches. I realize they are important to the development of my child and the program. I will communicate with them and support their decisions.

Parent's Signature

Date

Child's Name

Age

YMCA COACH'S CREED

I pledge myself to uphold the mission of the YMCA in my association with team members, coaches, spectators, and opposing teams.

I will exemplify all the principles of good sportsmanship and instill them in the youth under my care. I will not permit any unsportsmanlike conduct from players or spectators representing the team I am coaching.

I will, by personal example, display the qualities of leadership, which will inspire youth to strive toward the goal of good leadership and sportsmanship.

In accordance with the YMCA principles, I shall make fair play and good sportsmanship the primary objective of all competition.

My primary aim as a YMCA coach shall be the development of youth spiritually, mentally, and physically.

I will abide by and uphold the rules and regulations governing athletic contests, as established by the YMCA.

I will, at the conclusion of each game, line up my team facing our opposition and lead them in shaking hands with each member and coach of the opposing team.

The YMCA is looking for volunteer coaches. If you want to put kids first, please fill out a volunteer application and check the coach's box on the registration form and contact Jessica Sheedy at 336-661-1093 or j.sheedy@ymcanwnc.org