

# Team Official Manual

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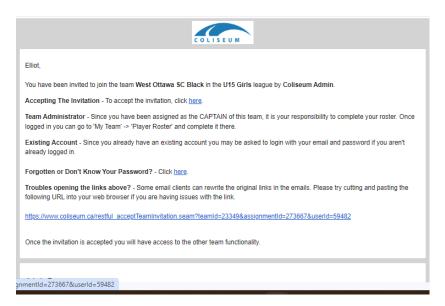
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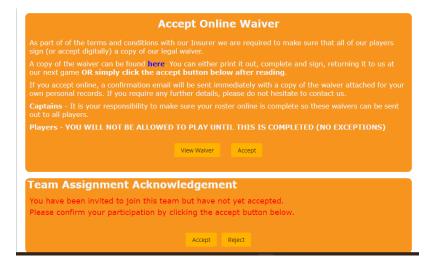
#### How do I activate my account?

- a) Have league admin add you to the website
- b) Have an existing team manager or coach add you to the website

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:





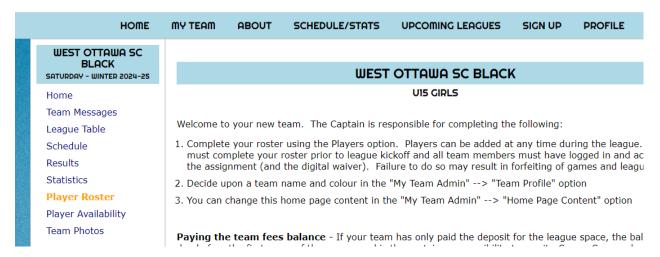
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# How do I add players, coaches and/or team managers to my roster?

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

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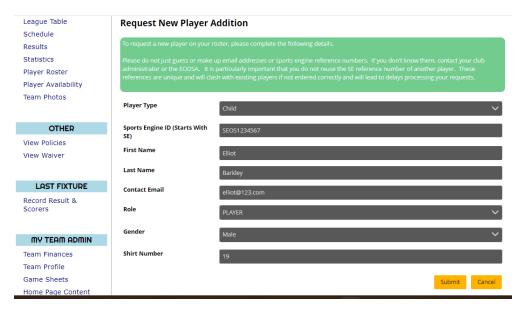
#### Then select 'Action', and 'Request New Player Addition' from the drop-down menu:



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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) EODSA haven't approved them yet. We only approve players that have been approved by the EODSA
- 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 10<sup>th</sup> is the final day to make changes to your roster. As of Saturday, January 11<sup>th</sup> 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 EODSA 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 12:00AM on January 11<sup>th</sup>, 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 11 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 the EODSA 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)
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**

#### <u>Standings</u>

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. Cumulative head-to-head score
- 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 EODSA

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:

<sup>\*\*</sup>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).
- There are no callup restrictions for goalies. They can play in any game as long as they satisfy the age requirement.

### Rosters

• Minimum: Seven (7) players

• Maximum : Twenty (20) players

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

#### Card Check

The Coliseum requires all players have their picture on their team's Ontario Soccer roster but does not perform ID checks before games. Team managers have the right to check their opponent's IDs/OS roster.

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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 <a href="mailto:admin@coliseum.ca">admin@coliseum.ca</a>

#### <u>Appeal</u>

- There is a \$50.00 hearing fee to appeal any suspension. The hearing fee can be e-transferred to <a href="mailto:admin@coliseum.ca">admin@coliseum.ca</a> 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 teams will play 14-games.

• Regular season: 12-games

• Playoffs: 2-games

# Important dates

- November 2-3: Season start date
- November 2-3 & 9-10: Fewer games
- December 28-29: Holidays no games
- February 15-16: No game Family Day (inclement weather & reschedules\*)
- February 22-23: Playoff semifinals
- March 1-2: Playoff finals (season end date)

### Teams Should Expect up to:

- 3x bye weeks
- 1x doubleheader
- Up to 3x games starting at 7:00AM (BU13, BU14, BU15, GU13 & GU14 only)

\*\*The Sunday schedule will be posted by Friday, October 25. The Saturday schedule will be posted by Monday, October 28\*\*

<sup>\*</sup>Is your team out of town one weekend? Email us ASAP\*

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#### Locations

1. RA Centre

#### Times

Saturdays: 7AM-10PMSundays: 7AM-2PM

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

#### Warmup/Cooldown Space

The Coliseum had new turf installed in the spring. The playing surface has been extended (wider and longer). Downside: there is now less warmup room for teams. We will communicate where teams must warm up before the start of the season.

#### <u>Parking</u>

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: 7:30-10:30AM & 4:00-9:00PM

Sundays: Occasionally 10AM-2PM starting in December

The dome will open 30-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 17-18.

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# 3. Orleans Dome (Sunday only)

Only applicable for 'east end' clubs (OTFC, Hornets, etc.)

<u>Times</u>

Saturday: N/A

Sunday: 8am-1PM (November & December ONLY)

# Parking & Warmup/Cooldown Instructions

Specific parking and warmup/cooldown instructions to be communicated directly w said teams