

AYSO REGION 91 BANNER GUIDELINES

REQUIRED ITEMS ON THE BANNER:

Team names will be derived from the division themes. Banners should reflect positive nature of AYSO.

At top of banner

- Team name

At Bottom right area of banner

- Coach Name
- Team Parent Name
- Sponsor name
- Team Number. Example AYSO U8G - 14

Player information will include only one of the following:

- 1) player first name only
OR
- 2) Player Number only
OR
- 3) Player picture only

Keeping player safety in mind when selecting from the above list there should never be two of the items on the player information on any AYSO banner.

Directions for making a team banner for AYSO teams

The finished banner should be approximately 5 feet wide and approximately 3 to 4 feet high. It should have a top sleeve and 2 side sleeves. The banner is held up by one 6-foot long PVC tube (which fits into the top sleeve) and two 7-foot high PVC tubes (which slip into the side sleeves). (See pictures below.) The tubes are set over two 4-foot long pieces of rebar that are hammered into the ground.

Materials and suggested sources:

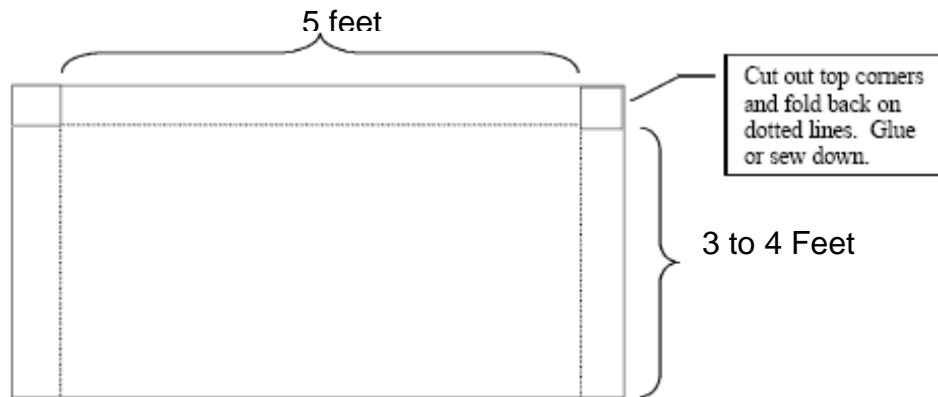
Banner: An inexpensive source for fabric is to buy a cheap twin flat sheet from Target or other such store and cut it down to size.

Tubing: Buy one 20-foot section of 3/4 inch PVC tubing from Home Depot (or similar hardware store) and have it cut into two 7-foot sections and one 6-foot section. Also buy two 3/4-inch slip L's. (L shaped pieces of PVC that slip onto the pipes to hold them together at right angles. Do not glue the L's in place, as you will want to be able to disassemble the tubes for storage.)

Tube holders: Buy one 8-foot section of rebar at your hardware store of choice and have it cut into two 4-foot sections.

Decorations: Lettering can be drawn, painted, or cut from fabric and should be glued to banner fabric. Letters can be hand drawn or traced from stencils. Stencils may be bought at Michael's or such other craft store. Gluing is best done with a hot glue gun, which can also be found at Michael's. Letters and other decorations can also be created by using fabric paint (such as 3D Paint made by Scribble or Jones Tones Glitter Paint) or fabric markers (such as Fabric Mate), all available at Michael's. Fabric paint needs a minimum of 24 hours to dry, (especially the puffy, 3D stuff).

Starting fabric:



Finished banner hanging on PVC piping:

