

**AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE EVANSVILLE SOCCER CLUB AND
OUR MEMBERSHIP 2008-2009 SEASON**

As the Evansville Soccer Club, its officers, board of directors and its coaching staff we are committed to our members that we will provide a fun, safe, healthy environment for our players. We will provide opportunities for youth to learn the rules of the game. We encourage good sportsmanship and fair play by all participants. It is our desire to have the most competitive teams in the area and to develop our players into top-notch high school and college players. We are committed to developing players and teams to their fullest potential by providing the best coaches and facilities. Winning teams will be a byproduct of our energies, efforts, training, coaching, development and positive influences we have on our players and not as a mission to win at the expense of sacrificing the values for which we strive. This is a non-profit youth club enduring to enrich the lives of our youth through soccer.

The Evansville Soccer Club is an extended family and we promote family involvement and family values. Members should conduct themselves for the good of the game and the good of the club. (Administrators, officers, players, parents) Tobacco, alcohol and non-prescription drugs are prohibited during all training sessions and games. The Evansville Soccer Club will not tolerate foul or abusive language; we will not tolerate sexual, racial, or any other type of discrimination. The club will encourage an atmosphere of openness, cooperation and support.

The Evansville Soccer Club is committed to investing in its members; through coaching expertise, facilities, equipment and organizational structure. The Evansville Soccer Club will encourage loyalty within the team and the club.

In Turn: Member players and families should reciprocate by honoring their commitment to an Elite team for the season which they have accepted a position within the club. IYSA prohibits transfers during the season between clubs without the original club's permission. It is the intent of Evansville Soccer Club to uphold that IYSA ruling. In many cases when a position has been accepted, another potential member has been declined. All players must make every reasonable effort to attend all matches and training sessions. If a player will be unavailable for training or a game, the player should inform the team coach in advance. Players should be punctual for all training sessions and games.

All members of the Evansville Soccer Club, administrators, officers, coaches, players and parents should familiarize themselves with the club mission statement and code of conduct and upon an acknowledgement by signature are bound to these and the authorities responsible for administrating such.

Evansville Soccer Club Officers

Member or Participant

Date _____

Parent or Guardian

*A \$100 non-refundable, partial club fees is required, made payable to Evansville Soccer Club within ten days of an offering being extended to a member. Individual team fees may vary and will be collected accordingly. Extenuating circumstances may exist resulting in a refund/relocation of a family outside of league play, financial distress, health issues, etc., at the discretion of the club authorities.

*Evansville Soccer Club is committed, if possible, for financial concerns not to be an issue for a member participating. If you have concerns speak to an Elite board member on scholarships, grants, fundraising opportunities, etc.

Evansville Soccer Club Code of Conduct

Code of Conduct: Players agree to:

- ❖ Understand the laws of the game and play by them.
- ❖ All players must make every reasonable effort to attend all matches and training sessions.
- ❖ If a player will be unavailable for training or a game, the player must inform the team coach in advance.
- ❖ Be punctual for all training sessions and games.
- ❖ Do not argue with the match officials.
- ❖ Cooperate to ensure that the rules of the game are upheld.
- ❖ Cooperate with Evansville Soccer Club coaches, teammates, opponents, and match officials.
- ❖ Support your teammates and coaches.
- ❖ Be gracious in defeat and dignified in victory.
- ❖ Do not talk to fans for either team during matches.
- ❖ Do not talk to opposing players before, during, or after matches except to congratulate or offer assistance.
- ❖ Play fairly and exercise good sportsmanship.
- ❖ Fighting will result in a mandatory suspension; fighting after a suspension may result in dismissal from the club.
- ❖ No foul or abusive language or physical violence.
- ❖ The Evansville Soccer Club board will review the status of any player who is ejected from two games in any 12-month period, or accumulates excessive cautions.
- ❖ No consumption of alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs.
- ❖ Support other Evansville Soccer Club teams whenever possible.

Code of Conduct: Coaches agree to:

- ❖ Understand the laws of the game and require your players to understand and follow them.
- ❖ Coach the players in accordance with Evansville Soccer Club expectations and the overall good of the game.
- ❖ Respect the rights and dignity of each individual.
- ❖ No foul, abusive, or profane language.
- ❖ Act as a positive role model for the players.
- ❖ Be punctual for all training sessions and games.
- ❖ Be gracious in victory and dignified in defeat.
- ❖ Coaches should contact the Director of Coaching when the coach cannot be present for a match or training session.
- ❖ The Director of Coaching will review the status of any coach who is ejected from a game. The Evansville Soccer Club board will review a second ejection.
- ❖ Do not talk to fans, opposing players, or opposing coaches during games.
- ❖ Coaching from the sidelines during games should be limited and positive.
- ❖ Do not argue with match officials.
- ❖ Be honest with your players and parents.
- ❖ Do not criticize a player in front of other players.
- ❖ Support other coaches, teams, and players in the club.
- ❖ Wear appropriate attire to all training sessions and games in accordance with the club's contract obligations.
- ❖ Always conduct yourself for the good of the game and the good of the club.
- ❖ Tobacco, alcohol, and non-prescription drugs are prohibited during all training sessions and games.

Code of Conduct: Parents agree to:

- ❖ Parents will acknowledge that all players are in the care of Evansville Soccer Club staff during all training sessions and games.
- ❖ No shouting negative comments from the touchline.
- ❖ Do not criticize your child's teammates or coaches in the presence of your child or his/her teammates.
- ❖ Foul or abusive language will be subject to review by the Evansville Soccer Club board.
- ❖ Fighting or physical violence will result in an automatic suspension of the involved parent from Evansville Soccer Club premises and activities.
- ❖ Parents are to accept the match official's decision in all cases. No arguing with match officials.
- ❖ Parents will be gracious in victory and dignified in defeat.
- ❖ The Evansville Soccer Club board will review the status of any parent who is ejected from a game.
- ❖ If you have a problem with a member of the Evansville Soccer Club coaching staff, please give a 24-hour cooling off period before contacting the individual concerned.

- ❖ Parents will not knowingly participate in or knowingly permit violation or circumvention of Evansville Soccer Club, IYSA, or USYSA rules.
- ❖ Parents will not force a child to play against his or her will.
- ❖ Parents will teach your child to play by the rules.
- ❖ Parents will applaud good play by both teams.
- ❖ Parents will not use or encourage foul, abusive, or profane language.

Code of Conduct: The Club agrees to:

- ❖ The Club will not tolerate sexual, racial, or any other type of discrimination.
- ❖ The Club will encourage an atmosphere of openness, cooperation, and support.
- ❖ The Club will encourage loyalty within the team and the Club.
- ❖ Evansville Soccer Club members will positively promote the image, and development of the game of soccer.

Violations of the Code of Conduct

- ❖ Coaches have primary responsibility for addressing violations by players.
- ❖ The Directors of Coaching have primary responsibility for addressing violations by coaches.
- ❖ Team managers have primary responsibility for addressing violations by parents, in consultation with the Evansville Soccer Club Executive Board member responsible for the age group involved. The Executive Board of Directors will address serious or repeated violations.
- ❖ Sanctions that may be imposed include, but are not limited to, reprimand, suspension from team and club activities and facilities, and in extreme cases, expulsion from the club. When appropriate, the Executive Board report violations to IYSA and USYSA.
- ❖ Evansville Soccer Club will support and impose all sanctions recommended or imposed by IYSA or USYSA.

Signature indicates your agreement to adhere to the Evansville Soccer Club Code of Conduct.

Name		Date	
Signature		Date	
Parent/Guardian Name		Date	
Parent/Guardian Signature		Date	
Parent/Guardian Name		Date	
Parent/Guardian Signature		Date	
Parent/Guardian Name		Date	
Parent Signature		Date	

Medical Release Form

As the parent/legal guardian of _____, I Request that in my absence the above-named player be admitted to any hospital facility for diagnosis and treatment. I request and authorize physicians, dentists, and staff, duly licensed as Doctors of Medicine or Doctors of Dentistry or other such licensed technicians or nurses, to perform any diagnostic procedures, treatment procedures, operative procedures and x-ray treatment of the above minor. I have not been given a guarantee as to the results of examination or treatment. I authorize the hospital or medical facility to dispose of any specimen or tissue taken from the above-named player.

Date of Players Birth ___/___/___ Date of last Tetanus Booster ___/___/___

Mother's Birthday (mmdd) ___/___

First name (Given Name), Middle Initial, Last Name _____

Known allergies of this player, including any allergies to medicine _____

Any other medical problems which should be noted _____

Family Physician _____ Phone () _____

Name of Parent/Guardian _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone () _____ H () _____ W () _____ F

Person responsible for charges (if different from above) _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone () _____ H () _____ W () _____ F

Person to notify if Parent/Guardian is unavailable _____

Phone () _____ H () _____ W () _____ F

Insurance carrier _____ Policy Number _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

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STATE OF _____ §

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COUNTY OF _____ §

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the ___ day of _____, 20__.

Notary Public in and for State of _____
Commission expires _____

**Evansville Soccer Club SC Club
Fee Schedule '08 – '09 Seasonal Year**

Age	Club Fee	Includes
U9	\$100 (Fall) \$100 (Spring)	Club provides training with a licensed coach using club maintained fields and facilities and pays all Academy expenses including coach's salary, player registration fee, uniforms (Academy t-shirt & shorts), maintenance/administration costs and entry fees for VIT and St. Mary's
U10	\$125 (Fall) \$125 (Spring) Additional fees may apply	Additional team expenses related to tournament play (i.e. entry fees, coach travel expenses, etc). Your individual team manager will explain these additional costs at your team meeting. The uniform used will be the Academy uniform.
Travel Teams*		Club provides outdoor training with a licensed coach using club maintained fields and facilities and pays coach's salary, player registration fee, maintenance/administration costs, and entry fee for one tournament (Fall – VIT). In addition, the club provides specialized goalie and field player training as well as periodic clinics and other training and informational programs. There are tryouts for Travel Teams.
U11 – U12	\$310	
U13 – U15	\$340	
U16 – U18	\$360	

*** Travel Teams Note:** Travel Teams will have additional team expenses related to league and tournament play (i.e. entry fees and coach travel expenses); winter training (gym rental); and uniforms that is not covered in the club player fee. Your individual team manager will explain these additional costs at your team meeting. Parents are also expected to work the club tournaments - Veteran's Invitational Tournament (VIT) in November – Integra Tournament in April, as well as help the club occasionally with other club functions.

2008-2009 Payment Schedules

Age Group	Total Fee	Date/Amount Due		
		Jun 10	Sept 1	Nov 1
U9 Academy	\$100 Fall/\$100 Spring			
U10*	\$125 Fall/\$125 Spring	*		
U11/ U12	\$310	\$110	\$100	\$100
U13/ U14/ U15	\$340	\$120	\$110	\$110
U16/ U17/ U18	\$360	\$130	\$115	\$115

If the club fee is not paid on time, that player will not play in games/tournaments until the fee is received by the Club.

Financial assistance in the form of Need-based scholarships is available. Applications are on the Evansville Soccer Club website: www.evansvillesoccerclub.com

Refund Policy – If season ending injury or move occurs:

Prior to Nov 1: 100% of fee
Between Nov 1 and Dec 31: 75% of fee
Between Jan 1 and Apr 15: 50% of fee
After Apr 15: No refund

Mail your check to:
Evansville Soccer Club
PO Box 15906
Evansville, IN 47716
Attn: Club Treasurer

Write your player's FULL NAME and TEAM on your check.