

## **New Glarus Soccer Association (NGSA) Classic U11/U12 Information Sheet**

**Program Description:** U11 and/or U12 Boys 8v8 Classic level team - 12 player roster open to all boys born on or after August 1, 1999 for U12 and on or after August 1, 2000 for U11. If we don't have enough players to form teams at both age groups, the club will combine the two ages into a single U12 team.

**When:** Fall 2011 – Spring 2012

**Program Mission:** To allow local boys the opportunity to continue playing at the high level that they played at U10 and earlier. To provide an easier commute for parents for both practices and home games.

**Practice Location:** Practices will be divided between both towns, home games to be at New Glarus Elementary.

**Team Formation:** Teams will be formed based on open tryouts using third party evaluators. All players will be evaluated for placement on an appropriate level team-either Classic or Rec. Players selected for the Classic team will be provided an offer via e-mail and phone and will be given a set amount of time to accept the offer to play on the team. Players not selected for a Classic team will be provided an opportunity to register for a rec team or may opt to play for a different club.

**League of Play:** The team(s) will begin play in the MAYSA Classic League. Level to be determined based on the evaluations and discussion with coaching staff.

**Try out Fee:** Tryout fees will be \$20.

**Team Fees:** Team fees will cover the full soccer year from Fall 2011 to Spring 2012. The team fee will be \$350 plus additional uniform costs of approximately \$90 (includes 2 shirts, shorts, socks and team sweatshirt) Team costs include expanded referee fees, 16 regular season games and 4 tournaments (2 fall and 2 spring).

**Staff:** Head coach, asst coach and team manager/treasurer. Coaches are to be determined by the NGSA.

**Schedule:** Tryouts will be held on May 18/19 from 6 to 7:30 pm at Valle Tell field in New Glarus. All registration for tryouts will be done onsite. Players are encouraged to attend both days. Notification will be June 13<sup>th</sup>, which is the

earliest allowed date based on WYSA rules for Classic teams. Acceptance period would be 48 hours from initial offer. Offers will continue to be made until the 12 man roster is filled.

Practice will start in early August, with 2-3 practices or scrimmages per week until school starts. After school starts there will be 2 practices a week. League games will run early Sept through the end of October.

Off season indoor soccer will be a separate cost and would not be mandatory. Indoor training will be set up in a local gym on a weekly basis if possible.

Spring practices will start a couple of weeks before the first Spring League game or as early as the weather permits.

**Tournaments:** The team will participate in tournaments in both fall and spring with the goal to have at least 2 tournaments per season sponsored by the club. If the team decides on its own that it would like to participate in additional tournaments the cost would be borne by the parents of the players. Tournament selection will be done by the coaches and manager of the team with input from the team parents.

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