



Crystal Lake Soccer Federation

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CLSF CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February 15	CLSF Monthly Board Meeting
February 23	Annual Membership Meeting & Mandatory Winter Coaches Meeting
March 12-15	Dick's Sporting Goods/CLSF League Appreciation Day - See coupon
March 15	CLSF Monthly Board Meeting
April 10	Rec League Opening Day (pending COVID 19 mitigation guidelines)
May 1	Registration Begins for 2021-22 Rec League Season (ends June 15).

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING & WINTER REC COACHES MEETING

Greg Cole - Administrator

The 2021 CLSF Annual Membership Meeting and Mandatory Winter Rec League Coaches Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 23, 2021, at 7:00 P.M. This year's meeting will be a virtual event. An email will be sent to each family which will include a link to join the online meeting platform

The purpose of the Rec Coaches' portion of the evening is to provide information for the upcoming Spring Session. *The head coach, an assistant coach, or other team representative is required to attend this meeting.* This meeting will be the only opportunity for coaches to submit special scheduling requests. No requests will be accepted after this meeting.

The agenda for the Annual Meeting will include the election of members to the CLSF Board of Directors. Directors serve a three-year term. Each Director is expected to attend monthly Board meetings, work his/her assigned shift at Soccerhouse during each season, and take on one of the specific director roles. Each year the Board elects its officers and assigns

specific directorships for the other board members. If you are interested in running for Director, please contact CLSF Administrator Greg Cole, info@clsf.org.

CLSF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Jason Parr – President
Dan Dacy - Treasurer
Ken Ryan – VP/Secretary
Bob Hansen – Recreational Director
Bernadine Hansen – Concessions
Kelly Cahill – At Large
Eric Trejo – At Large

CLSF STAFF

Kristian Rockall – Executive Director and Director of Coaching
Greg Cole – Administrator
Donna Bertalon – Financial Coordinator
Bob Hansen – Head Referee, Trainer and Assignor & Game Scheduler
Kim Hollander – Administrative Assistant
Bruce Wiegand – Administrative Assistant
Brenda Erickson – Administrative Assistant

COVID 19 MITIGATION GUIDELINES FOR CLSF ACTIVITIES

CLSF Board of Directors

Please check our website www.clsf.org for updated information regarding the COVID 19 mitigation guidelines currently in effect governing CLSF activities.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MILESTONES

Greg Cole, Administrator

CLSF Board members **John Martin** recently retired from the CLSF Board after serving for over 3 years during which time he faithfully volunteered his time and talents for the betterment of our organization.

REGISTRATION FOR SPRING 2021 REC LEAGUE SESSION

Greg Cole – Registrar
Bob Hansen – Rec League Director

Registration for the Spring 2021 session will be open if Tier 2 COVID 19 mitigation guidelines are in effect. Please check our website www.clsf.org for updates. **Players who registered for the Fall 2020 session do not need to re-register.** Your registration covers the Spring 2021 session. To register go to our website www.clsf.org, click the "Registration" button, and follow the instructions. This registration is for U5 (pre-school) through U14 (8th grade). For more details scroll over REC LEAGUE PROGRAM DETAILS and click on the appropriate topic from the pulldown menu.

REGISTRATION FOR WINTER SKILLS CLASSES

Kristian Rockall – Executive Director

Session 3 of our CLSF Winter Skills and Monday Funday Programs is scheduled to begin on February 1. To register go to our website www.clsf.org, click the "Registration" button, and follow the instructions. A refund will be offered for any part of a class canceled due to COVID 19 mitigation guidelines. For information contact our E.D. Kristian Rockall at krockall@clsf.org or 815/861-2715.

FORCE Youth Academy

Kristian Rockall – Executive Director

Roster spots are available for our Winter & Spring FORCE Academy program. Academy program is open to 1st & 2nd Graders (Boys/Girls) with at least 1 year of soccer experience. For more info on the Academy program including registration details, go to our website www.clsf.org and click the "Youth Academy" tab. A refund will be offered for any part of this program canceled due to COVID 19 mitigation guidelines. For information contact our E.D. Kristian Rockall at krockall@clsf.org or 815/861-2715.

FORCE TRYOUTS

Kristian Rockall – Executive Director

Tryouts for the Crystal Lake Force 2021-22 competitive teams will be in May 2021. Check the website for details under the tab FORCE - Tryouts.

SUPER Y LEAGUE Announcement

Kristian Rockall – Executive Director

CLSF is excited to announce FC Lake County as a partner for its Super Y league program. Beginning in 2021 all FORCE Super Y teams will be formed under the new name "CL FORCE FCLC" and will be comprised of players and coaches from both Crystal Lake Force & FC Lake County. Training locations will

be divided equally between Crystal Lake, IL and Grayslake, IL.

The FORCE Super Y program will offer competitive players from our area the opportunity to train & compete at the regional level during the summer. The program is separate from the regular FORCE program which runs Fall/Winter/Spring. Tryouts for summer 2021 are coming up in February. For more information contact our E.D. Kristian Rockall at krockall@clsf.org or 815/861-2715

REGISTRATION FOR THE FALL 2021 – SPRING 2022 REC LEAGUE SEASON

Greg Cole – Registrar

Registration for the Fall 2021-Spring 2022 Recreational Soccer Season begins May 1. Register online at www.clsf.org. If you encounter difficulties registering online you may stop by Soccerhouse on Saturdays during the month of May. Thereafter, online registration continues through June 15. Players who do not register by June 15 and desire to participate will be placed on a waiting list. CLSF cannot guaranty anyone on the waiting list a roster spot for the 2021-22 Season. Any registration accepted after June 15 will be subject to an increased base fee rate.

GIRLS REC HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER LEAGUE ("BLACKMORE LEAGUE") REGISTRATION (Ages U15-U19, Grades 9-12)

Greg Cole - Administrator

Registration for the Fall 2021 season of the Girls Rec High School Soccer League (H.S.S.L.) begins May 1. Registration is via our website www.clsf.org.

Teams play in the BLACKMORE LEAGUE in honor of the league's founder. The league is made up of teams from local communities who participate to schedule matches. League matches are played on Sundays. Home matches are played at Lippold Park. CLSF teams will travel to play some games in opposing teams' communities. The season begins the end of August and runs through the last weekend in October.

Teams may also participate in League sponsored tournaments. The scheduling and location of such tournaments is by the Blackmore League and not under the control of CLSF. Participation in tournaments is determined by each CLSF team's coach. Traditionally three tournaments are offered throughout the season. Some additional costs may be incurred by players depending on tournament participation and selection of uniforms.

LIGHTNING PREDICTION SYSTEM

The Crystal Lake Park District has installed a THOR GUARD Lightning Prediction System at Soccerhouse. This system predicts when conditions indicate the potential for a lightning strike. It will give a warning in advance of a potential strike so that players, coaches, and spectators can take shelter. When THOR GUARD senses the potential for a lightning strike, it will sound a 15 second warning siren and the strobe light will activate. When this happens, **clear the fields immediately and seek proper shelter (building or non-convertible automobile), even if the weather appears not to be threatening.** The strobe light stays on as long as there is the danger of a lightning strike. When the potential for lightning has passed, the THOR GUARD siren sounds 3 blasts. This may occur as soon as 15 minutes after the initial warning has been given.

SPECIAL NEEDS ASSISTANCE

If a family member or friend is handicapped and needs assistance accessing the fields, golf car rides may be obtained at Soccerhouse. Just come up to the building and see one of our on-duty staff. We will be able to pick up the person at the vehicle and transport to and from the field.

PARKING

The small parking area immediately adjacent to Soccerhouse is reserved for vehicles with handicapped permits, CLSF Board Members and Staff. **Please do not park in this area or enter to drop off or pick up players.** Please do not park in any grassy areas at Lippold Park. You may be ticketed.

PETS

To ensure the health and safety of participants and players, CLSF prefers that pets be left at home. If spectators must bring pets, they must sit with their pets leashed and away from other spectators and teams, at least 10 yards off the corner of the field. This measure recognizes those who wish to enjoy watching their children play soccer while being accompanied by their pet and assures the safety and comfort of players and other spectators.

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Dick's Sporting Goods

Don't miss the CLSF shopping event at Dick's Sporting Goods in Algonquin March 12-15





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