



SUMMIT UNITED FC

CLUB REGISTRATION + FEES POLICY

Summit United FC is a 100% volunteer-run, community-supported nonprofit. This policy brings together everything families need to know about registering, paying, and getting geared up for the season – in one place – so there are no surprises along the way.

This policy covers the club's seasonal year, running August 1 through July 31.

Registration Timeline

- April 15 – Tryout registration opens. This is your first step to earning a spot on a Summit United FC roster.
- June 15 – Registration and UYSA player fees due, for any player who earns a roster spot.
- July 1 – Club registration opens. Pay club and team fees in full, or select from an available payment plan.

We publish these dates early on purpose, so families can plan ahead and budget accordingly. Detailed instructions for registration are provided by your team manager after tryouts.

First-Time Players: What You'll Need

Before a first-time player can register with UYSA, they'll need:

- A current photo – shoulders up, no sunglasses, no hats.
- A digital copy of the player's birth certificate.

Both are required by UYSA, so it's a good idea to have these ready before registration opens. Your team manager will walk you through where and how to submit them.

Understanding the Fees

Club soccer fees can look confusing from the outside, so here's what you're actually paying for:

- State (UYSA) Fees – set by Utah Youth Soccer Association and cover official state registration and insurance. These are the same across all UYSA clubs and aren't something we control.
- Club Fees – cover core club operations: field access, administration, and the systems that keep Summit United FC running for every team.

- Team Fees – vary by team, since each team opts into its own mix of coaching support, tournaments, and extra training based on what that specific group of players needs.

Because costs shift year to year and team to team, the most current year's full fee schedule is always published and linked before tryouts each season.

Payment Schedule & Methods

Payments are made through the club's registration platform. Installment plans are available upon request – reach out to the club to set one up before the season begins.

Non-Refund Policy

Because the club commits its resources – field time, coaching, uniforms, and tournament entries – on behalf of every registered player at the start of the season, all fees are non-refundable once the season has begun. This holds true even if a player leaves the team, is asked to leave the team, or is otherwise unable to complete the season. Choosing an installment plan is a payment convenience only and does not change the non-refundable nature of the total fees owed for the season.

Late or Missed Payments

We know life happens, and we'd always rather have a conversation than let a payment issue turn into a bigger problem. That said, to keep the club financially sustainable for every family:

- If a payment becomes more than 30 days past due without communication, the player may be suspended from team activities – including practices, games, and tournaments – until the account is brought current or a new payment arrangement is made.
 - Families facing a payment challenge are strongly encouraged to reach out to club leadership before a payment is missed, not after. We're much more able to help proactively than retroactively.
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Financial Hardship & Scholarships

Access to soccer development shouldn't come down to what a family can afford. Scholarships are awarded based on financial need, on a first-come, first-served basis as funds allow.

- Scholarship applications are submitted through the app, after a player has officially made a roster.

- Applications require proof of free or reduced lunch status, which helps verify need and distribute limited funds fairly.
 - Families who don't qualify under that program but are facing other financial constraints may still be considered for partial financial assistance – reach out to club leadership directly to talk through your situation.
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Uniforms

Once a player has officially joined a team, a personalized link is shared to order uniforms through our club store online.

- Home and away kits are required for every player to participate.
- Reordering is the player's responsibility as they grow or gear wears out.
- Extra gear, like bags and warm-ups, is available as an optional add-on.
- Uniform pricing is included in the current year's fee schedule.

If cost is a barrier, reach out to your team admin to ask about uniform rental opportunities or our uniform trade-in/trade-up program.

Team-Level Fundraising

Teams may fundraise for team-specific needs – such as tournament travel or additional training – beyond standard club fees. Team fundraising must be approved in advance by club leadership, and team managers are responsible for tracking and reporting any funds raised or spent, consistent with the club's Financial Policy.

Questions?

This policy is meant to be clear, not complicated. If anything here doesn't make sense, or your family's situation doesn't fit neatly into what's outlined above, reach out to your team admin or club leadership – we're happy to talk it through.