



WELCOME...

AGENDA



PARENT MEETING: Soccer in Hampton

Club > PA West > Youth Soccer > USSF > FIFA

Club structure

Board

Age Group Commissioners: u6 to u19

Committee Volunteers: Referees,

Uniforms, Fundraising, Fields...

Annual calendar

Age group goals

School District options

What you can do

ABOUT HSC



Founded in 1978

Current stats (approx.): 450+ players, 88 coaches 15 referees, 12 Referees-in-Training, 11 Board members, 10 'key' volunteers

Main and Meadow fields are Twp property – annual permit from Township; Fridley Stadium permit from HT School District

FIFA > USSF > US Youth Soccer > PA West > Hampton Soccer Club (different from PIAA / WPIAL: HMS / HHS)

Club structure

- Board – annual elections Jan.

- Age Group Commissioners

- Volunteers – committees:

 - Fields, Uniforms, Concessions, Referees (RITs), Risk Mngmt, etc





HSC MISSION

The mission of the Hampton Soccer Club is to provide a safe environment and positive experience to players, parents, coaches, referees, and spectators, and to allow recreational and competitive players to reach their highest potential through the teaching of individual skills, physical fitness, training, teamwork, sportsmanship, and fair play.

HSC: HOW WE OPERATE



Board > VPs > Age Group Mngrs > Coaches

Age Groups:

Saturdays u6 u7/8 u10 (ICL)

Sundays u10 u12 u14 u16 u20

Team set-up

Player evals

Divisions

Uniforms – reversibles

Concession

Fields / Equipment

Referees

Safety

earrings / medical alert

anchor goals



AGE GROUPS



u6 (4v4+)

FUN - touches on the ball - keep ball moving – coach on field
30 min practice / 30 min game - half the u8 fields - size 3

u7u8 (5v5 incl. keepers)

FUN - touches, passes, shooting, throw-ins and goalies - coach off field and parent on opp. Side - 6x8 pvc goals - size 3

u10 (7v7)*^

FUN - ICL / Travel - offside (build-out line) - certified referees - mixing all players / coaches – possible Spring Travel as prep for u12

u12 (9v9)^

FUN - heading intro - team strategy / positions

u14 (11v11)^

FUN - Fridley field - first touch focus – combo plays

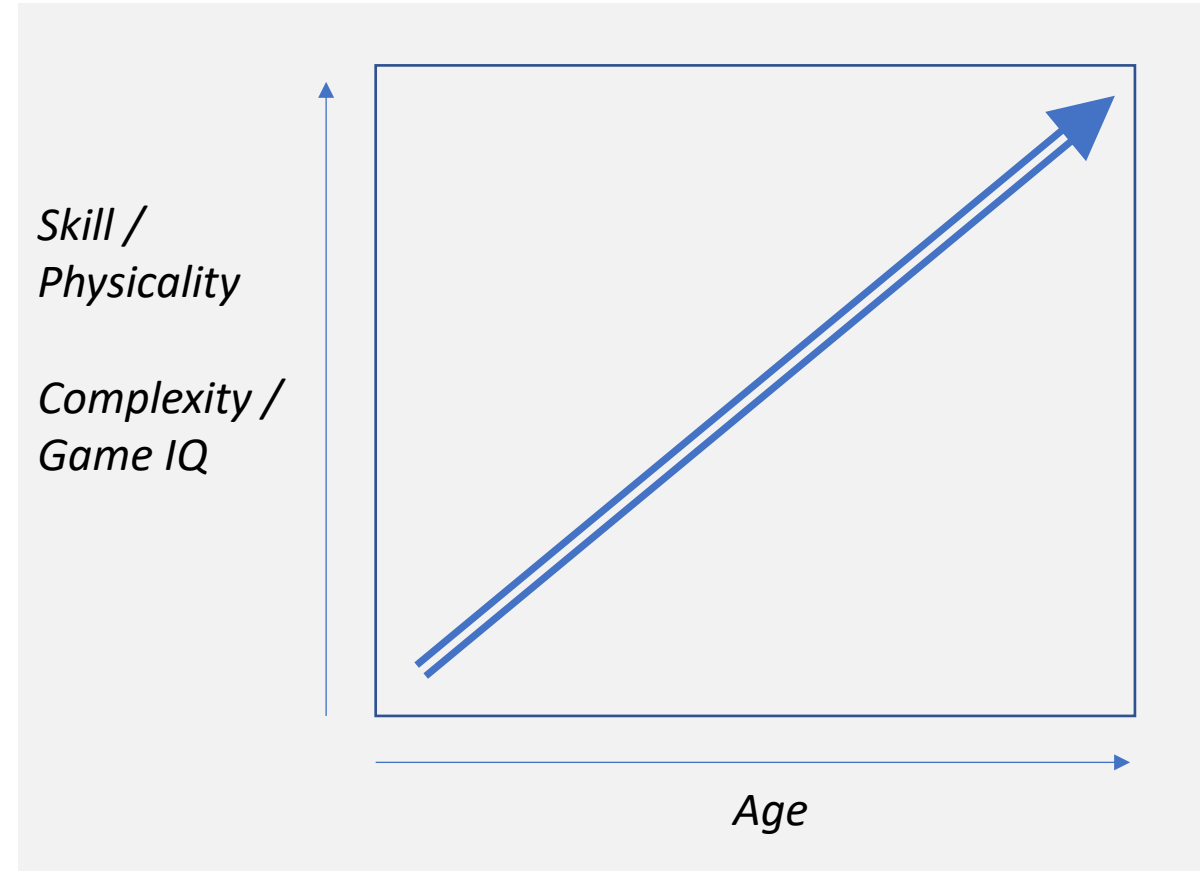
u16 (11v11)^

FUN - ball possession – consistent play

u19 (11v11)^ (Coed)

FUN - applying learned skills / concepts

*RIT ^USSF Ref



COACHING



Soccer is about creative individual skills combined with communication and team effort

Practices usually start with warm-up, individual skills, small group drills, applying small group drills into larger scheme of game situations.

Coaches are encouraged to avoid 'lines, laps and lectures'

All coaches must have child safety clearances and coaching requirements as set by USSF, PA West and HSC



REFEREES

REFEREE – IN – TRAINING (RIT)

6th grade+

Annual Feb / March classroom training

On-field training – first game

Referee u7u8 games

Call-ups for North District u10

Cash + food / drink



USSF Certified Referee

13 years old

Online modules - test

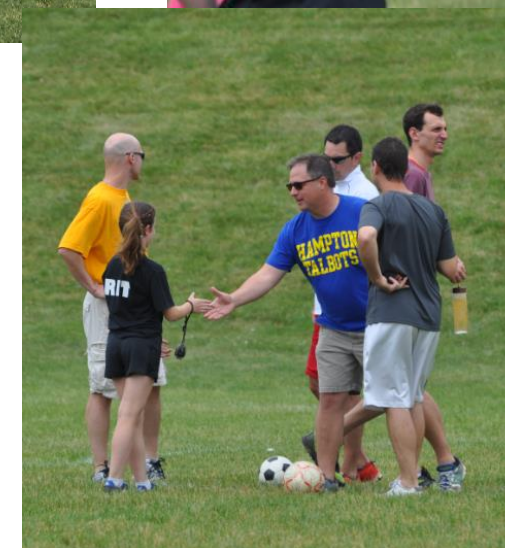
4 hour classroom / on-field

Referee u10 (+ age dep.)

AR / Center

Kit: Uniform, flags, etc

Check from Club



FIELDS



What you can do...



Enjoy the game

Sideline etiquette >>>

Help the Club: Volunteer

Coach

Referee

Committees

Commissioner

Registration

Fields

Referees

Concessions

Uniforms

Fundraising

Don't coach – cheer encouragement (“~~kick it~~”)

Respect the referee (Remember: ‘Just because....’)

Don't focus on score

Positive interaction with opposing fans

Enjoy the game – don't stress

Positive discussion after the game (coach 24+)

-US Youth Soccer +

KEEP THINGS IN PERSPECTIVE



A message from the players...

- ▶ I'm a **KID**
- ▶ It's just a **GAME**
- ▶ My Coach is a **VOLUNTEER**
- ▶ The Referees are **HUMAN**
- ▶ **NO** College Scholarships will be handed out today

Enjoy the game!



WELCOME! Please remember...

- ⚽ These are **kids**
- ⚽ This is **their game**
- ⚽ This is for **fun**
- ⚽ Coaches and officials are **human**
- ⚽ **Positive cheering** for everyone is encouraged

Enjoy the game!



SUMMARY



Kids:

Fun, competitive teams from u6 to u20

Referee-in-Training to USSF Certified Referee

Middle School and High School teams

Parents:

Fun, competitive teams from u6 to u20 – enjoy!

Volunteer opportunities: ‘single’ / per season tasks to Committee helpers to Board members





QUESTIONS?