

Shenandoah County Soccer League



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Dear SCSL Families:

On behalf of the Shenandoah County Soccer League, I want to thank you for allowing us the opportunity to provide your child with the chance to play recreational soccer.

As most of you know, the SCSL is a non-profit, non-governmental, independent organization. Our ability to meet our regular operating costs depends entirely on fee income. And these costs, like the costs of everything else, are going up. As a result, the SCSL board of directors recently voted to increase registration fees starting with the Fall 2010 season. The new fees are \$30 for U6; and \$50 for U8 and above.

As we weighed this decision, we took a close look at what families in Shenandoah County and the surrounding area pay for other sports opportunities for their children. And we continue to believe that recreational soccer is one of the best sports values around! What's more, with the new fee structure in place, the SCSL's fees still will be at the low end of what other soccer leagues in adjoining counties charge families for participating in their recreational programs.

The bottom line is that the SCSL needs to cover all of our costs, or we cannot continue to support the programs we offer to your children. The following is an analysis of where your \$50 registration fee (for U8 and above) goes:

Virginia Youth Soccer Association Fee (per player)	\$9
Equipment (goals, nets, field paint, liners, port-a-johns)	\$4
Fields (includes mowing, seeding, fertilizer, weed control)	\$11
Administrative	\$4
Website (including online registration starting with Fall 2010 season)	\$4
Uniforms	\$10
Referees	\$5
Training	\$3
TOTAL:	\$50

Please know that the SCSL is committed to keeping soccer affordable for everyone who wants to play. Thanks again for being a part of the League. We look forward to seeing you and your child out on the field!

Please feel free to contact me with any questions at woodwell@shentel.net. Thanks again.

Sincerely,
Bill Woodwell
President