



SALINE AREA SOCCER ASSOCIATION



SASA Sidelines

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

Friday Training Sessions: **LAST CHANCE**

October 23rd &
October 30th

Register at:
SalineSoccer.org

October 23, 2015

LAST CALL for Friday Night Skills Sessions!

There are TWO Friday training sessions left!

**** October 23rd & October 30th ****

- Session information:
 - Fridays
 - 5 to 7 PM
 - Campus Parkway Fields
- Skills sessions we offer:
 - Finishing
 - Technical Training
 - Goalkeeping Training
- Sessions are:
 - One hour in length
 - Just \$15 each
 - Goalkeeping training is included with your registration fees
- Ages:
 - All travel players and recreational players
 - **U8 and older** invited to attend

[Register](http://SalineSoccer.org) at SalineSoccer.org



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TRAVEL SURVEY coming in November

Each November, SASA requests feedback from our parents regarding our travel program and coaches through a **travel survey**.

The link to this year's survey will be sent to travel families soon! The survey is only 10 questions and will take just a few minutes to complete. SASA values your opinion and your desire to improve our travel program. We cannot improve our program without your input!

All entries are anonymous. You will not need to input any personal information. You may only submit one survey per computer. If you have multiple children playing, please use a different device to submit the survey for each child.

Please email any questions to: tech@salinesoccer.org



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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

General Voting Meeting

*November 1st
Meeting time TBA*

October 23, 2015

General Voting Meeting:

The General Voting Meeting will be held on November 1st. The meeting time will be announced soon.

What happens at the General Voting Meeting?

At this very important meeting, new board members are nominated and elected. SASA requires many hands to help run this organization. We have some long-term board members retiring and are in need of new members.

Have you thought about getting more involved with SASA? This is a great way to support SASA. The Board of Directors meets one time per month, ten times per year. There are different positions on the board that have varying degrees of time commitment.

If you are interested, please contact SASA President Doug Schantz: president@salinesoccer.org



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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

October 23, 2015

BOWLING PARTY:

November 1st
12- 3 PM
\$12 per person
at Maplewood Lanes

To Register:

www.salinesoccer.org

BOWLING PARTY:

We are excited to announce that we are once again hosting an end-of-season **Bowling Party!**

PARTY DETAILS:

- At Maplewood Lanes
- On November 1st
- Bowling will take place from 12 to 3 PM
- \$12 per person for:
 - shoe rental
 - two games of bowling
 - two slices of pizza and soda

[Registration and payment](http://SalineSoccer.org/bowling-party/) : SalineSoccer.org/bowling-party/





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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

October 23, 2015

End of Fall Rec Season:

OCT. 26th - Final Week of Practices

OCT 31st – Final Saturday for Rec League games

Registration for spring season will begin in mid-December

SPRING SEASON:
April 11th – June 11th

End of Fall Recreational Season:

- The last week for games and practices will be the week of October 26th
- Final recreational league games will be played on Saturday, October 31st
- Registration for the spring season will begin in mid-December
- The spring season will begin with practices the week of April 11th

We look forward to seeing everyone back again in the spring!

Photos: All coaches will receive their players' photo orders by the end of this week. If you haven't gotten your pictures from your coach by this weekend, please contact admin@salinesoccer.org.



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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

Oscar's Fundraiser

November 19th
11 AM – 11 PM

** Remember to print
the flyer and take it to
Oscar's when you dine in
or carry out for SASA to
receive its funds **

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Night



OSCAR'S SPORTS AND
GRILL BAR

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH

20% DONATED TO SASA

11:00 AM TO 11:00 PM

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

August 2016

Birth-year registration changes will be implemented by WSSL

August 2017

Birth-year registration changes will be implemented by U.S. Soccer

October 23, 2015

Message from Knox Cameron Director of Coaching and Player Development

Parents,

As some of you may know, there have been some recent developments from US Soccer regarding birth-year registrations and small sided/field size regulations. For the purposes of this communication, I will strictly focus on the birth-year changes.

US Soccer has mandated that the initiatives get implemented by **August 2017**. **WSSL** has mandated that the initiatives get implemented by **August 2016**. On November 4th, Sue and I will attend a meeting held by MSYSA to further the understanding of the mandate at a state level.

It is important to align the Club's philosophy with that of our governing body to ensure that our players understand the requirements of developing into the best soccer player he or she can become. Although SASA fully supports the US Soccer mandated changes and recognizes its long term benefits, we also understand that the changes in the short term will not only impact some teams but the changes will also impact specific players within the Club. There are a number of considerations in play including player skill levels, division of current teams and of course, player ages. These will all be considered as we analyze the current state of our rosters and implement various tactics moving forward.



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Over the course of the next couple months, we **will be conducting an in-depth analysis** of each team and its respective players. After we have concluded this effort, I will meet with each team to discuss how the Club plans to move forward.

My ask is that you compile your questions and save them until we have the opportunity to meet with your respective teams. Please recognize that there is a lot to consider but the Club is committed to developing a strategy that best supports our players and their development.

Thanks for your time and support of SASA. As always, we are committed to providing the best coaching and customer experience for you and your children. All the best.

Regards,

Knox

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

Mid-Season Tryouts

November 13th & 20th

High Velocity Sports
in the dome

46245 Michigan Ave.
Canton, MI

October 23, 2015

ANNOUNCING: Mid-Season Tryouts

When: November 13th & 20th, 2015

Where: Dome at High Velocity Sports -- 46245 Michigan Ave. – Canton, MI

SASA is pleased to offer multiple teams at all age groups. We are looking to add committed players to the rosters of the age groups listed below! New teams will be created if a large number of players tryout for a specific age group.

**** U7 Boys and Girls are eligible to tryout for U8 teams ****

**** Please wear shin guards and bring a soccer ball and water to tryouts ****

SASA travel teams offer athletes the opportunity to develop their soccer skills in a competitive regional league environment. We field up to three travel teams per gender and age group, starting at U8. Girls' teams are called the Swarm and boys' teams are called the Sting. Teams are designated by color: Black, Gold or White. The Black team is the most competitive, followed by Gold and White in order.

Questions? Please contact Director of Coaching and Player Development Knox Cameron at knox@salinesoccer.org.

Age Group	Time	Age Chart (born on or after)
U8 Girls**	5:00pm to 6:00pm	8/1/2007
U9 Girls	7:00pm to 8:00pm	8/1/2006
U10 Girls	6:00pm to 7:00pm	8/1/2005
U11 Girls	6:00pm to 7:00pm	8/1/2004
U12 Girls	5:00pm to 6:00pm	8/1/2003
U13 Girls	5:00pm to 6:00pm	8/1/2002
U14 Girls	5:00pm to 6:00pm	8/1/2001
U8 Boys**	5:00pm to 6:00pm	8/1/2007
U9 Boys	7:00pm to 8:00pm	8/1/2006
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U12 Boys	6:00pm to 7:00pm	8/1/2003
U13 Boys	6:00pm to 7:00pm	8/1/2002
U14 Boys	5:00pm to 6:00pm	8/1/2001
U15 Boys	7:00pm to 8:00pm	8/1/2000



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Another order period will be available before Christmas. Stay tuned for more details.



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