



FALL 2023 STATE PREMIERSHIP



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COMMUNICATIONS

- Make sure your team contacts are updated and correct
- Do NOT opt out of emails from GotSport concerning Premiership or any other competitions

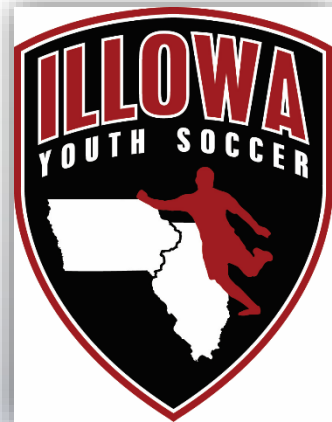


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ELIGIBLE TEAMS

In order to be eligible for the State Premiership your team and ALL PLAYERS MUST be registered to one of the following Illinois Youth Soccer member competitive leagues for the Fall 2023 season.



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SCHEDULING GAMES

- Schedules posted online
- All games are self-schedule
- Teams listed as home should host, unless otherwise agreed
- Initial schedules due by September 6
- SPD games can double count towards Cup matches, MWC, sanctioned tournaments as long as BOTH teams agree
- All games must be played by November 20
- Some division play each opponent 2x (home & away) – if both teams agree they can double count a single game for the result of both



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SCHEDULING GAMES

- Teams contact each other and agree to game details
 - Team contact email found on each team's State Premiership home page
- Hosting team submits the following information to iysascheduling@gmail.com
 - Subject of emails should read (AGE GROUP) STATE PREMIERSHIP MATCH
 - Body of email should include:
 - Age Group
 - Teams Playing or Game Number
 - Date of Match
 - Time of Match
 - Location - Be Specific Include Address & Field Number

DO NOT INCLUDE IYSA STAFF ON GAME NEGOTIATIONS. ONLY SEND US FINALIZED GAME INFO.



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GAME CHANGES

- Following the September deadline, teams are allowed unlimited game changes
- To change a previously scheduled match (THIS PROCESS MAY CHANGE), an email must be sent to iysascheduling@gmail.com with reps from BOTH teams included on the email
 - Subject of emails should read **PREMIERSHIP MATCH CHANGE**
 - Body of email should include:
 - Game Number Of Match
 - New Date of Match
 - New Time of Match
 - New Location - Be Specific Include Address & Field Number
- Games canceled without notifying IYSA may be subject to fines or forfeits

REPS FROM BOTH TEAMS MUST BE INCLUDED ON GAME CHANGE

EMAILS



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REFEREES

- The IYSA State Assignor send all 3 referees for each match
- If you want to use a local assignor – must let Chris know by August 22.
 - Email chrisj@illinoisyouthsoccer.org – assignor name & email
- BOTH teams pay fee AT the field for each Premiership match
 - 13U/14U: \$80 per game
 - 15/16U: \$85 per game
 - 17U-19U: \$95 per game
- If you have any referee no-shows, last minute game changes or cancelations you should contact the State Assignors directly first. That info will be shared with all teams shortly.



ROSTERS

- Roster must be entered in GotSport
- Teams are allowed to use any age eligible player from within their club
- Only players that are registered in a member competitive league & have a USYS/IYSA member league pass are allowed to compete in State Premiership
- No guest players from outside the club
- If have other teams in IYSA member competitive league play make sure you know their rules about player movement
- Up to 22 players can dress on match day



MATCH DAY – WHAT TO BRING

Each team is required to bring each of the following for EVERY State Premiership match

- Cash payment for referees
- Match card printed off GotSport - up to 22 players can dress on match day. Any players no competing should be crossed off the match card before giving to the referee
- Player & Coaches pass from an IYSA member competitive league. Mobile passes are ok



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REPORTING RESULTS

The **WINNING** team or the **HOME TEAM IF A DRAW**, collects **BOTH** match cards from the referee at the conclusion of the match and does one of the following to report the score:

- Scan or take a photo of **BOTH** match cards and email them to iysascoring@gmail.com
- Follow the prompts on the match card to enter score online or via phone
- Results should be submitted no later than 24-hours after the conclusion of the match

IF THERE IS A RED CARD THE REFEREE WILL KEEP THE MATCH CARDS TO SEND IN THE RED CARD REPORT

If there are no red cards and referee keeps the match cards please email chrisj@illinoisyouthsoccer.org



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PLAYING RULES

Complete playing rules can be found on the Premiership page of the IYSA website. Few rules of note:

- Match lengths = Cup match lengths. This may be different than league play
- NO HARD CASTS
- Unlimited subs for all age groups
- Fines for matches not played or scheduled by the deadline
- **Red Cards = fines & suspensions for players (\$50), coaches (\$300) & spectators (\$300)**
 - It is the responsibility of the coach to control their spectators section.
 - Outstanding fines are the responsibility of the club to get paid
 - Players & coaches **MUST** sit at least the next Premiership match
 - Games where red card coach or player participates will result in forfeits & fines
 - Team may keep the player or coach passes



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MARKETING MATERIALS

IYSA will have pre-made social media graphics for all teams in the State Premiership that you can download from our website and use throughout the season.

Also available here are the State Premiership & IYSA logo to create your own or to add to your website.



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PRIME TIME PLAYERS OF WEEK

Every Tuesday, IYSA recognizes the State Premiership Prime Time Players Of The Week.

For a player from your team to be included all you have to do is email

Katie@illinoisyouthsoccer.org the following **NO LATER THAN MONDAY AT 12PM**

- Age Group
- Team Name
- Player Name
- Player Photo (if available)

- Only 1 player from each team will be recognized each week
- You can recognize players for accomplishments other than Premiership
- 1st Recognition: September 12. Last Recognition: November 27



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