## **AYSO Region 55 – All Star Program**

## **Tryout Dates and Times for Fall 2014**

Sunday, November 9, 2014 - Sun View Elementary (7721 Juliette Low Ln). 10:00 am - 11:30 am U10B & U10G 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm U12B, U12G, U14B & U14G

Sunday, November 16, 2014 - Sun View Elementary (7721 Juliette Low Ln).

10:00 am - 11:30 am U10B & U10G 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm U12B & U12G

Players should wear their current Fall 2014 AYSO jersey to the tryouts.

U10 & U12 Players should plan on attending both tryouts. For U14 further evaluation will be done during the playoff game on 11/15/14.

#### Overview

AYSO All-Stars is a continuation of play for players who played in the recreational division of AYSO in the Fall (Extra players are not eligible). All-Star play starts at the U10 level and continues through U14. The All-Star season follows the intra-region Fall recreational season, with play taking place in the following January and February. All-Star play is highly competitive, and is often a stepping stone for those who wish to take part in the Extra program. A full commitment to all All-Star games, tournaments, and practices is required to be considered for selection to the All-Star team.

Players for the All-Star teams are chosen by the All-Star Committee to participate in All-Star play based upon their performance in games during the recreational season and an All-Star tryout process. The All-Star Committee shall be comprised of unbiased coaches who will evaluate and rate all players that attend the tryout. Coaches with their own child participating in the tryout may sit on the committee, however, they will not evaluate their own child. Players will wear numbered pinnies at the tryouts to further help make the process unbiased. At the end of the tryout all player ratings will be compiled and reviewed. The Coach Administrator will make the final decision on the roster with approval by the Commissioner.

# Coaching

If you would like to be considered for one of the All-Star coaching positions please contact Mark Di Lauro (<a href="mailto:coach@ayso55.org">coach@ayso55.org</a>) and Jason Kakimoto (<a href="mailto:asstcoach@ayso55.org">asstcoach@ayso55.org</a>) expressing your interest. All-Star coaches are expected to represent Region 55 in a positive manner at all times. Coaches will be selected based on a number of criteria including, but not limited to: certification level, sideline behavior, coaching experience, adherence to the AYSO Philosophies, support of the Region's activities, etc.

## Dates and details of the All Star Team Selection Process

**10/14/2014** Deadline for Coaches to submit individual player ratings for their Fall 2014 recreational teams.

10/25/2014 Coaches to let the individual players know that they are invited to try out for the All-Star team. This should be done on a one-on-one basis and not in front of the team or other players. The maximum number of nominations per team is: U10 – 3, U12 – 3, U14 – open tryouts There is no minimum number of nominations required. Coaches should ensure that all nominated players are of the proper rating and caliber for their respective divisions.

**10/26/2014** Coaches submit names of players who will attend the All-Star tryouts.

11/9/2013 1st All Star tryouts @ Sun View Elementary (7721 Juliette Low Ln). Players will be put through a tryout of various stations and scrimmages where they will be rated by the All-Star Committee based on their tactical, technical, functional attacking, and functional defending skills.

11/13/2014 1st Player cuts. Player ratings from the first tryout will be reviewed and any players that are deemed to be not of All-Star caliber will be removed from consideration.

2nd All Star tryouts@ Sun View Elementary (7721 Juliette Low Ln) for U10 & U12 only. Players will be put through additional stations and scrimmages where they will continue to be rated by the All-Star Committee based on their tactical, technical, functional attacking, and functional defending skills.

All Star team roster finalization. Player ratings from the two tryouts will be reviewed by the All-Star Committee. The Coach administrator will make the final decision on the roster based on the input of the All-Star Committee. The anticipated roster size by division is: U10-9, U12-11, U14-14. Gold & Silver teams may be formed for U-10 if there are enough players of the proper caliber. U-12 & U-14 will have a gold team only.

**11/20/2014** Approval of final All Star rosters by Region Commissioner

Players notified if they made the All Star team. The Gold All-Star team will be notified first and the selected players will be asked for a full commitment to participate in all All-Star games. The Silver All-Star team (if applicable) will be notified next and will be asked for the same full commitment. Once all player commitments have been received the remaining players not selected will be notified.

**January-February 2015** – Area K All Star tournament