



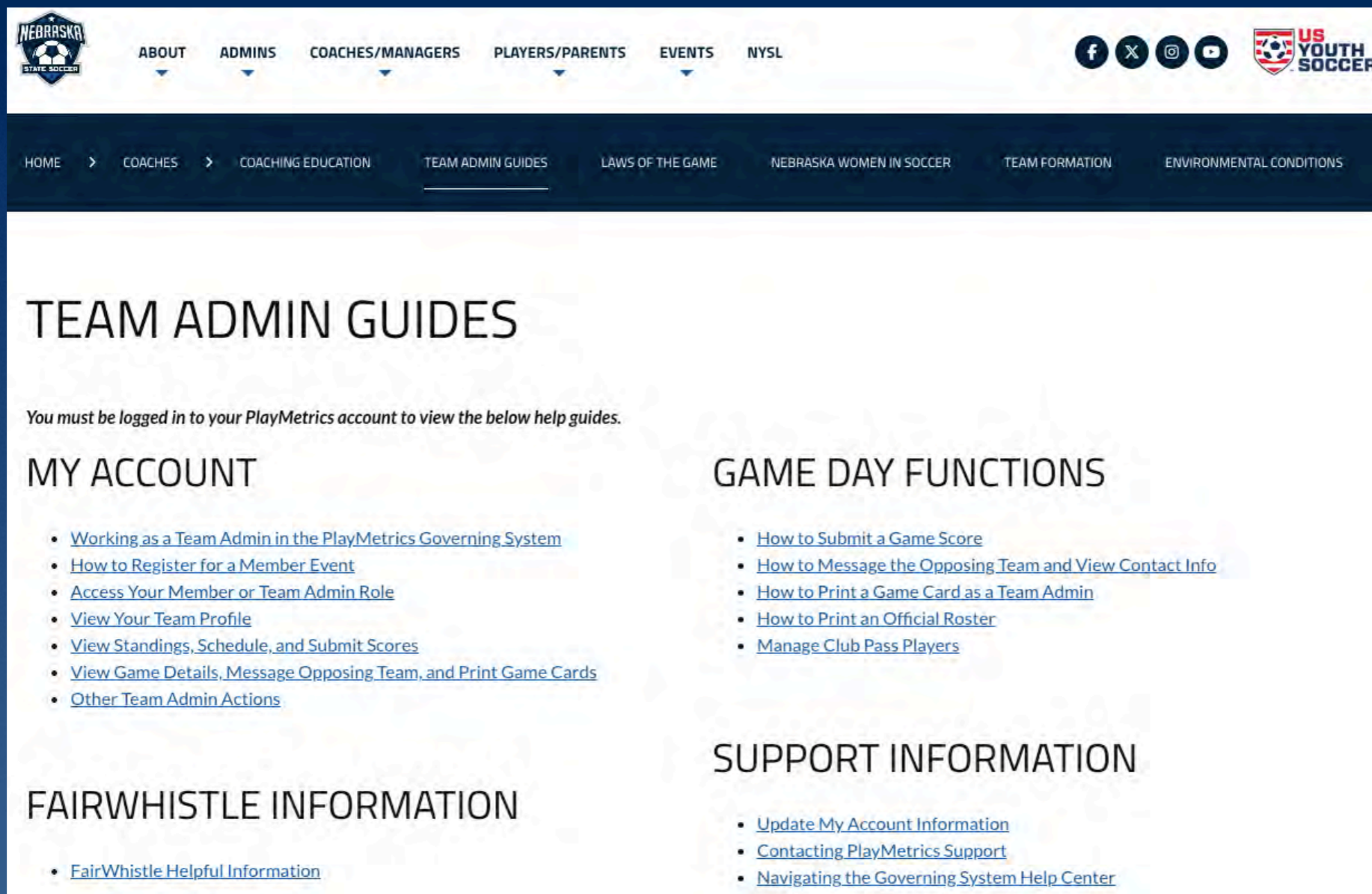
# WELCOME

Team Manager's Meeting  
2026/2027

# Nebraska State Soccer

## PlayMetrics Governing System

<https://www.nebraskastatesoccer.org/coaches/team-admin-guides/>



The screenshot shows the website's navigation menu with options: ABOUT, ADMINS, COACHES/MANAGERS, PLAYERS/PARENTS, EVENTS, and NYSL. Social media icons for Facebook, X, Instagram, and YouTube are present, along with the US Youth Soccer logo. The breadcrumb trail reads: HOME > COACHES > COACHING EDUCATION > TEAM ADMIN GUIDES > LAWS OF THE GAME > NEBRASKA WOMEN IN SOCCER > TEAM FORMATION > ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS. The main heading is 'TEAM ADMIN GUIDES'. A message states: 'You must be logged in to your PlayMetrics account to view the below help guides.' The page is divided into three sections: 'MY ACCOUNT' with links like 'Working as a Team Admin in the PlayMetrics Governing System', 'GAME DAY FUNCTIONS' with links like 'How to Submit a Game Score', and 'FAIRWHISTLE INFORMATION' with a link 'FairWhistle Helpful Information'. A 'SUPPORT INFORMATION' section is also present with links like 'Update My Account Information'.

NEBRASKA STATE SOCCER

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## TEAM ADMIN GUIDES

You must be logged in to your PlayMetrics account to view the below help guides.

### MY ACCOUNT

- [Working as a Team Admin in the PlayMetrics Governing System](#)
- [How to Register for a Member Event](#)
- [Access Your Member or Team Admin Role](#)
- [View Your Team Profile](#)
- [View Standings, Schedule, and Submit Scores](#)
- [View Game Details, Message Opposing Team, and Print Game Cards](#)
- [Other Team Admin Actions](#)

### GAME DAY FUNCTIONS


- [How to Submit a Game Score](#)
- [How to Message the Opposing Team and View Contact Info](#)
- [How to Print a Game Card as a Team Admin](#)
- [How to Print an Official Roster](#)
- [Manage Club Pass Players](#)

### FAIRWHISTLE INFORMATION

- [FairWhistle Helpful Information](#)

### SUPPORT INFORMATION

- [Update My Account Information](#)
- [Contacting PlayMetrics Support](#)
- [Navigating the Governing System Help Center](#)



# Team Manager/Treasurer Handbook

The Newly Updated Handbook will be loaded to the website on July 1st and there are changes to the Travel Sections, so be sure to read over these changes.

[https://irp.cdn-website.com/1cdd6f94/files/uploaded/  
Team%20Manager%20Handbook%202023-2024%20Updated.pdf](https://irp.cdn-website.com/1cdd6f94/files/uploaded/Team%20Manager%20Handbook%202023-2024%20Updated.pdf)



# Coaches Handbook

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<https://irp.cdn-website.com/1cdd6f94/files/uploaded/2023-2024%20Coaches%20Handbook%20Update.pdf>



# What's NEW

## Soccer.com is our New Uniform Provider

They will provide Uniform Kits for the following:

- Academy U11/U12 Teams
- Competitive U13 & up Teams

## Soccer Internationale is our Exclusive Spirit Wear Provider

The Online Store is 24/7 so you can order anytime with new gear being added often

See the website link below that is located under the Resources tab  
<https://www.sportingnebraskafc.com/spirit-wear>





([Playmetrics.com](https://playmetrics.com))

ALL Club Correspondence, including club announcements, cancellations, field closures, practice schedules, game schedules, player evals & more, will be sent through PlayMetrics.

Keep in mind the club PlayMetrics is cosmetic and ALL changes to Official Rosters on the Governing side, must go through the office (Renee).





## Instructional links below

Parents/Players:

Video Instruction: <https://vimeo.com/344840829/c50aa38284>

Article Description: <https://playmetrics.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/360024272234>

Team Managers:

Video Instruction - <https://vimeo.com/344838245/7eafef01f4>

Article Description- <https://playmetrics.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/360024992394>



# Risk Management

Background Checks, Safe Sport Certification/Review & Concussion Certifications

**Safe Sport & Concussion Instructions:** Now done through the US Soccer Learning Center- Follow the link and check the bottom of the page for the instructions to complete each task. I have included a screenshot to show the instructional page. [\\_https://clubs.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=1457744](https://clubs.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=1457744)

**Background Check Instructions:** Follow the link and you will see the screenshots below to help guide you through. DO NOT complete any other way and DO NOT ever 'pay' for the process. <https://clubs.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=1334166>

Background Checks, SafeSport Certification, and Concussion training are Required by every staff member & volunteer in the club.

*Background checks are valid for 2 yrs, and Safe Sport & Concussion Certifications are valid for 1 yr.*



# Safe Sport for All Athletes 18 yrs old & up

All players 18yrs old, or who will be turning 18 yrs old during the 26/27 Season (Aug. 1st - July 31st), will be **REQUIRED** to complete the Safe Sport for Athletes. Failure to do so will result in the 'blocking' of their player pass by the Nebraska State Soccer Association which will make them ineligible for all games/events.

If you are a Team Manager of an U18/U19 team, then please make sure to remind your families of this requirement so that all players are in compliance for the season.

**Players or club admins can request an Adult Athlete RM Account by contacting Renee Wanderscheid**



# Sporting Nebraska FC - STOPIT

SNFC's pledge to eliminate all forms of racism, prejudice, discrimination, sexism and bullying on and off the playing field.



The STOPIT program was established in August 2019 to create recognition and awareness against all forms of discrimination and injustice. As a club, Sporting Nebraska FC will not tolerate any racial or abusive comments or actions. We stand united against racism, prejudice, discrimination, sexism and bullying to all. We support breaking down barriers and being part of the solution. Through soccer we create unity.

SNFC-STOPIT, please report any acts of racism, prejudice, discrimination, sexism and bullying directly to Sporting Nebraska FC Board of Directors or your Director of Coaching.

**Sven Jasinski, SNFC Board President, [jasinski\\_sven@yahoo.com](mailto:jasinski_sven@yahoo.com)**  
**Alex Mason, Girls Director of Coaching, [alexm@sportingnebraskafc.com](mailto:alexm@sportingnebraskafc.com)**  
**Karl Ostrand, Boys Director Coaching, [kostrand@sportingnebraskafc.com](mailto:kostrand@sportingnebraskafc.com)**



# Team Checking Accounts

RL, Elite, Gold & Academy Teams Only

## Bank of Choice

Accounts can be set up at the bank of your choice and be sure to set up ONLINE banking so that you DO NOT incur monthly service fees (most banks offer that service).

It may be easier to setup an additional checking account at your personal bank, so you might want to check on that option. You can also use VENMO or CASH APP if you so choose to do so.

- If for some reason you withdrawal from your Team Manager duties, it is your responsibility to get all team documents & team belongings passed to the new manager or bring to the SNFC office.



# TEAM FEES

Any player with an 'outstanding' balance on their Team Fees, after repeated attempts to collect the dues by the Team Managers, needs to be reported to the Coach, the DOC & Renee Wanderscheid in a timely matter. (Please do not wait until they are months behind)

High School Age Players U15-U19 need to have ALL Teams Fees PAID prior to the end of the season, and/or prior to the last Team Event (tournaments, ID Camps, College Search, etc...). Their season ends in January/February, so they need to be paid prior to the end of the year.

Reschedules, Forfeit and Cancellation Fees within the NYSL League, are the responsibility of the TEAM, so be sure to get those Fees paid before the end of the season or directly thereafter.

All Fees associated with State Cup, Regionals, Nationals, Presidents Cup, etc... are the responsibility of the team and need to be added to the Team Fees. DO NOT close your accounts until you have all fees collected.



# PLAYER PASSES

Headshots ONLY

MUST be Laminated and on a key ring for Events

You will be able to print a set of USYS Player Passes that will be used ALL Season (Fall & Spring)– **DO NOT** throw them away or destroy them.



# MEDICAL RELEASE FORMS

[http://www.nebraskastatesoccer.org/education/  
registrar\\_help/](http://www.nebraskastatesoccer.org/education/registrar_help/)

(also found under the resources tab in PlayMetrics)

US Youth (USYS) Medical Release  
(required of every player playing in  
NYSL, except GA players U14 & up)

US Club Pass Medical Release (ECNL,  
ECNL-RL, & GA Teams)



# UNIFORMS

[Soccer.com](https://www.soccer.com)

Families will order their uniform kits via [soccer.com](https://www.soccer.com) and they will be delivered directly to them.

Parents will receive a link from the Office to order their uniform kits via [soccer.com](https://www.soccer.com)

We are in year 2 of our current two year cycle, so only NEW players to the club & players moving up to U11 from U10 Academy will need to purchase the Uniform Kits.

Final Uniform Sizing  
Tuesday, June 30th  
12:00 - 6:00pm

Omaha Sports Complex

\*After June 30th, players will need to size off of a teammate



# Jersey Numbers

- All Academy and U11 – U19 Teams will be assigned specific numbers by the Coaching Staff

## **GIRLS TEAMS playing 11vs11**

- The top teams will start at number 1, going in order.
- Top teams (GA) 1 to 22 in order
- Second Teams (Elite) 23 to 44 in order
- Third Teams (Gold) 45 to 66 in order

## **BOYS TEAMS playing 11vs11**

- The top teams will start at number 1, going in order.
- Top teams (ECNL) 1 to 25 in order
- Second Teams (RL) 26 to 50 in order
- Third Teams (Gold) 51 to 75 in order



# Jersey Numbers

- All Academy and U11 – U19 Teams will be assigned specific numbers by the Coaching Staff

## **GIRLS TEAMS playing 9vs9**

- The top teams will start at number 1, going in order.
- Top teams (Elite) 1 to 22 in order
- Second Teams (Gold) 23 to 44 in order

## **BOYS TEAMS playing 9vs9**

- The top teams will start at number 1, going in order.
- Top teams (Elite) 1 to 25 in order
- Second Teams (Gold) 26 to 50 in order
- Third Teams (Navy) 51 to 75 in order
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# Duplicate Numbers

If you should have duplicate jersey numbers on your team, it can be solved one of two ways, but be sure to get your coaches approval first.

## Jersey Number Assignments Guidelines

1. All out of club players will be assigned a # within the 'range' for the team by the coach
2. Any in-club players with numbers within the 'range' will keep their numbers
3. Any in-club players outside of the new teams 'range' will alter their number in case they are helping with other teams
4. Any in-club players with duplicate numbers due to team movement will need to 'alter' their current number by adding a digit before or after their number  
EX: Duplicate Player is # 10, then he can be 100, 101... or 110, 210...
5. GK can keep their numbers if different than field players, or just add another 0, etc...
6. U10 Academy Players moving up to U11 will have to purchase the Uniform Kit via the [soccer.com](#) link that will be sent to their email address.



# TRAINING KITS

Training Kits for U11 & older competitive teams, as well as u8, u9 & u10 Academy teams will be purchased from Soccer Internationale.

U11/U12 Academy Teams will NEED to purchase a Long Sleeve Training Top as it is Required

Lincoln Teams will need to contact Katie Thimmesch to assist with their purchase of the training kits.

Cost for 1 grey dry-fit, 1 black short, and 1 black pair of socks is approximately \$36.

Soccer Internationale  
2541 S. 132nd St.  
Omaha, NE 68144  
402-330-9862



# Leagues

The club covers the cost of one Division of NYSL League play for both Fall and Spring for U8-U14 teams, so there is no need to apply this to team fees.

However, there are times when you will need to budget the cost in your Team Fees.



# When to budget?

## **-Additional Division-**

Your team is responsible for Additional Division League fees if you play in more than one age group per season and you will need to budget for the extra cost.

EXAMPLE: Your team plays in NYSL

If NYSL costs \$1000, and you play in the U16 & U17 Age group in Fall, then the team would pay \$1000 to cover the additional league entry, and that fee will need to be added to your Team Budget.



# When to budget?

## - Playing Up an Age Group -

Your team is responsible for the difference of the League fees if you Play Up an age group, and that age group cost is more than your 'true' age group.

EXAMPLE: Your team plays up an Age Group in NYSL

If you normally play in the U14 age group and you decided to Play Up to the U15 age group, and the NYSL cost is more at the U15 age group, then the team would pay the difference to cover the cost and that fee would need to be added to your Team Budget. U14 costs \$950 & U15 costs \$1050, then the team would be responsible for the \$100 difference.



# When to budget?

## - Playing in a Different League -

Your team is responsible for the difference of the League fees if you participate in a league other than NYSL and that League has a greater cost.

EXAMPLE: Your team plays in Heartland League, Alliance League, etc...

If that 'other' League has a higher cost than the budgeted NYSL League, then the team would pay the difference to cover the cost and that fee would need to be added to your Team Budget. Heartland League cost is \$1200 and NYSL League cost is \$1050, then you would need to budget for the difference of \$150.





NEBRASKA YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE

## NYSL- Premier Conference

Registration Deadline: July 6th

Self Scheduling Mtg:

Level 1

Division 1 & 2 - July 18th & 19th

Self Scheduling Mtg:

Level 2

Division 3 & 4 - July 25th & 26th

Schedules Released: July 31st

Roster Deadline: July 27th

Dates of Play: Aug 8th - Nov 22nd





NEBRASKA YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE

## NYSL- Developmental Conference

Registration Deadline: August 9th  
Blackout Dates Deadline: August 10th

Schedules Released: August 19th  
Roster Deadline: August 18th

Dates of Play: Aug 29th - Nov 8



# Trapped Players

## High School Players U15 Age Group

Spring High School players U15 do not have Spring Fees built into their registration fees since they are NOT allowed to participate in Club Soccer while playing High School Soccer. So, for those U15's who will be 8th graders in the Spring of 2027, they will need to pay an additional fee to train and/or play in league.

\*The Spring Team Cost for Training & NYSL League Play will be \$225  
The decision to train or train/play, will be determined by the DOC and the Coaching Staff, as it is NOT a choice. Payment will be DUE prior to the 1st training session in March 2027.



# TOURNAMENTS

<https://htgsports.net/ttc/ttc>

## - TOURNAMENT SITE -

For tournament registration, Guest Players & permission to Travel Forms, see the link above. (these can also be found in PlayMetrics under the Club Resources tab)

## - EARLY TOURNAMENTS -

(early August)

Be sure to inform Renee Wanderscheid (USYS), Dani Pappas (GA) & Karl Ostrand or Nathan May (ECNL/RL) of any EARLY events that your team will be participating in ASAP, as US Club passes (GA, ECNL, ECNL-RL) can take days, even weeks to get processed and approved.

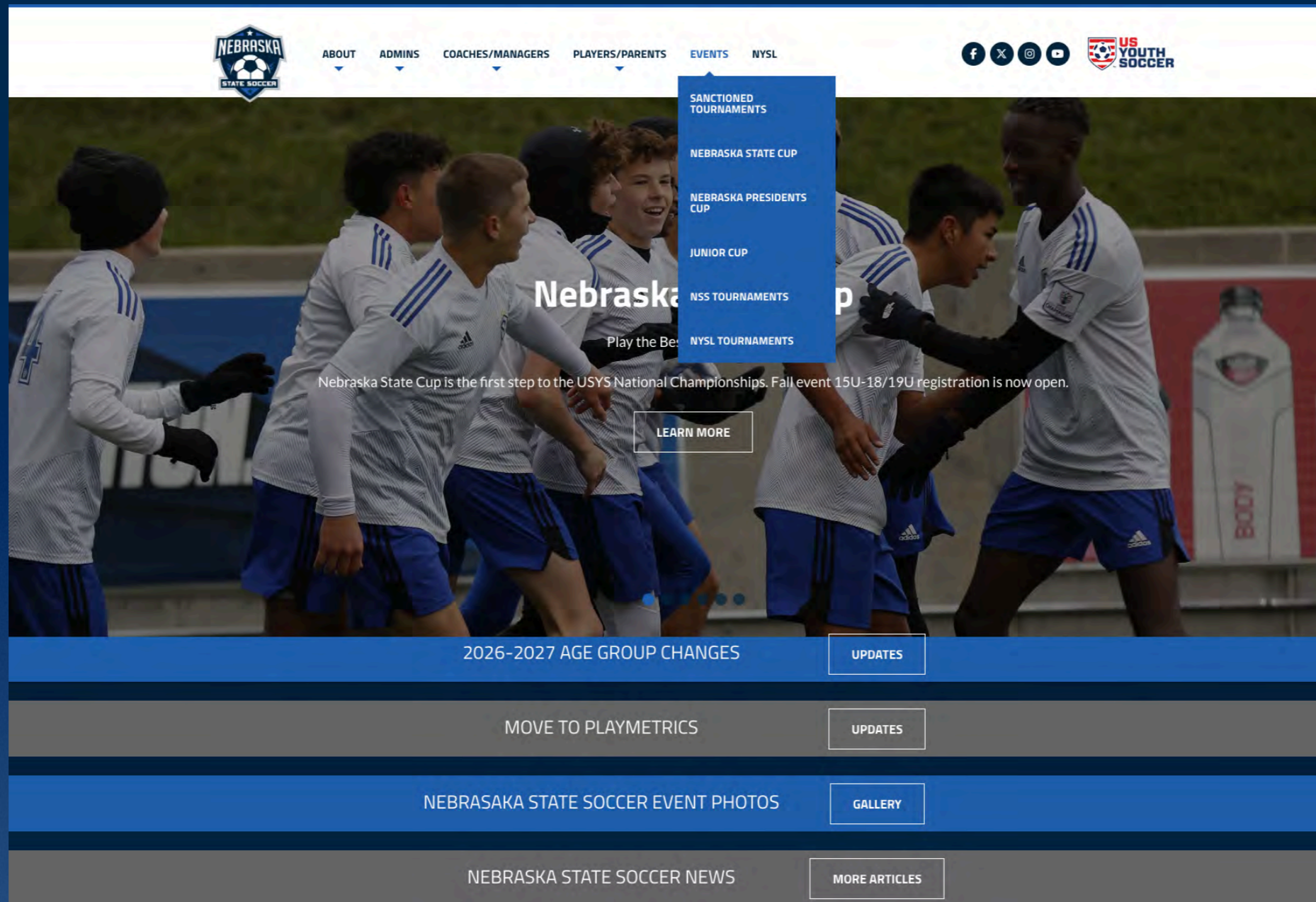


# Tournament Rules

Please read up on Tournament registrations and rules. You will need to determine if you can use US Club Passes or USYS player passes according to what the tournament accepts, if you can have Guest Players, if you must 'stay to play' and if you need out of state travel permit papers.

**ECNL, RL & GA Teams DO NOT need Travel Permits**





The Tournament Center can be found on the Nebraska State Soccer website, <https://www.nebraskastatesoccer.org/soccer-events/>



# HTG Sports



Find A Tournament

Guest Players

Travel Permits

Host a Tournament

Renee Wanderscheid

JUN 2026 State: --All--

## JUNE 2026

Watertown Spring Shootout 2026 Watertown	Jun 5 - Jun 7, 2026	Watertown Youth Soccer Association Deadline: 05/01/2026
2026 Columbus Classic Wilderness Park Soccer Complex, Columbus, Nebraska	Jun 5 - Jun 7, 2026	Columbus Soccer Club Deadline: 05/02/2026
Duluth Head of the Lakes Stebner Soccer Fields/Jean Duluth Soccer Fields	Jun 5 - Jun 7, 2026	Gitchi Gummi Soccer Club Deadline: 05/01/2026
2026 Sunset Coast Classic 2325 Click Rd	Jun 5 - Jun 7, 2026	PYSA Deadline: 04/01/2026
NSC All American Cup National Sports Center, Blaine, MN	Jun 5 - Jun 7, 2026	Minnesota Youth Soccer Association Deadline: 04/24/2026
Kick It Up 3203 N Grant Rd, Carroll, IA	Jun 6 - Jun 6, 2026	Carroll Parks and Rec Dept Deadline: 05/15/2026
Mankato SoccerFest 2026 1875 Carlson Dr, North Mankato, MN 56003	Jun 6 - Jun 6, 2026	Mankato United Soccer Club Deadline: 05/10/2026
University of Okoboji Classic Invitational - 2026 Bedell Family YMCA, Spirit Lake	Jun 6 - Jun 7, 2026	Boji Soccer Classic Deadline: 04/01/2026
2026 SCHEELS' Rushmore Cup Dakota Fields Sports Complex	Jun 12 - Jun 14, 2026	Black Hills Rapids Soccer Club Deadline: 05/03/2026
2026 Chicagoland Spring Invitational Bourbonnais, IL	Jun 12 - Jun 14, 2026	Chicagoland United Soccer Club Deadline: 05/01/2026
Palace City Cup Mitchell	Jun 12 - Jun 14, 2026	Mitchell Soccer Association Deadline: 05/31/2026
2026 Norfolk Express Soccer Tournament Norfolk, NE	Jun 13 - Jun 14, 2026	Norfolk Express Soccer Club Deadline: 06/01/2026
Essentia Health Lake Superior Open 2026 Duluth, MN	Jun 26 - Jun 28, 2026	East Select Soccer Deadline: 04/30/2026
Owatonna Husky Hustle Owatonna Minnesota	Jun 26 - Jun 28, 2026	Owatonna Soccer Association Deadline: 05/29/2026

### Legal

- Terms of Service
- Privacy Policy

### Connect



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# Sporting Nebraska Events

As a club, we will not be promoting events at CHI other than the GSI Events below



The poster features the GSI logo at the top center, with 'GLOBAL SPORTS INT.' underneath. To the right, '2026 TOURNAMENTS' is written in large, bold letters. Below this, six tournament entries are listed, each with a logo on the left and text on the right. The text for each entry includes the date, location, and venue. At the bottom of the poster, the website 'WWW.GSISPORTS.COM' is displayed.

Tournament Name	Date	Location	Venue
GSI 3v3 CLASSIC	JUNE 27	OVERLAND PARK, KS	SCHEELS OVERLAND PARK SOCCER COMPLEX
THE MIDWEST CHALLENGE	JULY 31-AUG 2	OVERLAND PARK, KS	SCHEELS OVERLAND PARK SOCCER COMPLEX
FALL CUP	SEPTEMBER 11-13	RIVERSIDE, MO	KC CURRENT
THE OMAHA FALL CUP	SEPTEMBER 18-20	LA VISTA, NE	CHI HEALTH NEB MULTISPORT COMPLEX
SPORTING IOWA FALL CUP	SEPTEMBER 25-27	GRIMES, IA	HY-VEE MULTIPLEX SPORTS COMPLEX
SHOWCASE	NOVEMBER 13-15	KANSAS CITY	SCHEELS OP & GARMIN OLATHE SOCCER COMPLEXES

College ID Camps - January



# NMSC

## Practice Etiquette

### CHI Health MultiSport Complex – Nebraska Use Agreement Rules and Regulations

**No parking or stopping along the main roads or anywhere except parking spots in the parking lot**

- No person shall engage in any sale of merchandise, services or operate any concessions without prior approval.
- The Applicant must provide adequate supervision of all players on the fields. Misuse of the facility or failure to conform to the regulations will be sufficient reason to deny any future application.
- Alcoholic Beverages and/or illegal substances are prohibited on NMS property. Appropriate law enforcement agencies will be notified when violations occur and appropriate action against all involved parties will apply.
- Players/spectators are prohibited from chewing gum or sunflower seeds while on the fields.
- Gum may damage the surface of the field and the Applicant shall be responsible for any and all costs incurred by the NMS for proper removal of gum found on any field(s) used by Applicant. Players/spectators are prohibited from bringing any food onto the fields, including sunflower seeds.
- Lighted areas close at 11:00 p.m., unlighted areas are closed at dusk.
- Specific prior permission is required for decorations or alterations to fixtures, walls, etc. or posting of signs for the purpose of advertising or decorating that facility or for any other purpose without first having obtained the written permission of the NMS. A reasonable charge may be assessed to remove such items (if not promptly removed by the Applicant). Applicant shall be required to repair any damage caused by such advertising or decorations.
- No grills or cookers allowed indoors or on playing surfaces or land adjoining the playing surfaces.
- No amplifiers or devices that produce loud noises shall be permitted.
- Glass containers are prohibited in all areas.
- Pets, skateboards, bicycles, and drones are always prohibited within the facility.
- Only appropriate footwear (no track spikes or track shoes that may damage the athletic fields) may be used on the fields.
- No golf carts (excepting CHI Health MultiSport Complex – Nebraska vehicles) unless or other similar motorized vehicles shall be permitted on any portion of the complex without the written approval of the NMS. All applicants requiring additional golf carts for events will reserve them through NMS.
- No firearms, air rifles, BB guns, spring guns, bow and arrows, slings or any other form of weapon dangerous to human safety are allowed on the facility grounds at any time.



# NMSC Complex Diagram



# NMSC Complex Diagram



# TRAVEL POLICY

This travel policy has been developed to enable each coach to make a substantial contribution to the success of their team and the club as a whole. It is designed to establish and communicate equitable standards and ensure consistent and fair treatment of all coaches who travel on team or club business. It is, of course, impossible to anticipate every situation that may be encountered while traveling on team and/or club business. Thus, we expect each coach to exercise good judgment in incurring travel expenses and not spend more for goods or services than they would normally spend when traveling for themselves. This policy will be used for games that are more than 75 miles away from Omaha/Lincoln.



# Mileage Reimbursements & Rental Cars

There is no reimbursement for transportation within 75 miles (one way, 150 miles round trip) of Omaha including Lincoln, NE.

For sites between 76 and 150 miles (300 miles round trip) -This includes travel to York, NE or Grand Island, NE, Kearney, NE or South Sioux City, NE or similar sites: Reimbursable Mileage ONLY will be returned for the use of a personal vehicle. The current IRS Mileage Reimbursement Rates will be used, and reimbursement will be determined by the total miles from Omaha Sports Complex to the destination field and back (round trip). From Lincoln, reimbursement will be determined by the total miles from State Capital to the destination field and back (round trip).

## OR

The cost of a midsize Rental Car (Cost to include liability insurance, the optional loss/damage waiver, and all taxes, plus gas)

\*Omaha Mileage is calculated from the OSC to the destination game field and back.

\*\*Lincoln Mileage is calculated from the State Capitol to the destination game field and back.

**For travel outside 150 miles, a rental vehicle is the ONLY option.**



# Mileage Reimbursements & Rental Cars

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- For travel outside 150 miles, a rental vehicle is the only option, NO EXCEPTIONS for Coaches older than 25 yrs of age. *For Coaches younger than 25 yrs of age, follow bullet point (A) below:*

**A-** Mileage reimbursement rate per the IRS Mileage Reimbursement Rate

**B-** Mileage Calculation determination is from the OSC to the Destination Field and back to the Omaha Sports Complex (round trip) and from Lincoln, mileage is determined from the State Capital to the destination field and back (round trip).

If traveling by air, the team will be responsible for reimbursing the coach:

- The least expensive 30-day advance airfare available, including baggage fees, rental car at destination, and estimated fuel for trip.
- Airport Parking Fees – Omaha Eppley Airport ONLY, and the team only pays for use of the South or North Lots when parking a vehicle short or long term. The daily stipend is not to exceed \$24.00 per day.
- The Club/Team will pay for all lodging needed to have the coach at each game for the tournament.



# Mileage Reimbursements & Rental Cars

The rental agency provided insurance MUST be purchased to avoid any personal insurance liability. The added insurance will be reimbursed by the team or equally split between teams responsible for the coach's travel expenses.



# Meal Stipends

A coach will be paid following the chart below for meals during the time he/she is required to be with the team:

<b>Per Diem Rate per State</b>	<b>Standard</b>	<b>AZ, NV</b>	<b>CA, CO, MN</b>
Breakfast	\$20.00	\$22.00	\$23.00
Lunch	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$26.00
Dinner	\$33.00	\$36.00	\$38.00
Incidentals	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$5.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$80.00</b>	<b>\$86.00</b>	<b>\$92.00</b>

For one-day trips within 150 miles of Omaha, the coach is only eligible for meals accrued during the time traveled depending on departure and arrival times (see meal time frames below). These days will be set ahead of time but may be adjusted to allow for a coach to arrive or leave a day early or after to allow for a more cost-effective travel plan. If the hotel the coach is staying at provides a complimentary breakfast, the breakfast rate will be deducted from that day's per diem. Game start times may interfere with the complimentary hotel breakfast times, so please plan accordingly. If a Team Dinner is scheduled, the coach has the option to dine with the team for a meal reimbursement. However, if the coach chooses to dine elsewhere on their own, the team will not be responsible for any reimbursement.



# Meal Stipends

## Meal Eligibility Timeframes

**Trip-** First and last day of a multi-day trip

**Breakfast-** Yes, if departure is before 6:30 am

**Lunch-** Yes, if departure is prior to 11:00 am or return is after 2:00 pm

**Dinner-** Yes, if departure is prior to 5:00 pm and return is after 7:00 pm



# **Sporting Nebraska FC Injury Reporting Policy**

## **U8-U10 Academy & U11-U18 Select**

**In the unfortunate situation that involves a season-ending injury or illness, Sporting Nebraska FC will consider a fee reimbursement for the family involved. This does not include team fees assessed by the team, which should be handled directly with the Coach and Team Manager. Refunds will ONLY apply to season-ending injuries or illnesses. The following considerations will be reviewed in determining a refund amount:**

- The injury must be reported to the team coach & DoC within 7 days of the initial incident.**
- A doctors note must accompany the injury & must be submitted to the SNFC Office**



# CAZE Concussion Protocol

Todd Caze

<https://www.sportingnebraskafc.com/concussion-protocol>

## Signs to look for in a concussion

A concussion is a type of mild traumatic brain injury that results from a bump, blow or jolt to the head. Concussions can also occur from a powerful force applied to another area of the body that causes the head and brain to move quickly back and forth. Even a mild bump or blow can be serious and cause significant injury. Loss of consciousness is not required to be diagnosed with a concussion.

The following signs and symptoms can show up immediately following an injury or may not appear for days to weeks following the injury:

- Headache or “pressure” in head
- Problems of dizziness, moving clumsily
- Blurry or double vision
- Sensitivity to light or noise
- Feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy, or groggy
- Difficulty concentrating or remembering
- Answering questions slowly, forgetting instructions
- Appearing dazed or stunned
- Mood, behavior or personality changes



# Headstrong Insurance

<https://www.sportingnebraskafc.com/headstrong-insurance>

The HeadStrong Concussion Insurance Program was developed by Dissinger Reed to specifically insure student athletes from the high cost of concussion treatment and neurological follow up.

The Sporting Nebraska FC athlete has 'first dollar' coverage (zero deductible) for concussion assessment and treatment. Coverage is secondary/excess to any other valid and collectable insurance but will become the primary payor, if no other insurance is available.

Coverage Period: November 1, 2025 November 1, 2026

Deductible: \$0 per claim

Eligible Person: All athletes participating in a Covered Activity

Covered Activities: Participating in practice or play of Soccer governed and/or sponsored by Sporting Nebraska FC.

Medical Maximum: \$25,000 per injury

Benefit Period: 1 year (Benefits will be payable for 1 year from the injury date)

Usual and Customary: 100% Accidental Death & Dismemberment: \$5,000 AD&D

Aggregate: \$250,000

Program Highlights Include:

\$0 deductible and no Copays

Telemed Services, when needed

No restrictions on specific doctors

No referrals needed for treatment

No specific procedure maximums

**Head Strong**  
Concussion Insurance



# Headstrong Insurance

## FAQs

Headstrong is an excess accident plan. What does that mean?

1. The Insurance will pay for covered charges after the primary insurance has been exhausted.
2. Also referred to as "secondary policy" in that it will pay secondary to any primary insurance in place.
3. The insurance will also pay for any covered charges the primary insurance will not cover (including deductibles, copays, and any other out-of-pocket charges).

I have primary insurance, what policy should I give to the provider?

It is best to give the provider BOTH: primary insurance information and the Mutual of Omaha information for the concussion program. The provider should then work directly with Mutual of Omaha to bill primary insurance first, and the Headstrong Concussion Insurance second.

Do I need a referral to see a concussion specialist?

There are no restrictions on specific doctors, and no referral is needed.

What is the policy deductible?

The policy deductible is \$0. The insurance offers first dollar coverage for concussion assessment and treatment. The insurance will pay for out-of-pocket costs remaining from the Sporting Nebraska FC player's primary insurance (copay, deductible, treatment not covered), or will become the primary payor, if no other insurance is available.

I already paid the provider out-of-pocket, will the insurance reimburse me directly?

Yes. Please submit the claim form, other insurance questionnaire, along with Bills and Explanation of Benefits to Mutual of Omaha. It is recommended to contact Mutual of Omaha prior to paying for services out of pocket.

What events are "covered events?"

These soccer events are those that Sporting Nebraska FC players are participating in (ex. practices, games, tournaments, camps, etc...).

How do I submit a claim?

Full details are provided in the Program Guide. You will need to fill out and submit a claim form (incident report), and Other Insurance Questionnaire to the Special Risk Services listed above.

On the claim form: Insured Representative. Who is an Administrator?

This can be a club administrator, athletic trainer, coach or another association representative. It is best to have the Sporting Nebraska FC representative be a person who was present at the time of the accident.



# -Golf Fundraiser-



Sporting Nebraska FC is excited to host our 2nd Annual Summer Scramble! Get your team of four together and join us for a day on the course. It is the mission of Sporting Nebraska FC to be able to provide a player where players can play the game they love without the financial barrier that prevent them from participating at the competition. The Summer Scramble is a great opportunity to get you, your friends, and your company together for a day of fun and to support our young athletes! The proceeds from this event will go to Sporting Nebraska FC to provide more players/teams with scholarships.

## JULY 20, 2026 GOLF FUNDRAISER

### Foursome Details

Iron Horse Golf Course  
900 Clubhouse Drive, Ashland, NE 68003

Check-in: 9:00am  
Scramble: 10:00am

Foursome/Team Price: \$550

- Full team registration required.
- Foursome includes: 18 Holes, Lunch/Snacks, Prizes, Dinner, Awards, and More.

[Register](#)

### Sponsorship Packages



# Sign up your team today or come out and volunteer!

<https://www.sportingnebraskafc.com/snfc-golf-scramble>

## Foursome Details

## Sponsorship Packages

**Team Sponsorship Packages:**

**Title Sponsor (Top Tier) - \$5,000**  
**Benefits:**

- Name integrated into the event name (e.g. "ABC Charity Golf Classic presented by XYZ Corp")
- Logo on all signage, scorecards, banners, and website
- Speaking opportunity or VIP recognition at awards
- 1-2 foursomes included\*
- Dedicated tent or table at registration
- Email and social media feature

**Gold Sponsor - \$3,000**  
**Benefits:**

- Prominent logo placement on banner and printed materials
- 1 foursome or team entry
- Logo on website and emails
- Hole signage
- Email and social media feature

**Silver Sponsor - \$2,000**  
**Benefits:**

- Logo on website, social media and select printed materials
- Signage at a hole or tee box
- 1 foursome or team entry

**Bronze Sponsor - \$1,000**  
**Benefits:**

- Recognition in event program or signage
- Logo on event website/social media
- 1 player registration OR networking access

**Hole Sponsor - \$250**  
**Benefits:**

- Branded signage at a specific hole

Want to customize your sponsorship? Contact Keri Leece, [KeriL@SportingNebraskaFC.com](mailto:KeriL@SportingNebraskaFC.com), with your ideas and she will work with you.

*\*Details will be finalized in sponsorship agreement.*

[Register](#)





Get paid doing what you love! The Nebraska Referee Development Program & Sporting Nebraska are working together to provide opportunities for individuals that are 13 years of age & older to get certified and trained to become a Referee.

In addition, Sporting Nebraska will be hosting the NRDP On-Field Training Sessions at the Omaha Sports Complex.

**Saturday, Feb, 28th from 1:00-3:00pm**

Be sure to take advantage of completing your certification requirements close to home.

**Why become a referee:**

Once you are certified you can get the basic ref kit for FREE from Soccer Internationale (while supplies last)

- Pay scales range from:
  - NYSL: \$18-\$40 (AR) per game and \$28-\$75 per game for a head referee
  - Sporting Nebraska FC Rec games: \$32 per game
- Make your own schedule by selecting the games you want
- Sporting Nebraska FC is offering ADDITIONAL PERKS (check out details below)

**Newly Certified Referees (only Sporting NE members)**

Eligible for 40% of registration fee paid once you register, pay for your certification, and are certified, you become eligible for the discount after you work at least ( 5 ) In-house REC games.

**Incentive Bonuses (open to all referees)**

In addition to the reimbursement, we are offering some more incentives when you referee the following:

- Referee 10 Games = Raffle entry
- Referee 20 Games = Double Raffle entry
- Raffle Prizes: Gift Cards (2 per season)

**INTERESTED in becoming a Newly Certified Referee?**

Visit NRDP.Soccer or <https://nrdp.soccer/referees/getstarted/> to get started. For more information on the referee certification process, contact [licensing@nrdp.soccer](mailto:licensing@nrdp.soccer).

Once you become a certified referee, you will need to reach out to Renee Wanderscheid to get scheduled for the fall In-house Rec Games that will take place on Friday evenings (Sept-Oct or Apr-May). You will NOT be able to schedule these games through the NRDP or NYSL as you would for league games or tournaments, so be sure to reach out asap, as the games fill up very quickly.



For more information,  
contact Renee Wanderscheid

Email



# THANK YOU!

We truly appreciate all you do for the coaches, the teams and the club.

