## Create Teams in Sports Connect System

1. Navigate to your region's website and click the "LOGIN" button.

2. Enter your Username and Password and click the "Login" button.

3. At the top of the page are several tabs. Hover over the "Teams" tab for the drop-down menu to appear.
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4. Click on "Manage Teams" from the drop-down menu.

5. On the TEAMS screen, select the Program and Division for which you would like to create teams by selecting each from their respective drop-down menus. Click on "Add New Team" near the top of your screen.


## 6. The "Team Building Options" menu will pop up on your screen. How you traditionally form your teams for the respective season may determine which team building option you select.

## Team Building Options

## Get Teams from AYSO

Have your teams been migrated to a new season? Use this tool to get existing teams from AYSO, and build your rosters in Sports Connect.

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Get Teams
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## Auto Assign Teams

Enter your criteria and have the system automatically generate your rosters.
You may bulk edit your teams after they have been generated.


Add Previous Teams: Use this option to automatically have teams created for the chosen Program and Division. Teams will be created based on the previous team for each Player and/or Team Personnel for that Division.
Use this when keeping the same teams for returning Players and/or Team Personnel and you simply need to supplement teams with newly registered players.

Automatically add all registered players' and volunteers' previous teams. The users will automatically be added to their old teams.


If using Manually Create Teams, click the "Manual Team Creation" button.
7. The "Manual Team Creation" window will pop up. Input the number of teams you want to create for the selected age division in the "Number of Teams:" box. After entering the number of teams, click the "Make Teams" button.

8. Enter identifying names for each of the teams created that clearly identify the division for the team and the team number. After all teams have been named, click the "Save Teams" button to save your teams.

## Manual Team Creation

Manual Team Creation allows you to create rosters from the ground up. Enter the number of teams you would like to build and click Make Teams. From there you can add volunteers and players to your rosters then post your rosters to the site.

9. From the "TEAMS" screen, you can now start to add Team Personnel and Players to each team. You can also see the number of Unallocated Team Personnel and Players.
To begin adding people to a team, on the line for the $1^{\text {st }}$ team, click on the "Edit" button to bring down the drop-down menu, which will display: Team Details, Team Personnel, \& Players. Click on "Team Personnel" to begin.

10. The $1^{\text {st }}$ option is to Add Team Personnel. All available Team Personnel will be displayed. You can add additional team personnel information to display beside each person by picking from the drop-down list under "Add Team Personnel Information", if needed. To select 1 or more Team Personnel, click the box beside the number of the person, i.e. Coach, Assistant Coach, for that team. When done, click the "+ Add Selected" button.

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|  |  |  |  | Add Team Personnel Info | $\checkmark$ |
| Available Team Personnel |  |  |  |  |  |
| - | Role - | Name - | Allocated Teams - | Associated Players - |  |
| $\square 1$ | Head Coach | Kyle Charkowski | Schoolyard Team 3 | No Answer |  |
| $\square 2$ | Head Coach | Ian Pratt | 6U Coed Team 6, $10 \cup$ Boys Team 1, 100 Boys Team 1, $10 U$ Boys Team 1, 10U Boys Team 1 | Myla Pratt (6U Coed Team 6) |  |
| $\square 3$ | Head Coach | Dennis Smith | 8 U Boys Team 6, <br> 6 U Coed Team 5 | Parker Smith (6U Coed Team 5) |  |
| + Add Selected |  |  |  |  |  |

11. Below the section to add Team Personnel (under "Available Team Personnel"), is the section in which you can remove Team Personnel from the team (if you selected the wrong individual or the person is not eligible to coach.) To deselect a person, click the box to the left of that person. Click the "Remove Selected" button. This will add the person back to the "Available Team Personnel" section above.
However, if you are satisfied with the individual(s) selected for the Team Personnel, click the "Save and Continue" button at the bottom of the screen without removing anyone already selected.
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12. You are now at step 3 of the team building process and can add players to the team. The first section lists the "Unallocated Players". Click the box to the left of the players you want to add to the team. Click the "+ Add Selected" button when done.

13. The next portion of the screen displays the "Allocated Players" for the team. If a player needs to be removed from the team, for example if they cancelled their registration, you can check the box to the left of that player and click the "- Remove Selected" box. This will remove the player from the team.
If you do not need to remove any players or are done altering the team, click the "Save \& Finish" button at the bottom of the screen.

14. Your \(1^{\text {st }}\) team is now built. You should now be back at the "TEAMS" screen. Here, you can see that Team 1 lists 1 Allocated Team Personnel and 1 Allocated Player. In addition, the Unallocated/Allocated total numbers for Team Personnel and Players near the top of the screen is also updated.

15. After you are satisfied with your team, you need to submit your team to the new Sports Affinity platform. To do this, click the "Submit Team" button on the line of the team you are ready to submit. A message usually pops up, asking if you are sure you want to submit your team. Select the option to submit your team. This should pass the team into Sports Affinity, where you will later "Activate" the team.
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