



RECREATION & INTRAMURAL SERVICES

SPRING 2008

EIGHT MAN OUTDOOR SOCCER

KUNZ FIELD

THE SPRING 2008 OUTDOOR SOCCER LEAGUE WILL CONSIST OF CONFERENCES & DIVISIONS AS LISTED:

Conference	Division	Time	League	# of Teams
Thursday	Men's A	6:00 – 7:00pm	Carefree	4 Teams
Thursday	Men's B	7:00 – 8:00pm	Carefree	4 Teams
Thursday	Men's C	8:00 – 9:00pm	Advance	4 Teams
Thursday	Men's D	9:00 – 10:00pm	Advance	4 Teams
Sunday	Co-Rec A	1:00 – 2:00pm	Carefree	4 Teams
Sunday	Men's B	2:00 – 3:00pm	Carefree	4 Teams
Sunday	Men's C	3:00 – 4:00pm	Carefree	4 Teams
Sunday	Men's D	4:00 – 5:00pm	Carefree	4 Teams
Sunday	Men's A	5:00 – 6:00pm	Advance	4 Teams
Sunday	Men's B	6:00 – 7:00pm	Advance	4 Teams

DESCRIPTION OF DIVISIONS

Men: The men's division is open to all current UB Male students, faculty or staff. Females can play but there is no minimum required to play. **Faculty and Staff members must also be Recreation Permit Holders.**

Co-Rec: The Co-Rec division is open to all current male and female UB students, faculty or staff. Co-Rec teams must have 2 females on the field at all times.

DESCRIPTION OF LEAGUES

Advance: Skill level is that of at least high school varsity.

Carefree: Playing just for fun and winning is not as important as playing the game.

All games will be held at Kunz Field on the Amherst Campus. As soon as your \$40.00 guarantee of appearance per team deposit, team captain's declaration, and completed roster form are submitted your team will be granted a spot in the conference and division of your choice, provided there is room remaining. Forms must be submitted to the Recreation Office located in room 130 in the Alumni Arena, Monday through Friday, between 9:30 am and 10:30 pm and Saturday and Sunday between 12:30 pm and 5:00 pm. The **DEADLINE FOR ROSTER SUBMISSION IS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2008.** Regular season play is scheduled to begin the week of Monday, March 17, 2008. Schedules and rules may be obtained on the web at: <http://www.ubrecreation.com/intramurals>.

Shin guards and valid UB Student, Faculty or Staff ID's are compulsory for all players.

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INTRAMURAL TEAM DEPOSIT, REFUND AND AWARD POLICY

TEAM DEPOSIT

Teams wishing to participate in an Intramural event are required to submit a Guarantee of Appearance per team deposit of \$40.00 (per team) to the Recreation and Intramural Services' Office at 130 Alumni Arena, when entering their team's roster into a Conference. The \$40.00 represents that team's roster commitment to appear on time at all scheduled contests. The team captain or manager will be given a receipt that will indicate a refund pickup period. You **MUST** present your **ORIGINAL RECEIPT** when picking up your refund during the stated period (see **TEAM REFUND** below).

TEAM REFUND AND REFUND PICKUP PERIOD

Of the \$40.00 submitted for Conference entry, \$30.00 is used for Officials and championship awards and \$10.00 is returned to the participating team provided they have fulfilled their scheduled obligations by appearing on time at all contests. If a team fails to appear for a contest or does not have enough players, they are given a forfeit. A team that forfeits one contest will lose \$5.00 of the refund. If the same team forfeits a second contest no refund will be given.

Team refund pickup period is a two-week period (10 weekdays) after the last official day of classes in the semester in which your team participated. The original receipt must be presented to pick up a refund. The refund pickup period deadline will be strictly adhered to because of deposit guidelines. **(NO REFUNDS ARE GIVEN ON SATURDAY/SUNDAY'S)**.

TEAM AWARDS

Awards are limited to the number of individuals on the roster up to a maximum of fifteen (15).

THE INTRAMURAL SPIRIT OF PLAY

"Team sport activities find their origin in the basic human need for the spirit of play. Winning and losing are mere outcomes of this play spirit. Abusive language towards officials and manipulation of the rules are "not part of the game." What is part of the game is the pure satisfaction of participation, getting fit and enhancing friendships. Without your opponent, you have no game, no contest, and no fun. You are indebted to them, as they are to you. The spirit of play then is based on cooperation. Upholding high standards of integrity and fair play acknowledges this idea of cooperative play. All players are encouraged to exercise good judgment in caring for the safety of others as well as themselves. At the University at Buffalo an intentional foul is considered cheating and a gross offense against the spirit of play. The goal of lifetime sports for all players may have more meaning than that of a win or loss, the memory of which often fades quickly. All players are asked to participate within the context of this spirit of play."

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Refunds must be picked up during office hours **Monday – Friday, 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM** between the dates of:

**MONDAY, APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2008 through FRIDAY MAY 9<sup>TH</sup>, 2008 ONLY!!**  
**(EXCLUDING SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS)**

\*\*\* Refunds after last date for pickup, cannot, under any circumstances be returned!!  
\*\*\* Refunds will only be returned upon presentation of the **ORIGINAL RECEIPT!**

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|------------------------|
| <b>OFFICE USE ONLY</b> |
| Date Paid: _____       |
| Receipt #: _____       |
| Initials: _____        |



## RECREATION & INTRAMURAL SERVICES

### EIGHT MAN OUTDOOR SOCCER RULES

#### Eligibility

1. All players MUST be **CURRENT UB STUDENTS, FACULTY or STAFF**.
2. All players MUST have a valid UB Student, Faculty or Staff I.D. card at ALL games. **FACULTY/STAFF PLAYERS MUST BE RECREATION PERMIT HOLDERS.**
3. A team has until its third game to solidify its roster, at which time all player names and I.D. numbers MUST be submitted. All I.D. numbers will be checked.
4. A player cannot switch teams once they have played one (1) game for any particular team.
5. A player can only play for one team per division.
6. Co-Rec teams must have 2 females on the field at all times.

#### Rules

1. Metal spikes of any kind are prohibited. Shoes with rubber cleats may be worn.
2. Shin guards **MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.**
3. A game shall consist of two twenty-minute halves with a five-minute rest period between halves. The clock shall be stopped for goals, injuries, and unusual delays designated by the official. All games will be timed on a running time basis.
4. A team shall consist of not more than 15 players. A team may not play with less than 6 players.
5. Any number of substitutions may be made:
  1. on a goal kick;
  2. on a corner kick;
  3. after a player ejection;
  4. after a goal;
  5. when an injury occurs. In making a substitution, the coach merely needs to notify the official.
6. Player alignment is up to the discretion of the team captain. The goalie, however, must be designated to the official at the start of the game and when substituted for. The goalie must wear apparel, which distinguishes him from his teammates.
7. The winner of the coin toss has the choice of kicking off or defending a goal. To start the second half, the team shall automatically switch goals and the "other" team shall kick off.
8. For playoff and championship games, one five-minute sudden death overtime period shall be played in case of a tie game. If a tie still remains, the officials shall conduct a penalty kick competition (sudden death, provided each team takes the same number of shots).
9. Game time is forfeit time,
10. The referees have the authority to warn a player about misconduct or eject a player if necessary.
11. Any complaints, questions or rule interpretations during the game shall or should be addressed to the referees by the team captain only.
12. Rules not covered herein are covered by NCAA soccer rules.

**PLAYERS MUST HAVE VALID UB STUDENT, FACULTY or STAFF ID CARDS AT ALL GAMES. FACULTY/STAFF CARD HOLDERS MUST ALSO HAVE A VALID RECREATION PERMIT. NO ID MEANS YOU CANNOT PLAY!**

**DAILY RECREATION PERMITS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE FOR INTRAMURAL PLAY!**

Please check the UB Intramurals Policies and Procedures regarding other issues such as forfeits, game cancellations and sportsmanship.

## Important Dates to remember:

**Registration Deadline** – Friday, February 29<sup>th</sup> in Rm. 130

**Outdoor Soccer Captains Meeting** –Monday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2008 @ 6:00pm in the Bull Pen in Alumni Arena

**Preseason Play Begins** – Check for available preseason time slots in Room 130 or call the Intramural Sports Office at 645-6149. **MUST SIGN UP AHEAD OF TIME FOR PRESEASON SLOTS.**

**Regular Season Play begins** – The week of March 17, 2008 @ Kunz Field

**Roster Changes** – Must be done before the start of the third contest

**Deposit Refund Dates** – Monday, April 28<sup>th</sup> – Friday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2008 (Excluding Saturday and Sundays)

## Important Contact Information:

**Michelle Bernas** – Director of Intramurals – 645 -6149 – [mbernas@buffalo.edu](mailto:mbernas@buffalo.edu)

**Intramural Hotline** – For up to date cancellations – 645-3148 – Weather cancellations will be made 2 hours prior to game time.

**Intramural Web Site** – To download rules, schedules and Intramural Policies and Procedures.

<http://www.ubrecreation.com/intramurals>

**Outdoor Soccer Listserv sign up or removal** – To add your email to the Dodgeball listserv and receive email updates on schedule changes or cancellations. It is required that all captains add themselves to this list and encourage all team mates to do the same.

<http://listserv.buffalo.edu/cgi-bin/wa?SUBED1=INTRAMURALS-OUTDOORSOCCER-LIST&A=1>

UB - Intramural Services - ROSTER FOR (Sport): OUTDOOR SOCCER

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Conference (weekday): 1st choice: \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Jersey Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Division (time): 1st choice: \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice: \_\_\_\_\_

| PLAYERS NAME                                                  |     | **STUD. ORG. # | ID or RECREATION PERMIT NUMBERS |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----|----------------|---------------------------------|
| Captain Name: _____<br>Phone#: _____<br>E-mail address: _____ | M/F |                |                                 |
| Captain Name: _____<br>Phone#: _____<br>E-mail address: _____ | M/F |                |                                 |
| 3.                                                            | M/F |                |                                 |
| 4.                                                            | M/F |                |                                 |
| 5.                                                            | M/F |                |                                 |
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| 7.                                                            | M/F |                |                                 |
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| 10.                                                           | M/F |                |                                 |
| 11.                                                           | M/F |                |                                 |
| 12.                                                           | M/F |                |                                 |
| 13.                                                           | M/F |                |                                 |
| 14.                                                           | M/F |                |                                 |
| 15.                                                           | M/F |                |                                 |

Each name on your roster form must be accompanied by an appropriate id number; **NO EXCEPTIONS!!** The only acceptable ID numbers are: UB student or faculty/staff personal ID numbers. Team rosters are limited to fifteen (15) players. **Teams have until the start of their third contest to solidify their roster.** Roster forms must have a valid captain's email address.

**\*\* NOTE (STUD. ORG. NO.)** = In the column designated as Stud. Org. No. (student organization number), place the appropriate number of the organization, which represents the particular player. All UNDERGRADUATES are (1) DUE. = (1) DUE, (2) GSA, (3) MED, (4) GRAD. MANAGEMENT, (5) DENT, (6) MFC, (7) PHARM, (8) LAW (9) Faculty/Staff

NOTE: Teams have until the start of their third contest to solidify their roster (that means complete name, student organization and ID number). The above selected Conferences and Divisions have my endorsement. Changes will invalidate the form:

CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE PAID: \_\_\_\_\_ RECEIPT NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ R&I STAFF INITIALS: \_\_\_\_\_

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**TEAM CAPTAIN'S DECLARATION**

(Please print)

**SPORT:** OUTDOOR SOCCER

**TEAM NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

I do hereby declare that all members of the aforementioned team are currently enrolled as University at Buffalo students or are faculty/staff that currently hold a Recreation Permit. I have read and understand the University at Buffalo's Intramural Policies and Procedures. I fully understand that if the above-mentioned team should use an illegal player, than I, as well as the rest of my team, assume the technical ramifications of that action.

I know that the following are my responsibilities:

- Join and encourage my team members to join the Outdoor Soccer listserv in order to receive all up to date league information.
- Attend or send a team representative to attend the pre-season captain's meeting, **MONDAY, MARCH 3<sup>RD</sup> 2008 @ 6:00 PM in Alumni Arena**. Important information is given out at this meeting. Any team who does not have a representative at the Captain's Meeting will receive a loss to start out the season.
- Provide accurate names, phone numbers and email addresses so the Assistant Director for Intramurals can communicate properly any and all changes with you.
- Provide accurate names and ID #'s of all team members before the start of the third contest and I understand that all players not listed will be ineligible to play.
- Inform my team members that ID's are required at the start of ALL CONTESTS. NO ID MEANS NO PLAY!
- Ensure team members arrive on time to all contests. GAME TIME IS FORFEIT TIME. There will be NO grace period.

I fully understand that the refundable part of my deposit **must be picked up within the refund period**, during the dates and times listed below, in the semester which my team participated, and that **I MUST PRESENT MY ORIGINAL RECEIPT IN ORDER TO RECEIVE MY REFUND**. I understand the Intramural Team Deposit, Refund Policy (READ THE ATTACHED SHEET BEFORE SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT.).

I do hereby, for my heirs, executors and administrators, waive, release and forever discharge any and all claims for damages which my team has or which may hereafter occur to said team or team members in connection with our association or entry out of our participation in said event.

**Office Use Only**

**Division of Play** (Check One)

Thursday Men's Carefree A    Thursday Men's Carefree B    Thursday Men's Advance C    Thursday Men's Advance D

Sunday Co-Rec Carefree A    Sunday Men's Carefree B    Sunday Men's Carefree CB    Sunday Men's Carefree D

Sunday Men's Advance A    Sunday Men's Advance B

**Time of Play** \_\_\_\_\_

Captain will sign here to confirm the day and time they have chosen to play: \_\_\_\_\_

**CAPTAIN'S NAME (PRINTED):** \_\_\_\_\_

**CAPTAIN'S NAME (SIGNED):** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_