



AYSO EXTRA Pilot Program

Pre-Season Letter to Parents

Dear Parent:

Welcome to the AYSO Extra Pilot Program of Region 289. Your child has tried out and has been selected to play in this one-year pilot program in a more challenging environment. This experimental AYSO Program will allow players with similar abilities and skill development to play in more competitive games.

Throughout the season the AYSO Extra Pilot Program will be carefully monitored and information will be requested from all participants – players, coaches, referees, parents and administrators – so that a determination can be made whether or not to make this an ongoing AYSO program.

One of the factors critical to the success of the program is sideline behavior. AYSO has clearly defined expectations for spectators. Please read and follow the *AYSO Parents Code of Conduct* on the reverse side. This program needs the combined positive efforts of all participants to be successful. This form is to be completed and returned prior to your child attending his/her first practice or to the Parent Orientation meeting, whichever is sooner.

Return to: _____

If you have any questions regarding this program, please contact our Region's AYSO Extra Coordinator.












Sincerely,

Regional Commissioner



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Parent's Code of Conduct

-  Do not force a unwilling child to participate in sports
-  Remember, children are involved in organized sports for their enjoyment, not yours
-  Teach your child always to play by the rules
-  Teach your child that hard work and an honest effort are often more important than a victory
-  Help your child work toward skill improvement and good sportsmanship in every game. Your child will then be a winner, even in defeat.
-  Do not ridicule or yell at your child for making a mistake or for losing a game.
-  Set a good example. Children learn best by example.
-  Applaud good plays by your team and by members of the opposing team.
-  Do not publicly question referee judgment and never their honesty.
-  Recognize the value and importance of volunteer coaches, referees and officials and give them respect. Without them, there would be no AYSO Soccer.
-  Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from youth sporting activities.

I have read and understand the *AYSO Parent's Code of Conduct*

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Player Name _____

Coach Name _____

Region: ___/___/___ Division _____ Boys/Girls