

The logo features the year "2009" in a large, blue, 3D-style font. To its right is a black and white soccer ball. Below "2009" is the word "Indoor Soccer" in a blue, outlined font. To the left of "Indoor Soccer" is a small icon of a bell. Below the main title is the text "Philadelphia Recreation Department" in a blue, italicized font.

2009 Indoor Soccer

Philadelphia Recreation Department

August 18, 2009

Dear Soccer Director/Coach,

Although Indoor Soccer has ended for the year, the Indoor Soccer Committee continues to work to find ways of improving the program. Over the past years, the committee has worked to improve all aspects of the program.

BANQUET

- There will be three nights again for the Banquets, **May 3, 4, and 5** starting at 6:30 P.M. @ Romano's Caterers. Tickets will be sold on three nights in late April, early May. Since there is a 400 people limit each night, it is suggested that tickets be purchased early and in block form. Single tickets will not be sold and there will be no tickets sold at the door. Please call Banquet Chair, Patty McGrail- Shiffler with any comments on how we can improve the Banquet.

GENERAL ITEMS

- ❖ The use of e-mail. Those clubs that have e-mail will again be asked to provide the address. This will be used for notices, letters, and the newsletter publications. The indoor soccer web site address is http://www.philarecdepthomestead.com/indoor_soccer.HTML.
- ❖ Participating in the All-Star games is mandatory. If you feel that you do not want to participate in these All-Star Games, do not enter the program. Coaches who fail to comply with this regulation will be subject to suspension or banishment from the program. The All-Star games are for the players not the coaches.
- ❖ It is the responsibility of the coaches to make sure that their players are only playing for them and are not playing for another team in the same division or a team in an older division. Severe penalties will be imposed to coaches and players that ignore this regulation.
- ❖ Gym time provided by clubs will be between January 4 and March 15, 2010. Playoffs are to be held from March 16 to March 29.

- ❖ Clubs may only split their outdoor teams if they can provide 5 home dates and/or the Master Scheduler has gym space for them. If you do not have home dates, before splitting your outdoor teams, you will need to contact Pat Cain, our Master Scheduler. He will make the determination on whether you can split your outdoor team.

LEAGUE FEE

- ❑ **The League Fee for the 2010 Season will be \$150.00 per/team.**
- ❑ **Referee Fee for the 2010 Season will be \$13/team/game.**

NEWSLETTER

- Again, there will be no hard copies of the newsletter mailed this season. The newsletter will be available by accessing our web page.

WEB PAGE

- League By-Laws and the Program Bulletin will be a link on the web page. Coaches will be given a shorten version in their packet when they are picked up at one of the commitment nights.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

- ◆ **Once again, YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO ATTACH A COPY OF A PERMIT OR LETTER FROM YOUR HOME SITE SCHEDULER THAT STATES THAT WHAT YOU ARE COMMITTING IS IN FACT WHAT YOU HAVE TO THE COMMITMENT FORMS.**
- ◆ Clubs must pay the registration fee at the two- (2) commitment nights or prior to being allowed to register on the registration nights. Commitment nights this year will be Tuesday and Thursday.
- ◆ **ONLY THE CITY CHAIRMAN CAN GRANT AN EXTENSION FOR PAYMENT. NO OTHER MEMBER OF THE INDOOR SOCCER COMMITTEE HAS THE AUTHORITY TO AUTHORIZE AN EXTENSION. CLUBS COMING TO REGISTRATION WITH AN UNAUTHORIZED EXTENSION PERMIT WILL NOT BE ABLE TO REGISTER. EXTENSIONS WILL ONLY BE GIVEN FOR A VALID REASON AS DETERMINED BY THE CITY CHAIRMAN. AN INITIAL PHONE CALL THEN A WRITTEN REQUEST WILL BE REQUIRED.**
- ◆ For the 2010 season, Indoor will again follow suit with what outdoor soccer has done. Specifically, all teams will continue to register with EPYSA.
- ◆ There will only be three registration dates this season. Two during the week that will run from 6:00-9:00 P.M. and one on Saturday that will run from 9:00 A.M. until 3:00 P.M.
- ◆ There will a late registration night following the three days of registration. Only teams with a compelling reason will be permitted to register on that date and there will be a \$25.00 processing fee per/team. If you would like to utilize that option, you need to contact the registrar by the last date of regular registration.

- ◆ **You are now able to print and save your roster form from the web site. Crossed out e-z pass rosters will no longer be accepted. You must download the roster form and type your information. Everyone must fill a roster out.**

I have listed important dates at the bottom of this letter for your information.

I realize that this is a long letter but the items in this letter are of utmost importance and need to be communicated to the appropriate people in your club.

As in the past, I look forward to working with you in the upcoming 2008 season.

Sincerely,

Steve Goldman,
Indoor Soccer Coordinator

INDOOR SOCCER 2009-10

IMPORTANT DATES

SOCCER DIRECTOR'S MEETING

**Tuesday, October 13, 2009 @ 7:30 P.M. @ Disston R.C.
Disston & Glenloch Streets (EACH CLUB NEEDS TO
BE REPRESENTED AT THIS MEETING)**

COMMITMENT NIGHTS

**Tuesday, November 3 & Thursday November 5
7:00-9:00 P.M. @ Disston R.C. located @ Disston &
Glenloch Streets.
(TEAMS MUST PAY FOR ALL COMMITTED TEAMS
AT ONE OF THE ABOVE NIGHTS)**

REGISTRATION NIGHTS

**Wednesday, November 18; Thursday November 19
6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.**

Saturday, November 21, 9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

LATE REGISTRATION

**(Requires authorization from the Registrar and a \$25.00
Processing Fee per/team)**

Tuesday, November 24, 6:00 P.M.- 9:00 P.M.

**All Registrations will take place at Shissler Rec located at
Blair and Berks Streets**

NOTE: This is the last day to register a team.

ROSTER CHANGES:

Wednesday, January 6, 2010 6:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.

Saturday, January 9, 2010 9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

SHISSLER REC, BLAIR AND BERKS STREETS