

RIVER CITY YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE CONSTITUTION

MARCH 2009

Approved at March 2009, AGM

1:01 NAME

1:01:01 This organization shall be known as the River City Youth Soccer League, also referred to as River City YSL or **RCYSL**.

1:02 BOUNDARIES

1:02:01 The boundaries of RCYSL within the County of Sacramento shall be:

NORTH – The Placer County Line.

WEST – The Sacramento River.

SOUTH – From the Sacramento River along the American River to Howe Avenue to Folsom Boulevard. East on Folsom Boulevard to Jackson Road. East on Jackson Road to Sunrise Boulevard.

EAST – North on Sunrise Boulevard to Mather Air Force Base. West on Old Placerville Road to Routier Road. North on Routier Road to Folsom Boulevard to an imaginary line through Stoughton Way which would connect with Harrington Way (north of the American River). North on this imaginary line to the American River. East on American River to Arden Way. West on Arden Way to Eastern Avenue. North on Eastern Avenue to Marconi Avenue. West on Marconi Avenue to Watt Avenue. North on Watt Avenue to Auburn Boulevard. West on Auburn Boulevard to Roseville Road. Northeast on Roseville Road to McClellan Air Force Base. North on 20th Street to I Street. West on I Street to 18th Street. North on 18th Street to Q Street. West on Q Street to 16th Street. North on 16th Street to the Placer County Line.

1:01:02 Students attending Saint Ignatius School shall be considered to live within the boundaries of RCYSL for the purpose of registration for recreational level soccer.

1:03 PURPOSE

1:03:01 The purpose of RCYSL shall be to:

- A. Provide a program of soccer competition for all youth in RCYSL.
- B. Promote soccer by teaching its rules and playing techniques.
- C. Promote all levels of youth soccer for girls and boys. Children ages 4 to 18 on July 31 of the current year will be eligible to register.

1:04 GOAL

1:04:01 The goal of RCYSL is youth playing soccer. This goal is to be realized by setting an atmosphere of good sportsmanship and friendly competition in which learning and playing soccer take place under safe conditions. Anyone or anything which detracts from this atmosphere must be discouraged and will not be tolerated.

1:05 AFFILIATION

1:05:01 RCYSL shall be affiliated with and comply with the authority of the California Youth Soccer Association (CYSA), the United States Youth Soccer Association (USYSA), the United States Soccer Federation (USSF), and the Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA).

1:06 AUTHORITIES

1:06:01 RCYSL shall be governed by its Constitution, Bylaws, Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board and applicable General Procedures and Specific Rules of the California Youth Soccer Association (CYSA), the United States Youth Soccer Association (USYSA), the United States Soccer Federation (USSF) and the Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA).

1:06:02 The governing authority of RCYSL shall be vested with the Board of Managers (BOARD).

1:06:03 The Board shall be comprised of the managers of each affiliated Club and the elected officers.

1:07 MEMBERSHIP

1:07:01 Membership in RCYSL shall be by affiliated Clubs. The Board shall approve affiliation of new Clubs within the boundaries of RCYSL, subject to constitutional change and vote at the Annual General Meeting. The Clubs shall consist of all youth teams properly registered with CYSA within RCYSL boundaries.

1:07:02 The Clubs affiliated with RCYSL are:

- A. Arden Park
- B. British American
- C. Del Dayo
- D. Fulton-El Camino
- E. Natomas
- F. Rosemont
- G. Sierra Oaks
- H. Saint Ignatius
- I. Sacramento North
- J. River City ~~Metro~~ Select
- K. River City United

1:07:03 All member Clubs, their teams, coaches, and players shall abide by the Constitution, Bylaws and Rules and Regulations of RCYSL and the Constitution, Bylaws and applicable Rules and Regulations of the California Youth Soccer Association (CYSA), the United States Youth Soccer Association (USYSA), the United States Soccer Federation (USSF) and the Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA).

1:08 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

1:08:01 The president shall call an Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the membership to be held during the month of March and, no less than fifteen (15) calendar days prior to the meeting, shall give written notice of the date, time, place and agenda of the meeting to the membership and the Board. Agenda items must be submitted to the Board no later than thirty (30) calendar days prior to the meeting.

1:08:02 The order of business at the meeting shall be as follows:

- A. Call to order
- B. Roll Call
- C. Credentials Report
- D. Introduction of Guests
- E. Acceptance of Minutes previous AGM
- F. Committee Reports
- G. Unfinished business
- H. Proposed amendments to the Constitution
- I. New Business
- J. Good of the Game
- K. Adjournment

1:08:03 Each affiliated team and each member of the Board shall be entitled to one (1) vote. Voting by proxy shall not be allowed and only those members of record, in good standing, shall be entitled to vote. All individuals may cast only one vote at a time.

1:09 CHANGES

1:09:01 Amendments to RCYSL Constitution shall be made at the Annual General Meeting.

1:09:02 Any amendments shall be approved by a majority of members present and voting at the Annual General Meeting.