

Junior United Soccer Association

Conditions of Field Use

CONDITIONS OF FIELD USE: JUSA has an excellent working relationship with both the City and PYLUSD as a result of an ongoing commitment to comply with the City's guidelines for use of fields. Each head coach is responsible for the conduct of his team and parents. Strict compliance with the bylaws found in the **JUSA Handbook** and the following **Conditions Of Field Use** are intended to maintain fairness among teams, to minimize the impact thousands of people on our community and to ensure we will have fields available in the future. These condi

- 1) **Signature** coaches will not begin practicing or playing during the 6 weeks between **June 1st and July 15th**. **Recreation** coaches may not practice prior to **August 1st**.
- 2) Pick up all trash on the field prior to leaving whether you brought it to the field or not.
- 3) On days of inclement weather, the coach is responsible for checking the **Mudline (714) 986-1015** after **3:00 pm** for field closure information. Use of a closed field may result in the loss of your practice field for the remainder of the season. This is a **serious violation** of City guidelines which could cost JUSA use of the entire field for the remainder of the season. The simple rule regarding rain is if there has been a measurable amount of rain in the previous 24 hours, the City will close the fields.
- 4) Keep a copy of the current practice assignments and your practice field map with you to your practices. Your teams practice assignment will **never** be changed with you being notified by email. It is each coaches responsibility to regularly check their email for practice assignment changes and in the Coaches Corner on the website for changes to the practice assignments.
- 5) Don't allow disagreements over practice spaces turn into threats, verbal or physical conflict. Make every attempt to be flexible and get through your practice session. Write down the facts and send it to your coach coordinator who will address it. Gather the following information: 1) The club name, 2) the coaches name, 3) the gender of the team, and 4) the approximate age of the team.
- 6) Be considerate of the teams practicing before and after you. Don't setup early. Plan to finish your practice sessions 5 minutes early so your players and equipment will be off the field so the next coach can begin his practice on time.
- 7) Recreation and Signature teams **MAY NOT** use any of the nets or goals at the fields.
- 8) Don't allow players to kick their soccer balls against school buildings or anything except a rebound wall.
- 9) Players should never "jump fences" to retrieve soccer balls. A parent or coach should escort the player to the home/business and politely ask permission to retrieve the ball. There are several homes with angry residents who have called the police and file trespassing charges.
- 10) Do not allow anyone to use the school grounds as a restroom facility. This is unacceptable.
- 11) Make sure that all your parents know not to park in, or near, parking spaces at schools that are marked for use by extended care parents.
- 12) No pets are allowed on the fields, ever. Consumption of alcohol, tobacco or smoking is allowed at any JUSA sponsored event.
- 13) Teams may scrimmage, but each scrimmage counts as 1 of 2 weekly practices. Practicing for more than 3 hours a week or more than twice a week is prohibited and will result in consequences.

By signing this practice request form you agree to abide by conditions stated in the Conditions Of Use. You also understand that violation of one or more of the Conditions Of Field Use may result in the suspension or revocation of your practice field.

Signature: _____ Date: _____