

**IYSA Registration
Deadline:
March 25, 2012**

To: Illowa/Illinois Coaches

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Re: IYSA Spring 2012 Registration

This letter contains guidelines for completing your Illinois Youth Soccer Association (IYSA) registration for the 2011-2012 soccer year. If you already registered your team in the Fall of 2011, you do not need to repeat that process for the Spring season – your IYSA registration is for the entire 2011-2012 soccer year.

This IYSA registration process **does not** register you with Illowa for playing Illowa league games; that must be done each fall and spring by completing the league game registration information on the Illowa website (www.Illowa.org).

The following are guidelines for completing your IYSA registration:

1. Roster Form. Print the IYSA/Illowa registration roster form on 8½ x 14” paper (which will provide the room necessary to legibly print your player names, etc.). Please type or **print neatly**. Make sure **all signatures** (coaches and players) are on the roster.

Roster limits: U8 roster limit is 12
U9 roster limit is 12
U10 roster limit is 14
U11 roster limit is 14
U12 roster limit is 14
U13 roster limit is 18
U14 roster limit is 18
U15 roster limit is 18
U16 roster limit is 22
U17 roster limit is 22
U18 roster limit is 22

Players may only
be rostered on **ONE**
competitive team

An Age Chart is also available for reference. The only exceptions are made for U15Boys and U19Girls in the fall, and U15Girls and U19Boys in the spring (to correspond with the high school seasons)

If you will be placing an *Iowa resident* on your roster, please call me ASAP. There are additional forms required for rostering an Iowa resident on an Illinois team – and they must be completed, submitted to Iowa, and approved before your team can register in Illinois.

2. Proof of Age. If the player was rostered on an Illowa/Illinois team last season, you do not have to submit proof of birth. For all other players, you must provide a birth certificate, passport copy or driver’s license copy. Birth certificates will not be retained by the Registrar – they will be returned to you.

3. Emergency Medical Release & Liability Waivers. You must submit a **copy** of a completed Emergency Medical Release & Liability Waiver form for each player (without insurance card

attachment). Those waiver copies will be retained by Illowa. Coaches must retain the originals; **DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR ORIGINALS.**

4. Disclosure Statement. If your team is a member of a Club (EMSSC, GSC, etc.) you must complete a Disclosure Statement for each coach and turn it in to your Club's designated Risk Management Coordinator. Each individual Club is responsible for retaining the Disclosure Statements for each club volunteer and insuring compliance with the IYSA Risk Management Policy (as mandated by the US Youth Soccer Association). **The club's Organization Certification must be turned in to me prior to the start of the Illowa season or all of your teams will be ineligible to play until your club is in compliance.**

If you are an independent team, not a member of any Club, then you need to turn in your coaches' Disclosure Statements to me with your registration materials.

5. Fees. If your team is a member of a Club, your Club will be billed for your Illowa and IYSA fees. If not, you must include a check for your fees with your registration materials. Both fees (Illowa league fee and IYSA registration fee) may be included in one check. Checks must be payable to Illowa Youth Soccer League. Illowa league fees are listed on the Illowa registration web site; the IYSA Registration fees are:

U8 - \$170	U14 - \$245
U9 - \$170	U15 - \$245
U10 - \$195	U16 - \$295
U11 - \$195	U17 - \$295
U12 - \$195	U18 - \$295
U13 - \$245	

6. **IYSA Registration Deadline.** Registration materials should be submitted to me by March 25th (which is approximately 3 weeks prior to the start of the Illowa season), to provide sufficient time for your registration to be processed and cards issued prior to the start of the Illowa season. **A LATE PAYMENT FEE OF \$100 WILL BE ASSESSED FOR A TEAM SUBMITTING IYSA REGISTRATION MATERIALS AFTER 3/25/2012.**

7. Member Pass. After your roster and supporting documents have been checked, the Member Passes will be printed and delivered to you with your official Roster. You will then be responsible for obtaining signatures and attaching pictures to the Member Passes, and getting them laminated – all **prior** to your first game.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Some additional information for future reference –

To add or remove a player or coach from your team, you will need to complete an Add/Transfer form. Those forms, as well as the instructions, are also available on the Illowa website.

Your IYSA registration includes supplemental medical insurance coverage for all registered members of your team. Insurance claim procedures and claim forms are available at the IYSA website (www.IYSA.org) or you can contact me for copies.

Contact me if you have any questions – and have a great season!