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APPLICATION TO HOST A TOURNAMENT OR GAMES

Name of Tournament or Games Columbia Fall Classic Boys Weekend Website URL: https://elitetournaments.com/tournaments/columbia-fall-classic-boys-weekend/

Hosting Organization Soccer Association of Columbia (SAC) Type of Tournament: ☒ Select ☐ Recreational ☐ Select & Rec

Designate Official of Hosting Organization Craig Blackburn Title Executive Director Phone () _____ W

Address 4560 Centennial Lane Email cblackburncoo@sachc.org Phone () _____ H

City Ellicott City State MD Zip Code 21042 Phone () _____ FAX

State Association or Affiliate MSYSA Guest Referees Applications Accepted ☒ Yes ☐ No

Location of Tournament or Games Howard County, Baltimore County, Frederick County **TEAM ENTRY DEADLINE:** October 6, 2025

Date(s) of Tournament or Games November 15-16, 2025 Estimated # of Teams 450

Tournament or Games Director or Contact Person John Steele Phone () _____ W

Address PO Box 54 Email jsteele@elitetournaments.com Phone () _____ H

City West Friendship State MD Zip Code 21794 Phone () _____ FAX

Age Groups Accepted	Type(s) of Team Accepted	B	G	Roster Size	# Guest Players Allowed	Length of Games	# Players on Field	Awards	Minimum # of Games	Entry Fee	Bond
U- 8 8/1/ 2018	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	14	5	50	7v7	☒	3	825	☐
U- 9 8/1/ 2017	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	14	5	50	7v7	☒	3	895	☐
U- 10 8/1/ 2016	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	14	5	50	7v7	☒	3	895	☐
U- 11 8/1/ 2015	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	16	5	50	9v9	☒	3	930	☐
U- 12 8/1/ 2014	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	16	5	50	9v9	☒	3	930	☐
U- 13 8/1/ 2013	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	22	5	60	11v11	☒	3	1125	☐
U- 14 8/1/ 2012	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	22	5	60	11v11	☒	3	1125	☒
U- 15 8/1/ 2011	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	22	5	60	11v11	☒	3	1125	☒
U- 16 8/1/ 2010	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	22	5	70	11v11	☒	3	1195	☒
U- 17 8/1/ 2009	S1, S2, S3, S4	☒	☐	22	5	70	11v11	☒	3	1195	☒

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*List of types of teams and tournaments is on reverse side of this form.

☐ RT RESTRICTED TOURNAMENT – US Youth Soccer Members and Affiliates only.

☐ Team will be restricted to teams within the national state association

☐ Teams will be invited from all US Youth State Associations/Affiliates only.

☒ UT UNRESTRICTED TOURNAMENT

Other US Soccer Members as listed:

US Club, USSSA, SAY, AYSO

☐ Foreign Teams as listed: _____

The Hosting Organization agrees to be bound by and comply with the terms contained in the TOURNAMENT AND GAMES HOSTING AGREEMENT and all applicable rules of the approving State Association or Affiliate.

Signature of Designated Official of Hosting Organization _____

Date 7/22/2024

APPROVAL (For Official Use Only)

STATE ASSOCIATION OR AFFILIATE

MSYSA

Date

September 29, 2025

By

Briana Nardone

Title

Marketing Manager

In granting this permission to host a tournament or games, neither US Youth Soccer nor its State Associations or Affiliates shall be liable for transportation, lodging, or injury to persons or property sustained in the course of the approved event.



CAPITOL AREA SOCCER REFEREES ASSOCIATION

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September 25, 2025

Bri Nardone
Tournament Administrator
Maryland State Youth Soccer Association
3060 Rt 97, Suite 17B
Glenwood, MD 21738

Dear Gandalf:

Elite Tournaments has selected the Capital Area Soccer Referees Association, Inc. to provide referees for its **"Columbia Fall Classic Boy's and Girl's Tournaments"** to be held on the weekends of November 15–16 (Boys) and November 22-23 (Girls) 2025 in the Olney/Columbia areas. CASRA's Lead Assignor for this tournament is Annie Derzak who is a 2025 USSF Certified Assignor.

CASRA certifies to MSYSA and the United States Soccer Federation that all the referees assigned to the tournament matches will be USSF registered referees. All matches assigned by CASRA will employ either the diagonal system of control or a single center referee as appropriate for the age group, in accordance with our contract. A total of 750 matches for the Boys Weekend and 450 matches for the Girls Weekend will be assigned which represents 100% of the total anticipated games for the Tournament. Please contact or me at (301) 503-3533 or Annie Derzak at (443) 244-0033, if you have any questions or concerns regarding assigning this Tournament.

Sincerely yours,

Mark A Jennings

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CASRA Executive Director

Assignor:

Annie Derzak

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cc: Colin Sporer, Tournament Director
cc: Annie Derzak, CASRA Assignor