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## SPRING 2012

### MAGIC CITY SOCCER CLUB MICRO CONTRACT FOR MICRO PLAYERS

*Player and parents:*

*Please read the following rules and guidelines for Micro U8 to U12 players in the Magic City Soccer Club. Failure to uphold commitments to the Magic City Soccer Club will influence your player's future team placement. Complete online registration and return the fourth page of this contract after both parent and player sign with the notarized registration form before November 30, 2011.*

#### **Expectations of the Micro player**

**As a player for Magic City Soccer Club, I will ...**

- Accept my team assignment.
- Be responsible for knowing about club activities and updates by accessing the club news and calendar at [www.magiccitysoccer.net](http://www.magiccitysoccer.net) and signing up for club e-mail on the homepage of the Website.
- Attend uniform try-on in mid-January.
- Notify my coach in a timely manner if I will be tardy or unable to make a practice, game, or meeting.
- Train and play to the best of my ability.
- Practice soccer skills and condition on my own.
- Have a positive attitude and never quit.
- Respect my teammates and only give them positive encouragement.
- Respect my teammates and opponents and play soccer in such a manner that I do not purposely attempt to hurt or injure another player.
- Arrive on time and be prepared for all training sessions, games, and tournaments during the spring season which starts in early April and runs through May 21, 2012.
- Attend a minimum of 2 practices per week plus technical training, if available.
- Attend the Magic Classic Tournament to be scheduled the last weekend in April or the first weekend in May, 2012.
- Attend one outside tournament in Montana or Wyoming, possibly the Queen City Classic Tournament in Helena, MT or the Snicker's Cup in Sheridan, WY, if approved by the team parents.
- Accept my coach's tactical decisions (player positioning, play time, etc.).
- Follow the instructions and directions of my coach(s), board members, and administrators of the club.
- Respect game officials and accept their decisions without question (Montana Youth Soccer Association Zero Tolerance Policy).
- Learn and obey the Laws of the Game and follow the rules of my team and the club.
- Not use profane, vulgar, or abusive language.
- Not participate in or be knowledgeable of the destruction or vandalism of property or facilities.

- Not use alcohol or a controlled substance unless it is prescribed by a physician (Montana Youth Soccer Association Zero Tolerance Policy).
- Obey all city, state, and federal laws.
- Not allow my enthusiasm and commitment for soccer to override my responsibilities to my education, family, and church.
- Not forget that I represent Magic City Soccer Club.

### **Expectations of Magic Parents**

#### **As a parent of a Micro player, I will ...**

- Accept the team placement of my player. *If my player drops the team that he/she is rostered to, I understand that I will receive NO refund of the registration fees.*
- Be responsible for knowing about club activities and updates by accessing the club news and calendar at [www.magiccitysoccer.net](http://www.magiccitysoccer.net) and signing up for club e-mail on the homepage of the Website.
- Player will attend uniform try-on in mid-January at Scheels.
- Attend the Micro parent meeting which will cover the club philosophies, rules, and tournament info. *Parents will receive their player's roster, meet the coach and other team parents, and sign up for team volunteer positions.* The Micro parent meetings will take place the first week in February.
- Help my player meet team and club expectations and commitments.
- Pay all club fees and turn in all required forms before Micro registration closes on November 30, 2011. I will apply for scholarship money by February 1, 2012 (and every year that it is needed).
- Volunteer my services and talents for the team and/or club. I understand that the club will assess each MICRO FAMILY \$50 if 5 hours of volunteer work is not completed. If a family has more than one Micro player in the club, they are responsible for a total of only 5 hours of work or \$50. If a family has a Micro and a competitive player, they are responsible for 10 hours of work or \$100. The volunteer check will be shredded, NOT cashed, if the family completes its 5 hours of volunteer work adequately. The volunteer check is a separate check which shall be post-dated June 30, 2012 and will be collected by the team volunteer hour tracker in March, 2012. Each family is responsible for tracking and reporting its volunteer hours to the team volunteer hour tracker, no later than June 07, 2012.
- Help collect ads in March for the team or share the ad expense for the Magic City Classic/state tournament handbooks.
- Be encouraging, supportive, and affirmative in regard to my child's play on the field.
- Familiarize myself with the Laws of the Games and respect officials and accept their decisions.
- Not engage in dissent directed at an official (Montana Youth Soccer Association Zero Tolerance Policy).
- Not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent. I understand there are severe consequences for dissent and unsportsmanlike conduct such as banishment from my child's future games or future club activities.
- Not interfere at any time with the duties and responsibilities of the coach.
- Support the coach and the team.
- Accept the coach's decisions (playing time, player position, tactics, etc.) and not be detrimental to a positive playing environment.
- Comply with the rules, policies, directions, and procedures of the team, administrators, and board members of the club as they apply to me.
- Not act in any way that is detrimental to the team or the Magic City Soccer Club.

**Zero Tolerance Policy for Referee Abuse**  
**(From the Montana Youth Soccer Administrative Manual)**

The purpose of such a policy is:

1. To establish an environment that is conducive to good sportsmanship. The game will benefit if respect is shown by and to everyone involved, including referees, coaches, both team's players, parents, and fans.
2. To establish an environment that is conducive to recruitment and retention of referees. Youth (young) referees are especially vulnerable to improper comments or behavior exhibited by coaches and fans.
3. To establish a policy that requires referee abuse in any form to be dealt with quickly and convincingly. Appropriate sanctions for improper behavior need to be established and enforced without exception.

Refer to the following guidelines:

1. USSF Referee Administrative Handbook – Policy 531-9—Misconduct Toward Game Officials.
2. MYSA Administrative Manual – Rule 1.3.2; Rule 1.10.7; Rule 4—Code of Conduct; other rules as they apply.

It is expected that everyone involved with MYSA activities will behave in a responsible manner. Please be aware of the following:

1. Youth soccer is a learning experience and mistakes are made by all involved.
2. Respect should be shown to all players, coaches, supporters, and officials.
3. Supporting a team does not give you the right to be rude or abusive.
4. Please respect the integrity and judgment of the officials and refrain from abusive, inappropriate actions or words.
5. Please behave in a manner that exhibits class that would never cause MYSA or its member clubs embarrassment.



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**SPRING 2012 MAGIC CITY SOCCER CLUB**  
**MICRO CONTRACT SIGNATURE PAGE**  
**FOR MICRO PLAYERS**

PLAYER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Circle age: U8 U9 U10 U11 U12

The following items checked below are due in the Magic office before November 30, 2011. Your player will not be rostered to a Micro team and registration materials returned if you are missing any of the following:

**Page 4 of contract (Signature Page) signed.** Print and circle your player's name and age above. Sign and date below. Turn into Magic office. Keep the first three contract pages for your records.

We, the undersigned, have read, understand, and agree to abide by the rules and guidelines listed in the 2012 Micro Contract. We also consent to accept actions taken by the Magic City Soccer Club to enforce the contract. We agree to complete and turn in all items on this page before November 30<sup>th</sup>.

Player Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Online MICRO registration completed at Micro registration button at Register Online at the homepage of [magiccitysoccer.net](http://magiccitysoccer.net).** New club members will first complete a Gotsport profile at the same location before registering online. All spring league registration is online.

**\$185.00 TOTAL registration fee paid online.** For 2012, ALL of the registration fee will be paid upfront. There will be no invoice sent out for balances due.

**Medical release on hardcopy of 2011-2012 registration NOTARIZED.** Turn into Magic office.

**CURRENT player picture uploaded to your Player Account at Gotsport.com.**

**Copy of player's certified (not hospital) birth certificate if new player.** Turn into Magic office.

**You must also turn in the following by the listed date or when requested, as it applies to you:**

\* Financial aid papers turned in to the Magic office asap, no later than 2-1-12, if needed.

\* A \$50 volunteer check turned in to your team hour tracker volunteer when requested in March.

For office use only: If missing payment, registration form, contract, or birth certificate, highlight above and send ALL documents back to family.

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Late Registration \_\_\_\_\_ Payment By \_\_\_\_\_ Financial Aid \_\_\_\_\_ Financial Aid Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Registration \_\_\_\_\_ Player Picture \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Certificate \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer Check \_\_\_\_\_ Other Notes \_\_\_\_\_