**U6 Team FAQ**

What do you need? Size 3 Ball, Shin guards, Tall socks (soccer socks are preferred) - Must cover entire shin guard, soccer cleats, and water

* Please make sure your child is wearing athletic shorts or pants
	+ Pants such as jeans are too restrictive.
* Soccer cleats are preferred over tennis shoes. Grass can get slippery when wet and can increase the risk of injury.
	+ No cleats where there is a cleat centered on the toe are allowed in soccer (Such as baseball/football cleats) - this is a safety concern

How often do we practice?

* Once a week for 1 hr

How often are games and when are they played?

* Games are usually once a week and usually played on Saturday morning.
	+ This is subject to change based on weather, or scheduling conflicts.

What are the expectations for my child?

* Please be on time to practices
* Please be 15 minutes early to games in uniform
* Do your best (understand that at this age level kids often times get distracted - this is to be fun and introduce them to the game. It is okay if kids lose interest or get easily distracted.

What are the expectations for me as a parent?

* Give positive encouragement
* Do not try and coach over the coach.
* Do no go onto the field (unless asked by a coach/ref)
* No foul language - this is not tolerated and you will be asked to wait in your car or leave if there is a responsible adult available.

Can I bring my dog?

* Please do not bring pets to the games - As much as we love them others may not.

At this stage we are trying to introduce children to the game and get them broad strokes. Feel free to keep score individually, but this is not about winning or losing.

Any concerns that you feel cannot be addressed by the coach please don’t hesitate to reach out to fieldyouthsoccer@gmail.com