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AYSO Section 2 Tournament Team Invitation



Hello, Coaches!

Congratulations on being selected by your Area to participate in the 2009 AYSO Section 2 Tournament.

- Scope:** AYSO Section – open to AYSO fall (not select or All Star) teams only from Section 2.
- When:** Saturday & Sunday, December 12th and 13th, 2009 – Rain Dates: In the event the tournament cannot be completed, it will be rescheduled on a date to be determined by the Section 2 Staff.
- Where:** The tournament will be held at Sea Cloud Park (Pitcairn Dr. at Sea Cloud Dr. Foster City, CA 94404) and Catamaran Park (Catamaran St. and Shell Blvd. 94404) in Foster City, California. There is no charge for parking. No pets are allowed at fields.
- Directions:**
- Sea Cloud Park Fields (S1, S2, S3, S4 and S8) – From Highway 101, take the East exit for Foster City (towards the bay) on Hillsdale Blvd. Take a right on Edgewater. Turn left on Pitcairn. The park is toward the end of the road on your right.
- Catamaran Park Field – From Highway 101, take the East exit for Foster City (towards the bay) on Hillsdale Blvd. Turn right on Shell Avenue. Go $\frac{3}{4}$ mile (over the bridge) to the first stop sign. Turn right on Catamaran and the field is on the right.
- Who:** AYSO boys and girls teams in age divisions: U-14, U-12 and U-10 designated by their Area to participate. All players must be properly registered to play in the Fall 2009 season. Player additions/deletions or combining teams is not allowed.
- What:** Pool play tournament. Each team will be guaranteed 3 games in pool play. The top team in each pool will advance to the Championship Game on Sunday afternoon. All pool play games will have a duration of 40 minutes. The Championship game will be full length (50 minutes for U10, 60 minutes for U12 and 70 minutes for U14) and in the event of a tie, will advance straight to FIFA kicks from the penalty mark (no overtime play).
- Why:** The Section 2 Tournament is being conducted to bring teams together from all areas in the Section, as a reward to the top teams the Section and to advance a team in each division to the AYSO California Cup in Bakersfield, CA March 27/28, 2010.
- Awards:** All players advancing to the medal round will receive a medal. A tournament pin will be presented to each player and a key chain to each coach who participates in the tournament. Winning teams will be invited to participate in the AYSO California Cup in Bakersfield, CA March 27/28, 2010.
- Entry Fee, Refunds:** \$150 for each team payable by a single check issued from either the representative Area's account or Region's account made out to "AYSO Section 2" (no personal checks). The entry fee must be sent to the Tournament Director – J. Drew Van Horne, 1201 St. Joseph Ave, Los Altos, CA 94024 and must arrive by Wednesday December 9th, 2009. If the tournament is cancelled and cannot be rescheduled, a full refund will be issued.
- Referee Fee** Teams are not responsible for providing referees nor is there any referee deposit.
- Rules:** A full set of tournament rules will be provided.
- Acceptance:** Each Area is expected to pre-confirm that a team will accept its spot in the Section 2 tournament and provide an alternate team if not. Rosters, the entry fee and any other requested information needs to be made available at the earliest date possible to the tournament director.

How: Via Email

Address: Section 2 Tournament Director
1201 St. Josph Ave
Los Altos, CA 94024

Information: J. Drew Van Horne
E-mail ayso45drew@gmail.com
Web site www.section2.org
Phone: 650-465-9449 (use only on day of tournament or if you can't reach by Email)

Fields Hotline: AYSO Foster City Rain Out Hotline: (650) 349-5425 – for coaches or team representative use only,
please do not give out to players.