



Mount Pleasant Recreation Department

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2023 SPRING CHALLENGER SOCCER INFORMATION REGISTRATION: NOVEMBER 27 – DECEMBER 12, 2022

PRE-REQUISITE SOUTH CAROLINA YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION FEE 110SCYSAF FOR 1ST SEASON PLAYERS.

NEW THIS YEAR:

Evaluation registration and Challenger Soccer registration will be SEPARATE. Athletes looking to participate in evaluations for a challenger team must register for our FREE evaluations using activity code **112SOC002**. Once evaluations have concluded, coaches will invite selected players to their team and to register and pay for the Challenger soccer season using activity code **112SOC001**.

REGISTRATION:

You may register online at www.mtpleasantrec.com or at one of the following locations: R.L. Jones Center, Park West Recreation Complex and G.M. Darby Building. If this is your child's first time participating in youth athletics, you must provide an original or certified copy of birth certificate or passport. The Mount Pleasant Recreation Department does not retain a copy of birth certificates.

LEAGUES:

Ages 8 – 17 as of December 31, 2022.

U9, U10, U11, U12, U13, U14, U15, U16, U17, and U18. Boys and Girls play separate.

FEES:

New Players: Fee includes \$10.00 for South Carolina Youth Soccer Association.

U9 - U14 = \$170.00 Resident / \$230.00 Non-Resident.

U15 - U17 = \$220.00 Resident / \$330 Non-Resident.

Returning Players (played fall 2022):

U9 - U14 = \$160.00 Resident/ \$220.00 Non-Resident.

U15 - U17 = \$210.00 Resident/\$320 Non-Resident.

Waitlist opens December 13th. Waitlist registration must be completed at any MPRD facility, online, or via telephone. However, team placement is not guaranteed, MPRD staff will contact you if space becomes available. Registration from the waitlist requires a \$13.00 late fee. Make checks payable to **Mount Pleasant Recreation Department**. Checks must include current address, phone number, driver's license, and birth date.

UNIFORMS:

Team Managers will contact new participants with information on procedure to purchase uniforms from Lloyd's. Cost is between \$100.00-\$150.00.

Please contact Ryan Johnson at 843-884-2528, ext. 5516, or email Rjohnson3@tompsc.com with any questions or comments you have concerning Youth Soccer.

EVALUATIONS: Soccer Coordinator will send all evaluation information via email to all registered Evaluation participants.

EVALUATION/TEAM SELECTION PROCEDURES:

1. Participant is required to demonstrate various soccer related skills.
2. Evaluations are conducted by the Charleston Battery and MPRD soccer staff.
3. Requests for player placement are not considered.
4. Each child selected in this league is called/emailed with team assignment.
5. Individuals not selected to Challenger League may:
 - a. Transfer registration fee towards Recreation Soccer or another Spring sport offered by MPRD **based on availability.**
 - b. Request a refund of the registration fee per policy.

PRACTICES/GAMES: Practices begin mid-January. Games played Saturdays and Sundays throughout the Lowcountry to include Mt. Pleasant, James Island, Summerville, Charleston, Walterboro, and Goose Creek (other teams & areas to be included).

RAINOUT: Go online at www.tompsc.com to access **RainedOut.com** to get an instant update via email and/or cell phone on the playing status of games when inclement weather exists. The Mount Pleasant Recreation Department and officials will determine if a game is rained out/cancelled. **However, “when in doubt, dress out.”**

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