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2009 Indoor Registration

August 25 and 27, 2009

All persons wishing to play youth soccer must register at one of the following times. If you are unable to attend either of these times, please contact the registrar (Anne Ballantyne 373-4675) prior to August 25.

Tuesday, August 25	Alice Turner Library, 110 Nelson Road	7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Thursday, August 27	SaskTel Sports Center, 150 Nelson Road	7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Late registrants will be accepted only as space permits and will be charged a late registration fee of \$25.00. Registrants who have not paid fees in full by September 30th will be assessed a \$25.00 late payment fee. Registrants withdrawing at any time throughout the season are subject to an administration surcharge unless the withdrawal is as a result of injury and is accompanied by a medical doctor's certificate .

Those eligible to play with the Aurora Soccer Club are as follows:

- Those born in 1994 or later and either residing in the area east of Circle Drive and north of College Drive or residing in the area east of Circle Drive, north of 8th Street and west of McKercher Drive.

Age Divisions: U12 - born 1998/1999 U14 - born 1996/1997 U16 - born 1994/1995

Zoning no longer applies to U18 players (born 1991/1992/1993). See information on the SYSI website (www.saskatoonsoccer.com/sys). All U18 players must register directly with SYSI not at Aurora registrations. U18 registration deadline is Friday, September 4th.

Fees for all divisions will be \$330.00. Teams playing half field on the indoor turf (U12 Premier, and both the U14 and U16 Premier and Div 2 teams) will be assessed an additional team fee to cover the additional fees charged by SYSI for those leagues.

In addition to the registration fee, separate \$50.00 cheques are required as a uniform deposit for each player registered. These cheques should be post-dated to April 1, 2010 and will be held by the club until the return of the player's uniform at the end of the season. At that time the cheque will be returned. If the full uniform is not returned, this cheque will be used to recover the cost of unreturned items.

President's Message



On behalf of the Board, I send congratulations to each and every Aurora team for a great 2009 Outdoor season. Each of you found success in your own way, from improving your skills to, in some cases, bringing home a medal from a tournament, a city championship or a provincial championship. Congratulations too, to all who made the Harder Avalon Classic a huge success in June.

I would like to take a minute to talk about the people who make the club work for all of us – our volunteers. And, I would ask each Aurora family to take a minute to reflect on some of the ways we might contribute. Our most visible volunteers are those who make a big contribution to the club: our coaching and managerial staff, those who take the registrations, process the papers, evaluate and place the players and support the club with a superb technical program, excellent equipment and uniforms, appropriate facility allocation, and administrative and financial support. We have asked a lot of these people, in many cases for a long time. During this past season, in an effort to assist our volunteers, we have begun the process of restructuring the Board and the Administration of the Aurora Soccer Club to more efficiently handle our work flow and to reduce some of the work required of our volunteers. Part of this process will see our Annual General Meeting move from August to November. You will receive more information about this at registration.

Increased efficiencies will help. But each of you can assist us in doing more, doing it better and being a contributing member of the largest soccer club in Saskatchewan. If you have time to coach or to manage, or to be a member of the Board, please volunteer. We understand however, that not all of you can take on this kind of commitment. If you can't, help us by finding some other ways you can pitch in. One example of this kind of contribution is volunteering to be field marshals at the Harder Avalon Classic. You can look for other ways to help, as even the smallest things are appreciated. When you bring your children to a game or practice, can you pitch in by getting the net and flags up, so the coaches can focus on the players? Can you help your manager by volunteering to do phoning? Is there something else that will only take a few minutes that you can do? If we all do something, we become a better club for our players, and we are connected to our neighbours, friends and fellow soccer parents.

All the best luck for the coming indoor season.

Kim Anderson

Please Help Support your Aurora Teams The U14BP Diablo and the U16BP Elite have both qualified for the Bank of Montreal National Championships this fall. The U14BP Diablo are travelling to Sydney, Nova Scotia and the U16BP Elite are travelling to Winnipeg, Manitoba. They will be fundraising to assist in meeting the expenses of attending these important competitions. We know they will be most grateful for your support.

CARE and SHARE: There will be a bin at both registration nights for any used soccer equipment (shoes, shin pads, socks, etc.) in GOOD condition that people would like to donate to Care and Share



KIDSPORT: The deadline for Kidsport applications is September 15th. If applying for Kidsport funding please contact the registrar (Anne Ballantye 373-4675) to ensure you have the current application and all pertinent information. Forms will be available at registration or on the Aurora Soccer website.



Volunteers are always needed for the Aurora Club. The Club cannot function without the help of volunteers. Volunteer by signing up at registration night. Simply indicate on your child's registration form that you are willing to volunteer. Tryout assistants, evaluators, coaches, managers, tournament committee members, tournament assistants are all volunteers and necessary to the Club. Please do your part to enhance your child's soccer experience.

2009 Outdoor Medal Winners

The Aurora Soccer Club would like to congratulate the following medal winning teams.

Lakewood Kickstart Tourny (May 22-24, 2009)		
Silver	Aurora Angels	Under 12 Girls Div 2
Gold	Aurora Pulse	Under 12 Girls Div 3
Gold	Aurora Borealis	Under 12 Girls Div 4
Gold	Aurora Avalanche	Under 14 Girls Div 2
Silver	Aurora Polaris	Under 14 Girls Div 3
Gold	Aurora Tempest	Under 16 Girls Div 2
Silver	Aurora Mirage	Under 16 Girls Div 2
Gold	Aurora Helix	Under 16 Girls Div 3
Silver	Aurora Stealth	Under 12 Boys Div 2
Gold	Aurora Renegades	Under 14 Boys Div 2
Silver	Aurora Draco	Under 14 Boys Div 2
Gold	Aurora Blaze	Under 14 Boys Div 3

Harder Avalon Classic Tourny (June 5-7, 2009)		
Silver	Aurora Quasars	Under 12 Girls Div 4
Silver	Aurora Polaris	Under 14 Girls Div 3
Gold	Aurora Tempest	Under 16 Girls Div 2
Gold	Aurora Whitecaps	Under 12 Boys Premier
Gold	Aurora Stealth	Under 12 Boys Div 2
Silver	Aurora Zeus	Under 12 Boys Div 4
Gold	Aurora Bulls	Under 14 Boys Div 3
Silver	Aurora Blaze	Under 14 Boys Div 3

Grevers Eastside Tourny (June 19-21, 2009)		
Bronze	Aurora Ice	Under 12 Girls Div 2
Silver	Aurora Capella	Under 12 Girls Div 3
Gold	Aurora Quasars	Under 12 Girls Div 4
Gold	Aurora Crush	Under 18 Girls Div 2
Gold	Aurora Whitecaps	Under 12 Boys Premier
Gold	Aurora Jets	Under 12 Boys Div 3
Gold	Aurora Attack	Under 16 Boys Div 3
Gold	Aurora Celtics	Under 18 Boys Div 2

Grevers Eastside Tourny Shootout Winners		
Aurora Galaxy	Under 14 Girls Div 3	
Aurora Jets	Under 12 Boys Div 3	
Aurora Blaze	Under 14 Boys Div 3	

Premier League Finals, (July 11-12, 2009)		
Silver	Aurora Royals	Under 16 Girls
Gold	Aurora Diablo	Under 14 Boys
Gold	Aurora Elite	Under 16 Boys

Div 3 Provincials, North Battleford (July 17-19, 2009)		
Fair Play Award	Aurora Helix	Under 16 Girls
Gold	Aurora Delphi	Under 16 Girls

Div 2 Provincials, Lloydminster (July 24-26, 2009)		
Fair Play Award	Aurora Avalanche	Under 14 Girls
Gold	Aurora Avalanche	Under 14 Girls
Gold	Aurora Tempest	Under 16 Girls
Gold	Aurora Celtics	Under 16 Boys

City Championships		
Silver	Aurora Whitecaps	Under 12 Boys Premier
Silver	Aurora Stealth	Under 12 Boys Div 2
Gold	Aurora Jets	Under 12 Boys Div 3
Silver	Aurora Eclipse	Under 12 Boys Div 3
Gold	Aurora Zeus	Under 12 Boys Div 4
Gold	Aurora Renegades	Under 14 Boys Div 2
Gold	Aurora Spurs	Under 16 Boys Div 3
Gold	Aurora Celtics	Under 18 Boys Div 2
Silver	Aurora Trogdors	Under 18 Boys Div 2
Gold	Aurora Rangers	Under 12 Girls Premier
Silver	Aurora Angels	Under 12 Girls Div 2
Gold	Aurora Nova	Under 12 Girls Div 3
Silver	Aurora Capella	Under 12 Girls Div 3
Silver	Aurora Rockets	Under 12 Girls Div 4
Gold	Aurora Avalanche	Under 14 Girls Div 2
Silver	Aurora Polaris	Under 14 Girls Div 3
Gold	Aurora Galaxy	Under 14 Girls Div 4
Gold	Aurora Tempest	Under 16 Girls Div 2
Silver	Aurora Helix	Under 16 Girls Div 3
Gold	Aurora Crush	Under 18 Girls Div 2
Silver	Aurora Doritos	Under 18 Girls Div 2

Fall 2009 Technical Report

The Aurora Soccer Club has recently embarked on a couple of exciting programs. The Soccer Academy (HUSA) has been well received with a good number of our soccer players benefiting from the additional training provide by Bryce Chapman and the U of S Huskies players that help. We will continue to run this program during the indoor season; we will also be adding a goalkeeper specific component. The player academy will run twice (JAN-MAR & MAY-JUN) and the keeper academy will run NOV & DEC. Each academy will run eight weeks and the players will be provided with technical development/improvement. In addition to the player academies we will continue to provide opportunities for our coaches to hone their skills. At the start of each season we invite our coaches to attend periodic clinics to help them develop and enhance their understanding of various coaching philosophies. We are also looking into the potential of running a pre-season jamboree for the kids who are looking to get a leg up on the indoor season (please keep an eye on our website for details, www.aurorasoccer.ca).

2009 BMO National Championships

Saskatoon Adult Soccer will be hosting the 2009 BMO National Championships for senior mens' and womens' soccer from October 7th to the 12th. They are currently seeking volunteers to help make this event a huge success. Visit http://www.csanationals.com/volunteer_signup.php for more information and to sign-up to become a volunteer.



Rules for Aurora Apparel



Aurora Soccer Club continues to have Club ID apparel and other items for sale. To see what is available, check the club website, and contact the members of the committee to place your order. We are receiving more and more requests from teams who wish to purchase custom apparel not available through the Club ID program. Effective immediately, the Club has authorized the purchase of custom apparel by teams, provided that it meets the following criteria:

- The official Aurora Soccer Club logo must be applied in the official colours of the club.
To find out which businesses have access to and can apply the logo, contact the Equipment Coordinator.
- Custom apparel bearing the Aurora Logo must be in good taste
(ie no suggestive clothing or references to matters of a sexual nature, alcohol, drugs or violence)
- No advertising will be permitted unless a team obtains prior authorization in writing.
- Provided the official club logo is applied, teams are no longer restricted to the official Aurora colours of green white and black.
- This policy only applies to off-field apparel. If a team wishes to purchase custom uniforms, the prior permission of the Equipment Coordinator is required.

To see Aurora Merchandise available for purchase, check the Aurora website: www.aurorasoccer.ca