

Team Official Manual

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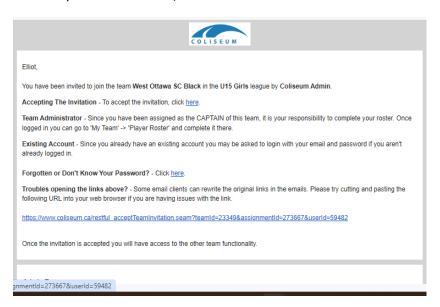
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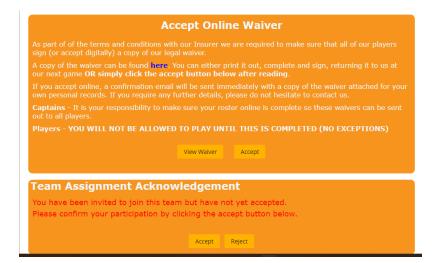
How do I activate my account?

- a) Have league admin add you to the website
- b) Have an existing team manager or coach add you to the website (league rep must approve before they will get welcome email)

Once you've been added, you'll receive an automated email to accept the team invitation: 'To accept the invitation, click **here**.'



If this is your first time with the Coliseum, you'll be asked for a password. Once done (or if you already have an account from previous years) you'll be redirected here to accept the waiver and team assignment:



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How do I login?

- Go to: coliseum.ca
- Select 'Login' from the top right corner



How do I view my team?

Select 'MY TEAM' from the top menu.



If you have 2 or more teams, you can toggle between them by 'Switch Team' on left:





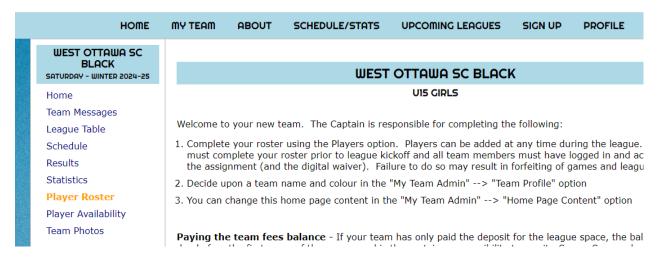
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How do I add players, coaches and/or team managers to my roster?

When under 'My Team', Select 'Player Roster' from the left:

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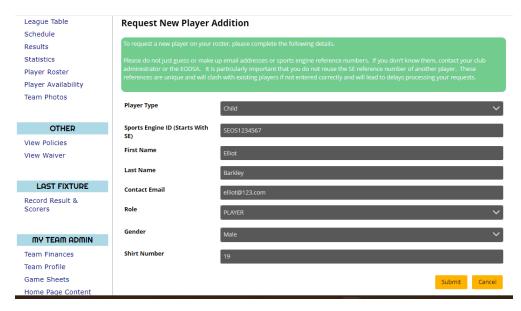
Then select 'Action', and 'Request New Player Addition' from the drop-down menu:



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That will bring you to this page:



You'll need to enter the following information for each player and team official:

- <u>Player type</u>: Child (player) or Adult (coach/manager)
- <u>SportsEngine ID</u>: ex: SEOS1234567 do not make this up it will mess up your players' stats and/or our ability to approve them. If you do not have it, ask your club
- First Name
- Last Name
- <u>Contact email</u>: Parent/guardian for player, or coach/manager for coach/manager
- Role: PLAYER for player, COACH/MANAGER for team official (do not use CAPTAIN)
- Gender
- Shirt number: For players only. It can be updated at any time under 'Player Roster'

When done, select 'SUBMIT'

Why do some/all players still show as 'outstanding requests'?

There are a couple possibilities:

- a) We haven't approved them yet. It's a busy time of the year, so please allow for a 3-4-day turnaround.
- b) Eastern Ontario Soccer (EOS) haven't approved them yet. We only approve players that have been approved by the EOS
- c) The player(s) do not have their picture/headshot on the OS roster
- d) There is another issue in which case we'll follow up with you and your club

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Roster Freeze

Friday, January 16th is the final day to make changes to your roster. As of Saturday, January 17th changes can no longer be made.

We encourage teams to get the ball rolling on any changes they want to make at least a week before the deadline. Putting through a change requires action by a team manager, their club, the EOS and the Coliseum. Because of this the process can take multiple days. Do not wait until the 11th hour!!

What is a roster freeze and how does it affect our team?

- As of 12:01AM on January 17th, players are frozen to the roster they're on. This means they can no longer be added, removed, or transferred to another roster/team for the remainder of the Coliseum season
- Players playing between January 17 and the end of the season must be on a Coliseum Team Roster Report (TRR) in Sports Engine (not a call up roster, tournament team, etc.). Players that are not registered to a Coliseum TRR will be deemed ineligible.

How do we make changes?

- Contact your club registrar and let them know which players need to be moved
- Once they've done this, shoot us an email to let us know which players have been moved
- Once EOS has approved the changes in Sports Engine we'll make adjust your Coliseum roster(s)

Are call ups permitted in the playoffs?

Yes. Teams can callup a maximum of five (5) players per game.

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7-a-side Rules

Ball Size	Five (5) for U13-U18 Four (4) for U12
Max # of players on game sheet	Eighteen (18)
Min # of players on field	Five (5)
Max # of players on field	Seven (7)
Game Duration	2 x 25-minute halves
Halftime	Up to five (5) minutes
Free Kicks	All free kicks are indirect, unless a foul is committed in the penalty area which results in a penalty shot
Distance from ball on restarts	Five (5) meters
Yellow Cards	Player is sent off and team must play short for two (2) minutes OR until their opponent scores
Red Cards	Player is sent off for remainder of game and team must play short for five (5) minutes, regardless of if their opponent scores
Substitutions	Outfield players can sub 'on-the-fly', whereas goalkeepers can only sub at the discretion of the referee
Offsides	None

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Coliseum Rules

Standings (not applicable to U12 & U13 grassroots)

A team will be awarded 3 points for a win and 1 point for a draw.

A team forfeiting a match shall lose the game 3-0

If two or more teams are tied on points at the end of the regular season, the tie will be broken by the following process:

- 1. Head-to-head
- 2. Most wins
- 3. Goal differential
- 4. Most goals for
- 5. Coin toss

Equipment

- If jerseys clash, it is the <u>home team's</u> responsibility to change.
- Shoes with metal studs are not permitted. Any other indoor shoes are acceptable
- The home team shall provide TWO (2) game balls

Protests

All protests regarding the eligibility of a player that arise before or during the game must immediately be brought to the attention of the referee and Coliseum staff. We will follow up with you on next steps. Protests brought forward more than 15 minutes after the end of the game will not be entertained.

The Coliseum's decision may only be overturned by appeal to the EOS

Protests pertaining to turf, goal posts, crossbars, ball, colours, etc. will not be entertained. These issues must be brought to the attention of the match official and Coliseum staff.

Referee Complaints

Any complaints regarding the conduct, behaviour or decision making of a referee must be brought to the attention of a league representative by a coach or team manager. Do not engage with the referee.

We are happy to discuss any issues on site after your game, but please note for any action to be taken we need the complaint in writing. To lodge a formal complaint against a referee:

^{**}Referees have the FINAL say on the safety of equipment**

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- Draft your complaint
- Email it to elliot@coliseum.ca with one of your club representatives copied

Callups

- Outfield players can be called up to a maximum of one (1) team per weekend.
- Teams can call up a maximum of five (5) players per game
- There is no limit on the number of times a player can be called up to an older Tier 1 team. Outside of that, outfield players can be called up to a maximum of five (5) games during the regular season.
- A team may <u>not</u> call up an outfield player that is registered to another team in their division.
- Tier 2 players are able to play down an age group, to a tier 1 team if they meet the age requirement (i.e., a U15T2-registered, U14-aged player can play up to a U14T1 team). Players registered to a tier 1 team cannot play down to a lower age classification, even if they meet the age requirements.
- 'House League Rosters' are a lower classification than Coliseum teams. Players
 registered to a House League Roster may be called to any Coliseum team they meet
 the age requirements for (i.e., a player registered to a U14 House League Roster can
 be called up to any U14 or older team). They are not permitted after the roster
 freeze
- There are no callup restrictions for goalies. They can play in any game provided they satisfy the age requirement.

Rosters

Minimum: Seven (7) players

Maximum : Eighteen (18) players

• All players <u>must</u> have a picture/headshot

Card Check

EOS requires that all players have their picture (headshot) on their team's Ontario Soccer roster. Each team must have a copy of their official TRR with them at every game. It is the coach/team manager's responsibility to perform card check of their opponent's players. This must take place before the game. Any issues must be noted on the gamesheet.

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Discipline

<u>Suspensions</u>

- Coach, manager and club will be advised of a player's suspension via email the Tuesday after their game.
- Teams have 48 hours to appeal via hearing. To appeal email <u>admin@coliseum.ca</u>

<u>Appeal</u>

- There is a \$50.00 hearing fee to appeal any suspension. The hearing fee can be e-transferred to admin@coliseum.ca The fee is reimbursed if the charge is downgraded or if the player is found not guilty
- The hearing will be held virtually the following Wednesday between 6:30-8:30pm
- Coliseum decisions can be appealed to EOS

Game Sheets

Game sheets are printed by the league. There is only one game sheet per game, which will have both teams' rosters listed on it. Games sheets will be available at the front desk - just inside the entrance of the dome to your right.

Here are the reasons you'll need to update your gamesheet:

- Jersey numbers: You haven't added them yet or there are changes
- Callups: Callups must be handwritten on the bottom section of the gamesheet
- Absent players: players that won't be at the game must have their name crossed
 out. If you're not sure whether a player will be attending or not, wait until halftime to
 cross their name out.

If your jersey numbers have already been added to the website, you don't have any callups, and all of your players are expected to be there, you can go straight to enjoying the action.

Most importantly... ALL players that are playing must be listed on the gamesheet!

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Scheduling

Number of Games

All grassroots U12 & U13 teams will play 12-games.

All teams will play 14-games.

• Regular season: 12-games

• Playoffs: 2-games

Important dates

• November 1-2: Season start date

• December 27-28: Holidays no games

• February 14-15: No game Family Day (inclement weather & reschedules*)

• February 16 (Monday) 8am-4pm used for reschedules

• February 21-22: Playoff semifinals

• Feb 28-Mar 1: Playoff finals (season end date)

• Mar 7-8: Contingency date

Teams Should Expect up to:

Please note that there has been a significant uptick in teams this year. In order to accommodate, teams should expect:

- Roughly a weekend off every month for U12 & U13
- Up to 3x bye weeks for U14-18
- 1x doubleheader if any scheduling requests are made
- Up to 3x games starting at 7:00AM (BU12, BU13, BU14, BU15, GU12, GU13 & GU14 only)
- Games at multiple locations. We will try our best to keep your team close to their 'home base' when possible, but there will inevitably be some games where your team plays on the other side of town

The schedule for the first two weeks (Nov 1-2 & 8-9) will be posted by Monday, Oct 27

Reschedule Policy

Refer to website

- 'ABOUT' from top menu
- 'Policies' from menu on left under LEAGUE RULES

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Locations

1. RA Centre

<u>Times</u>

Saturdays: 7AM-10PM and Sundays: 7AM-2PM

The dome will open 30-minutes before the start of the first game.

Parking

There is free parking on site by the dome. There is also parking across the street by the east end of the RA Centre. There are three (3) accessible parking spots right by the front door. You must have an accessible parking permit to park here. Cars parked here without an accessible parking permit will be <u>fined and/or towed</u>.

2. OttawaU Lees

Times

Saturdays: 7:00-11:00AM & 4:00-9:00PM and Sundays: 10AM-2PM

The dome will open 20-minutes before the start of the first game.

Warmup/Cooldown Space

Teams can warm up along the outside of any of the three fields.

<u>Parking</u>

Parking passes are required at this location. Your coach or team manager can pick up your team's passes at the RA Centre starting November 22-23.

3. Garneau (Orleans), Ben Franklin (Greenbank & Hunt Club), Thunderbird (Kanata) & Hornets Nest (Bearbrook Rd)

Times, Parking & Warmup/Cooldown Instructions

This information will be communicated directly w said teams closer to the day of the game