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**APPLICATION TO HOST A TOURNAMENT OR GAMES**

Name of Tournament or Games 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Texas Shootout Website URL: www.challengesoccer.com  
 Hosting Organization Challenge Soccer Club Type of Tournament:  Select  Recreational  Select & Rec  
 Designate Official of Hosting Organization Neil Hamilton Title President Phone 713 805 7078  
 Address 16720 Stuebner Airline #279 Email shootout@challengesoccer.com Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ H  
 City Spring State Tx Zip Code 77379 Phone 281 257 1014 FAX  
 State Association or Affiliate STYSA Guest Referees Applications Accepted  Yes  No  
 Location of Tournament or Games Meyer, Burroughs, Katy, Lindsey Lyons Park TEAM ENTRY DEADLINE: April 1, 2009  
 Date(s) of Tournament or Games May 29-31, 2009 Estimated # of Teams 400  
 Tournament or Games Director or Contact Person Ashley Fendley / Dan O'Toole Phone 281 397-2164  
 Address 16720 Stuebner Airline #279 Email shootout@challengesoccer.com Phone 832 559-3516  
 City Spring State Tx Zip Code 77379 Phone 281 257 1014 FAX  
ashley.fendley@challengesoccer.com

Age Groups Accepted	Type(s) of Team Accepted *	B	G	Roster Size	# Guest Players Allowed	Length of Games	# Players on Field	Awards	Minimum # of Games	Entry Fee	Bond
U-11 8/1	S, S2, S3, S4	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	18	unlimited	60	8/11	NONE	4	375/425	<input type="checkbox"/>
U-12 8/1	ODP, Nat'l	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				8/11	<input type="checkbox"/>		375/425	<input type="checkbox"/>
U-13 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				11	<input type="checkbox"/>		425	<input type="checkbox"/>
U-14 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>		425	<input type="checkbox"/>
U-15 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			80		<input type="checkbox"/>	3	850	<input type="checkbox"/>
U-16 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
U-17 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	22				<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
U-18 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
U-19 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
U- 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
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U- 8/1		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>

\*List of types of teams and tournaments is on reverse side of this form.

- RT Restricted Tournament - Open only to members of US Youth Soccer and its State Associations
- Team will be restricted to teams within the state association  Teams will be invited from all US Youth State Associations/Affiliates only.
- UT UNRESTRICTED TOURNAMENT  Other US Soccer Members as listed: \_\_\_\_\_
- International Teams as listed: \_\_\_\_\_

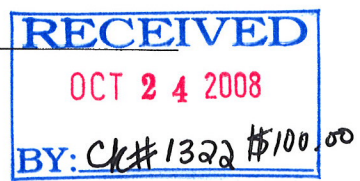
The Hosting Organization agrees to be bound by and comply with the terms contained in the TOURNAMENT AND GAMES HOSTING AGREEMENT and all applicable rules of the approving State Association or Affiliate. In granting this permission to host a tournament or games, neither US Youth Soccer Associations or Affiliates shall be liable for transportation, lodging, or injury to persons or property sustained in the course of the approved event.

Signature of Designated Official of Hosting Organization Neil Hamilton Date 10/20/2008

**APPROVAL**  
(For Official Use Only)

STATE ASSOCIATION OR AFFILIATE STYSA Date 10/24/08

By [Signature] Title EXECUTIVE DIR.





**US Youth Soccer  
TOURNAMENT OR GAMES HOSTING AGREEMENT**



In consideration of permission being granted to Challenge Soccer Club (Hosting Organization) to hold a tournament or games at Spring (City), Tx (State) on the dates of May 29-31, 2009

we agree to the following conditions:

1. **ABIDE BY RULES:** We shall abide by all statements made in our approved US Youth Soccer *Application to Host A Tournament or Games*, in our tournament invitation, in our tournament rules, in the US Youth Soccer *Travel and Tournament Policy* and in this US Youth Soccer *Tournament or Games Hosting Agreement*. We agree that all decisions regarding acceptance of teams into a tournament shall be fairly and impartially made and shall not be based upon race, creed, color or national origin.
2. **INVITATIONS:** The tournament or games approval form shall accompany all tournament or games invitations distributed us.
3. **PROCURING LIABILITY INSURANCE:** We have procured liability insurance coverage for the tournament or games with limits of not less than \$1,000,000/\$2,000,000 which names the State Association or Affiliate with which the Hosting Organization is a member, US Youth Soccer and their officers and directors as additional insureds. A copy of the certificate of insurance is attached issued by \_\_\_\_\_.
4. **REQUIRING MEDICAL AUTHORIZATIONS:** We shall require all teams participating in the tournament or games to provide medical authorizations for each player in a form adequate for use at the site of the tournament or games. These authorizations shall be presented to the Hosting Organization at registration and kept at the field available for use by the team.
5. **ADVANCE PUBLICATION OF RULES:** We agree that our tournament or games rules shall be included with the invitation sent to each team and shall, again, be published to all teams accepted prior to the start of the tournament/games.
6. **CREDENTIALS CHECKS:** We agree that we shall conduct credentials checks (check one)—
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_ at registration,
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_ at the field prior to each game by a field marshal, or
  - c.  at both sites,
 to ensure that all players are registered with US Youth Soccer or US Soccer, properly rostered with their team, and participating in accordance with representations set forth on the US Youth Soccer *Application to Host a Tournament or Games*:
7. **USE OF US SOCCER REGISTERED REFEREES:** We agree that we shall, in accordance with US Soccer Bylaw 532, use for all games only US Soccer registered referees who are in good standing (unless US Soccer has granted a waiver to allow the use of authorized referees from another country), and shall use a one- or 3-referee system. We intend to use a 3-referee system for the following age groups: \_\_\_\_\_. There will be an adequate number of US Soccer registered referees available in the area during the tournament or game dates to cover the scheduled games. We have selected the following assignor to assign referees for the tournament or games (NOTE: Effective, September 1, 2001, ONLY US Soccer certified assignors may be used.):

Name Jimmy Cheng Telephone 281 556 6826 FAX ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail jimcheng@sbcglobal.net  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

8. **USE OF FIELD MARSHALS - FIELD INSPECTION:** We agree that during the tournament or games each game field will have a field marshal assigned to it at all times; that the field marshal will be readily available and identifiable; that prior to the commencement of every game the field marshal will inspect the field to be sure that it is free from objects or conditions that may cause injury. If any condition exists which cannot be immediately corrected, it shall be brought to the attention of the referee and the tournament /games director. The Director of Field Marshals is:

Name Ashley Fendley Telephone 832 559 3516 FAX 281 257 1014  
 Address 16720 Stuebner Airline #279 E-mail ashley.fendley@challengesoccer.com  
 City Spring State Tx Zip 77379

9. **USE OF SPECTATOR LINES:** We agree to take appropriate steps including, where feasible, the use of spectator lines on each field to keep the spectators off the touch line.

10. **PROVISION OF ADEQUATE TOURNAMENT COMMUNICATION:** We agree to provide adequate communication by means of email, internet/website, phone between the game fields and the tournament/games headquarters. The Tournament Communications Director is:

Name Ashley Fendley Telephone 832.559.3516 FAX 281.257.1014  
Address 16720 Stuebner Airline #279 E-mail Ashley.fendley@challengesoccer.com  
City Spring State TX Zip 77379

11. **AVAILABILITY OF POLICE AND RESCUE SERVICE:** We have notified the local police, ambulance, and emergency rescue services of the date of the tournament or games and the times and fields which will be used for games, and have been advised by them that they will be available to render assistance if needed.

12. **TOURNAMENT OR GAME RULES - BEHAVIOR:** We agree that our tournament or game rules contain provisions ensuring that the behavior of teams, players, coaches, and spectators is appropriately controlled, including specific provisions that—

- spell out the disciplinary measures to be imposed for the issuance of red and yellow cards or other improper conduct;
- indicate what procedures will be followed regarding protests and appeals;
- indicate that all disciplinary measures imposed by hosting organizations shall be limited to placing restrictions upon an individual's group participation in the tournament/games;
- record the issuance of all red and yellow cards and other matters involving the conduct of a team, its players, coaches, and supporters and also report them immediately to the home State Association and the home club/league of the team; and
- state that the home State Association or Affiliate and the home club or league shall, except in the case of referee assault or abuse, have the responsibility for imposing, should circumstances warrant, additional penalties within their respective jurisdictions with regard to any matters arising from the tournament or games.

13. **TOURNAMENT CANCELLATION:** We agree that our tournament or game rules shall state what refunds, if any, shall be made to participating teams if all or a portion of the tournament or games is cancelled by the hosting organization for any reason.

14. **POST TOURNAMENT OR GAMES REPORT:** We agree that we shall file a Post Tournament or Games Report with the State Association or Affiliate granting us permission to host this tournament or games within 30 days after the conclusion of the tournament or games. We understand that failure to file the report shall preclude the tournament/games host from receiving approval for any tournament/games for the following seasonal years until the report is filed. The Post Tournament or Games Report shall include the following information:

- the number of teams participating in each age group (boys and girls);
- if a champion is determined, the name of the champion for each group;
- the number of teams from each State Association, Affiliate, other Organization Member, or foreign country;
- if "Sportsmanship Awards" are given, the criteria for the award and to whom awards were given;
- the number of fields used for the tournament/games;
- the name of the sponsor, if any; and
- the names and teams of all players issued red and yellow cards, and details of any other matters involving the improper or unsportsmanlike conduct of a team, its players, coaches or supporters. **NOTE: Any incident of referee assault or referee abuse by a player, coach, manager, club official, or game official, or other incidents of a serious nature, must be reported to the alleged offender's club or league and home State Association, Affiliate, or other Organization Member immediately, but in no event later than 48 hours after an incident of referee assault or abuse.**

Neil Smith  
Signature of Hosting Organization President or Chief Officer  
Date 10/20/2008

[Signature]  
Signature of Tournament or Games Director  
Date 10/18/08

Hosting Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Fax (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Tournament or Games Headquarters \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Fax (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

## TOURNAMENT LISTING INFORMATION

When tournaments are approved by the **STYSA State Office**, they are added to the tournament listing on the website and in the newsletter. In order that the appropriate information is listed for your event, please complete this Listing Information Form and include it with your Application to Host documents.

Tournament Dates	May 29-31, 2009
Tournament Name	22 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Texas Shootout
Tournament Site	Meyer Park, Durroughs Park, Katy Park, Lindsey Lyons Park - Houston
Contact Person	Ashley Fendley / Dan O'Toole
Telephone Number	832-559-3516
Email Address	shootout@challengesoccer.com / ashley.fendley@challengesoccer.com
Website	challengesoccer.com
Ages Accepted	U11-U19
Fees	\$375 U11-U12 (808), \$425 U11-U14 (11v11)

\$850 U15-U19

### LISTING EXAMPLE:

Date: 08/26/2000 through 08/27/2000  
 Name: SAYSA FIRE UP 5v5  
 Site: Slaughter Creek Park - Austin  
 Contact: Pete Adams  
 Telephone: (512) 280-0000  
 Email: [example@aol.com](mailto:example@aol.com)  
 Website: [www.tournament.com](http://www.tournament.com)  
 Ages: U6 -U19 boys/girls recreational; U11-U19 boys/girls competitive  
 Fees: \$100 - U6/U8; \$110 U9-U19