

Shenango Valley Soccer Club

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2016 SUMMER ADULT OPEN COED RECREATION/COMPETITIVE REGISTRATION

Shenango Valley Soccer Club (SVSC) is providing this registration form for the upcoming adult recreational/competitive summer coed soccer session. If you wish to participate, please sign the consent, indicate which team you will be playing with, note individual if you are registering as an individual, circle recreational or competitive, select a jersey size and return the form with the appropriate payment. Thank you!

Ways to register:

- **Register via mail** by mailing completed registration form, Release of Liability Waiver, payment and a copy of your driver's license (for DOB verification) to the address found below.
- **Register via email** by emailing completed registration form and Release of Liability Waiver to svsc.adultrec@gmail.com and mailing a copy of your driver's license (for DOB verification) and payment to the address found below.

NOTE: A copy of your driver's license is only required if you did not provide one in the past.

Please note that you will not be registered and cannot play until both completed form, waiver and payment are received.

- **Games** will be on Sunday afternoons and run 06/12 - 08/07 at the Hickory High School Stadium in Hermitage, PA.
- **Registration form and payment are due by June 5th.**
- **Player Fee** is \$65. This covers insurance, referee and t-shirt costs.
- **Refund policy** - If you withdraw before your team's first game, you will be refunded your fee paid minus \$20.00. There will be no refunds issued after your team's first game. If you have questions or concerns, please email svsc.adultrec@gmail.com.

Refer to the attached Registration Information sheet for more detailed information about the league, games, rules and game location.

2016 SUMMER ADULT OPEN COED RECREATION/COMPETITIVE REGISTRATION FORM

Player Full Name*	DOB*	Gender*	Last 6 of SSN*
Player Address	Player Email Address*		
Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	Alternate Emergency Contact (name and phone number)	

Which team you will be playing with.

Team Name (Note individual if you do not have a team):	Team Shirt Color (leave blank if unknown):	Please circle one: Recreational / Competitive

Please complete this worktable to calculate your player's fees.

Program	Program Fee	My Total
League Fee	\$65	
Fundraiser Donation	Flat Donation Optional	
Shirt Sizes (please circle) AS, AM, AL, AXL, AXXL, AXXXL, other size _____	Included	\$0
Total Cost		

Payment: Make check/money order payable to "SVSC" and include player name in memo field.

Amount Enclosed: _____

Mail Payment, Waiver, Completed Form and Copy of Driver's License to SVSC Adult Registrar, 3625 Marylane Dr., Hermitage, PA 16148

* required

For registrar's use:

Date Received _____

Check # _____

Amount _____



RELEASE OF LIABILITY - READ BEFORE SIGNING

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way for the Shenango Valley Soccer Club its related events and activities, I, _____, the undersigned, acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular skills, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the Company immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS Shenango Valley Soccer Club their officers, officials, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessor's of premises used for the activity ("Releasees"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property associated with my presence or participation, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

x _____ Age: _____ Date Signed: _____
PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

2016 SUMMER ADULT OPEN COED INFORMATION AND RULES

The Shenango Valley Soccer Club Adult leagues have been formed to provide everyone in the Shenango Valley area as well as the surrounding areas the opportunity to play soccer for individuals 18 years or older. The main goal of these leagues is for the players to enjoy the game of soccer. Common sense should play a major role in each player's attitude towards officials, opponents, and their teammates. In short, "PLEASE TAKE IT EASY."

Below you will find information pertaining to registration, league information, game format and rules.

Registration

Registration deadline is June 5.

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- **Register via email** by emailing completed registration form and Release of Liability Waiver to svsc.adultrec@gmail.com and mailing a copy of driver's license (for DOB verification) and payment to the registrar's address below.
- **Registrar Address and Contact Information**
Address: SVSC Adult Registrar
3625 Marylane Dr
Hermitage, PA 16148
Phone: 216.269.6498
Email: svsc.adultrec@gmail.com

NOTE: A copy of your driver's license is only required if you did not provide one in the past.

League Information

- Cost per individual is \$65. This covers insurance, referee and t-shirt costs.
- Refund policy - If you withdraw before your team's first game, you will be refunded your fee paid minus \$20.00. There will be no refunds issued after your team's first game. If you have questions or concerns, please email svsc.adultrec@gmail.com.
- The season for both leagues run from 6/12 through 08/07 with a bye week for all teams during the July 4th weekend.
- The league is open to anyone 18 years or older, male or female.
- Games will be played on Sunday afternoons. Game times will be determined based on team registrations. However, the league will do their best to make sure games do not start before 1:00pm.
- Games will be played at the Hickory High School Stadium located at 640 North Hermitage Road, Hermitage, PA 16148.
- A rotational schedule will be set depending on the number of teams registered. Depending on the number of teams registered, some teams may incur a bye week in addition to the July 4th weekend bye week.
- Depending on how many teams register in each league, there is the possibility that both leagues will end up being combined as one league for the season. This is evaluated each year before the season begins.
- What is the difference between recreational and competitive?
Recreational League - This is a league designed to play for fun and is for the casual soccer player. No experience is needed to register in this league. Mostly 30+ year olds who want to go out and have some fun kicking around a soccer ball on Sunday afternoons during the summer.

Competitive League - This is a league with more experienced, serious soccer players in mind as well as for those who want to play a higher level of competition.

2016 SUMMER ADULT OPEN COED INFORMATION AND RULES**Games**

- The game format is the same for both the recreational league and the competitive league.
- Format
 - 11 v 11
 - 2 x 45 minutes halves separated by a 10 minute half-time. The officials reserve the right to shorten half-time to keep with other scheduled games.
 - There will be a center official and two side officials.
- Game results will be posted online at <http://www.pawest-adult.org/index.php/standings> under the Shenango Valley Soccer Club league
- Games will be scored as follows:
 - 3 points for a win
 - 1 point for a draw
 - 0 points for a loss

Rules

- There will be a zero tolerance policy in effect for all fighting and violent behavior. Anyone that is involved in this type of situation will be subject to removal from the league for two games for the first offense and for the remainder of the season for a second offense. If this player incurs a third offense in this type of situation over any number of future seasons, the league reserves the right to ban that player for life from all Shenango Valley Soccer Club adult league competition.
- Individuals cannot play unless they have successfully completed a registration form and submitted payment in full.
- All teams are required to field a minimum of two (2) female players at all times. Any team unable to field the female players will be required to play one player down for the number of female players missing, up to a maximum of two (2) players down. However, if both team managers agree to forgo this rule due to not having enough females to field two (2) players, then this rule does not need to be enforced.
- All players must be 18 years or older.
- Shin guards under socks, are required at all times during play.
- No slide tackles, high kicks or overly aggressive play is permitted.
 - You may slide to prevent the ball from rolling out of bounds or going into the goal provided there is not a player within 6 feet of the ball. However, officials reserve the right to not allow any sliding at all and the ruling on the field is final.
- In the event of an illegal slide tackle, the following rules apply:
 - 1st slide tackle offense in a game results in the player sitting out for 5 minutes without the team having to play down.
 - 2nd slide tackle offense in the same game results in an immediate yellow card and the player having to sit for 15 minutes without the team having to play down.
 - 3rd slide tackle offense in the same game results in an immediate 2nd yellow card and the player being sent off for the remainder of the game and not allowed to play the next game. The team will play down a player. This is the equivalent of a red card.
 - If the official feels a slide tackle was violent enough, this warrants an immediate red card. This is at the discretion of the official.
 - Repeat slide tackle offenders during the season will be referred to the league commissioner for further disciplinary action.
- Offsides is in effect.
- Substitutions
 - Substitutions may be made on all kickoffs and goal kicks by either team.
 - Substitutions are permitted by a team at their throw-in.
 - Substitutions are allowed by either team in the event play is stopped to attend to an injury.
 - Substitutions should line-up at the midfield line and wait to be called on by the officials.
- Each team must wear a numbered shirt/uniform of the same color with the number clearly visible.

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- Each team must elect a team manager/captain for the season. Team managers will be responsible for ensuring fair team play and resolving any disagreements between players.
- If a team goes up by five (5) goals, they will need to play with one less player. The winning team must remove one player at five (5) goals and another player at seven (7) goals.
- Verbal abuse towards any player, SVSC staff or spectators will not be tolerated. Vulgar language during games on and off the field will not be permitted.
- All games will be played as eleven (11) versus eleven (11) with a minimum of seven (7) players per team required for a game to be played.
- In inclement weather, SVSC reserves the right to cancel the game. The referee is the judge at match time and his or her decision cannot be changed or challenged. If during the match the referee determines the weather may be a threat to safety or other reasonable concern, he or she may postpone or cancel the match. The games will be stopped immediately following the first sighting of lightning or when thunder is heard.

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