2021 SJGSL MANDATORY MEETING

FEBRUARY 8, 2021

SCHOLARSHIPS****









2021 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Julia Cionci – Cherokee HS

- Rank 31 of 531 with 4.0 GPA
- Attending Penn State University
- Active in Renaissance, Latin Club, Track, etc....
- Volunteer with Healthy Soles and Relay for Life.
- Described by her coach as "having a heart of gold, and treating people with dignity, respect, and love.



2021 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS CONT.

Alyssa Talarico – CAMDEN CATHOLIC HS

- Ranked 7th in her class with 3.6 GPA
- Attending High Point University
- Played Soccer, Softball, Lacrosse, and Basketball while in HS.
- Organized care packages to soldiers, events with Unforgotten Haven, and other service activities.
- Described by her teachers as "someone who has worked with integrity, with a positive attitude that is contagious to all around her!"



2021 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS CONT.

Sophia Briseno – Woodstown HS

- 3rd of 156 in her class with 4.0 GPA
- Accepted to Penn State Univ. Smeal College of Business, also applied to Cornell and Yale.
- Class Secretary for 3 years and soccer captain her senior year.
- Active in 4H, Girl Scouts and Woodstown Jr Womens Club.
- Described by her coach as "having a positive attitude and determination that sets her apart from her peers."



2021 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS CONT.

Ava Lammersen – Woodstown HS

- 33rd of 156 students with 3.7 GPA
- Accepted to Elizabethtown and Jefferson
- HS Soccer at Woodstown, first team allstar, voted best defender in the state.
- Participated in a mission trip to Canada and other service activities with her church.
- Described by her coach as "of the highest moral character, going out of her way to help people on and off the field."





THANK YOU AND CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS!!!

You can all jump off the zoom if you'd like...coaches, you have to stay!

TOPICS FOR TONIGHT

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COACHING LICENSE UPDATE

- Remember, to coach in SJGSL you must have an accepted coaching license on file.
- List of accepted coaching licenses can be found on SJGSL.org, once it it uploaded you're good. No need to upload every year.
- Coaches taking the SJ Level 1 course will have their certificates uploaded by us after completion of the field session.
- If your license is not in our system, Jen will be in touch with you, and can provide a list to clubs to ensure verification gets completed.
- No Upload = No Coach...No Exception
- Keep your eyes open for Level 2 course announcements, these focused courses to develop your skills.

WELCOME BACK!

We at SJGSL would like to be the first to welcome everyone back for the Spring 2021 season. We are so excited that even through the challenges COVID, our league has grown compared to the fall. That is a huge compliment to what each of you at the club level are doing, and the credit for this is yours. Our board realizes that without each of you, our league does not function, and ceases to exist. This is the spirit behind the innovation put forward so far and the exciting new initiatives we are working on for the very near future. Our board is in contact with our member clubs and their representatives to ensure issues do not go unresolved and that each member club has their voices heard. That being said, we are also constantly looking for new programs and innovative ways to create a better experience for our players, and none of it is possible without your continued support. So from our board to all of you, we just want to say THANK YOU! And WELCOME BACK!

NEW FOR SPRING 2021

INTERLEAGUE PLAY

- Beginning this season, SJGSL is proud to introduce interleague play with Northern Counties Soccer Association.
- The top flight of U13, U14, and U15 will play two of their scheduled matches against NCSA opponents.
- Each team will have one home and one away match, giving these teams the opportunity to play teams of equal stature that they wouldn't normally play.
- Our board has been working closely with NCSA to ensure match ups, and all administrative issues are worked out long before the games are played.



2021 SUMMER SELECT UPDATE

- Our summer Select program is back for 2021, and this year we are really excited to announce the addition of more teams to the program.
- Our program currently stands at 9 highly competitive teams, which is up from 5 teams last summer.
- We added boys teams this summer as the membership of SJSL had requested for the last couple years and we have been more that excited to oblige.
- We had 586 players register across the two programs.
- Girls teams in ages 2011, 2010, 2 2009, 2008, and 2007; and Boys teams in 2010, 2009, 2008.
- Our coaching staff this year is top notch and the players are in for an amazing summer and a fantastic experience.

2021 SUMMER SELECT PARTICIPATING CLUBS

- Barrington
- BCSA
- Berlin
- Bordentown
- Burlington Twp.
- Cape Express
- Cherry Hill FC
- Cherry Hill SC
- Cinnaminson
- Clayton
- Cohansey
- Collingswood
- Delran

- Deptford
- EGSA
- Egg Harbor
- Franklin Township
- Gateway United
- Haddon Heights
- Haddon Township
- Haddonfield
- Hamilton
- Hammonton
- Highland
- Logan
- Mainland

- Maple Shade
- Mantua
- Marlton
- Medford
- MLU
- Monroe
- Moorestown
- Northern Burlington
- Pal-Riv
- Pemberton
- Pitman
- Pittsgrove
- Rancocas Valley
- Seneca

- SJEB
- Swedesboro
- TBAA
- Upper Twp.
- Vineland
- Voorhees
- Washington Twp.
- West Deptford
- Westmont
- Winslow
- Woodbury
- Woodstown

52 CLUBS!!!

SJ CUP THIS SPRING

- Semi Final games will be played April 17-18
- Finals will be played May 22-23
- Cup shirts are available in three colors!
- 233 teams registered for the group stage
- 104 teams through to Semi Finals
- Cup Winners in the top bracket in U13-U14 will compete with NCSA cup winners in a Champions competition.



MATCH DAY PROCEDURE

- Both teams will arrive with their GDR, referee fee, and passes.
- NO PASS, NO PLAY, NO EXCEPTION!!!
- Referee will collect the fee and GDR from the coach.
- Coach will retain the passes, and inform the referee of any player/coach not participating.
- Referee will read the name of the player from the GDR, coach will show referee the pass, player will raise her hand and identify herself.
- Hand written information is still not permitted except for jersey number changes.
- Home team will submit score no later than 12pm Monday.

REFEREES, FEES, REFEREE RECRUITMENT

- After meeting with our assignors, we will continue to allow them to assign three referees to all age matches. We find it an excellent teaching tool for younger referees as they develop.
- 7v7 teams should be prepared to pay the fee for three referees, and although it shouldn't be every game it is possible.
- Fees are the same for this season and can be found on the Fact Sheet.
- We are proud to introduce Buddy Hart as our Referee Recruitment Officer, he has been communicating with the assignors to develop a recruitment and retention plan for referees in our playing area.
- Please remember appropriate conduct toward referees, your spectators and players take their cues from you!

CLUB PASS PLAYER UPDATE

- 41 Clubs applied to use CP players this season.
- This will benefit 119 teams with more depth to their roster.
- 345 players will have more opportunity for development in game situations.
- Clubs can request additional players, or changes to their selections, which may take up to 96 hours to complete. Players are not eligible until rosters are updated by SJGSL. Requests are due by the Wednesday before the first round of games if they're needed for round 1.
- CP Players are designed to be players that can benefit from additional match opportunities, not players added just to win.



COACHING EDUCATION

- Currently have Level 1 coaching courses scheduled and in progress, limited openings may be available.
- If you would like to host a course in your area, please let us know.
- 112 Coaches will complete their Level 1 course this month.
- Thank you to the many clubs who have offered space for these courses to take place.
- Your support makes this endeavor possible.
- Contact Heather at html/html/>
- We will contact everyone on our waiting list if any more courses are added.
- The course material is available on sigsl.org if you go under "Coach Resources" and click on "Coaching Ed" there is a link to the PDF.

WE'RE HERE IF YOU NEED US!

- New coach meeting will be March 1, 2021 @ 7pm. Heather will send out the same information packet from the fall meeting.
- If you have referee issues, please contact sjgslreferees@gmail.com
- For scheduling and other questions please have your Club Rep reach out to sjgslad@gmail.com
- For SJ Cup or Coaching Ed email htalarico115@yahoo.com
- For Coaching license questions email coachlicenses@gmail.com
- For Select info please email htalarico115@yahoo.com and austinbarr4@gmail.com
- Please remember that most communication with the league must go through the club not directly from coaches. This also goes for any communication from parents and non club officials, their communication must come through the club.

ANY QUESTIONS???

THANK YOU ALL FOR JOINING US TONIGHT!!!

WE WISH EVERYONE THE BEST FOR THE SPRING SEASON!!!

GOOD LUCK!!!