MC UNITED SOCCER CLUB

Winter Classic 2027 FAQ

APPLICATION / REGISTRATION

**** See the Coaches' Guide and 'Application Information' document on the tournament page for more information.*

How do I register my team for this tournament?

Teams must submit an online application for this tournament. Applications will be reviewed, and teams will be selected based on criteria to support the tournament's objectives. Teams that are selected will be offered a link to register their team & enter their roster. The application deadline is February 6th.

If I submit an application for my team, am I guaranteed that my team will be chosen?

No. Although most teams will be selected, not all teams that apply will be offered invitations to play.

Why is this tournament making teams apply and not doing first-come, first-served registration?

To create a balance of competition levels, boys/ girls divisions, and team geography we feel that this is the best way to organize this tournament. Our objective is to ensure groups are full and as competitively balanced as possible.

Is this a one or two day tournament for my team?

A team will only play on one day (either Saturday OR Sunday, not both). Teams will find out if they play on Saturday or Sunday when they are offered an invitation to play. Teams are guaranteed 3, 40 minute games.

How will I know if my team has been selected?

Teams will be notified on February 7th if their team is selected via email. Teams that are not selected will automatically be placed on a waiting list.

Can I decline my team's offer to participate in the tournament?

Yes. If you wish to decline your offer, please notify the tournament promptly via email. There is no penalty for declining your offer. If you do not register, your team by the deadline your invitation will be lost and a team on the waiting list will be offered the opportunity. No refunds will be given to teams once registration has been completed by a team.

When do I pay for my team to play in this tournament?

Payments must be made by a team when registering. Payments are made by credit card only.

VENUE / GAME EXPERIENCE

*** *See the Visitor's Guide on the tournament website for more information*.

Is there an admission fee or parking fee for this event?

There will be an admission fee for this tournament. Coaches and players are free. The admission fee is $5.00 for spectators. Kids under 10 are free. Wristbands will be given to all spectators. The admission fee is necessary to help MC United support the costs of this tournament. There is NO parking fee.

How will spectators watch the games?

The facility is an amazing indoor arena with numerous seating areas for spectators to watch the games. This includes elevated balconies and field level bleachers. Spectators are NOT allowed onto the turf field.

(See pictures on the tournament website)

What are the fields like?

The games will be played on a medium-length, synthetic grass surface. For the tournament games will be played on four (4) fields simultaneously throughout the day. These fields will be divided by mesh curtains. Fields will be approximately 180' x 90' in dimension.

Goals: 6’ x 12’ Forza (no Bownets)









What type of shoes can be worn on this field?

Players can wear their outdoor cleats on this artificial turf surface. Please remove any grass or dirt on your cleats prior to entering the facility. No metal studs are allowed.

Do you have lockers at the facility?

Yes. The facility has free lockers for use. The lockers do not require a key.

Will there be food at the facility?

Yes. The facility will have a concession stand open that will be selling a variety of meal options as well as snacks and drinks. Multiple vending machines are also onsite.

Will there be awards at this tournament?

Yes. All players in the U10 divisions will receive a participation award. All U11+ divisions will have awards for the 1st place team.