

East Ferris & Callander Youth Soccer League Newsletter 2019

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Welcome to the 2019 Season

We are very excited about another season of the Youth Soccer League brought to you by the Municipality of East Ferris, and the Municipality of Callander.

At the end of the season last year, a lot of families participated in our Year End Survey, and your feedback will be taken into consideration to continue to improve our program! With that being said, we want to thank all of our dedicated families for all your continued support throughout the years. We are glad to be able to put on this great program for the children in our communities.

For those who are not familiar, this is a non-competitive soccer league where we encourage sportsmanship and cooperation through sport. Children in this league will have an opportunity to learn about soccer while getting exercise, having fun, and making friends.

Welcome to the beginning of our 2019 Soccer Season!

Registrations

Office Registrations

Registrations will be open beginning in February and will be accepted until Friday April 26th, 2019. Any registrations after this date will be placed on a waitlist.

Flyers will be sent out to the local schools; St. Thomas D'Aquin, Ferris Glen Public School, St. Theresa and MT Davidson, notifying families of the opening of registrations. Flyers will also be sent via email to last year's registered families.

Keep an eye open for updates on our Municipal websites and our Facebook pages:

www.eastferris.ca and www.mycallander.ca
www.facebook.com/eastferris/
www.facebook.com/MunicipalityofCallander/

Registration Offices

Registration Forms may be picked up and submitted at the following locations:

- **Municipality of East Ferris Office**
390 Hwy 94, Corbeil
(Cash, Cheque or Debit)
- **East Ferris Community Centre**
1267 Village Rd, Astorville
(Cheque) *Drop Box Available
- **East Ferris Public Library**
1257 Village Rd, Astorville
(Cheque ONLY)
- **Municipality of Callander**
280 Main St N, Callander
(Cash, Cheque or Debit)
- **Callander Public Library**
30 Catherine St W, Callander
(Cheque ONLY)

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(cont.) Please make cheques payable to the Municipality of East Ferris or Municipality of Callander.

Refunds will be accepted between the first two weeks of the start of the season. There is a \$25.00 administration fee on all registration refunds. After June 21st, 2019 there will be **NO REFUND** on registration fees.

Player Requests

On the Registration Forms, there is a section allowing each player to request one other player (including siblings) to play on the same team.

There will only be one request per child, and it will only be accommodated if both players are in the same age division.

Requests for specific coaches or playing nights cannot be accommodated.

Team Selection

Team selection is done by the East Ferris & Callander Recreation Departments. We try our very best to accommodate player and parent requests.

We hope to have the Divisions divided the same as in previous years. This depends on registration!

If it remains, the same it will look like this:

Division 1: 2014 – 2015 (Ages 4 & 5)

Division 2: 2011 – 2013 (Ages 6 – 8)

Division 3: 2007 – 2010 (Ages 9 – 12)

Selection will occur during the month of May. The team lists will then go to the team coaches. All players should be contacted by their team coach by June 7th. If your child has not been contacted, please contact the East Ferris Recreation Department at 705-752-3566 or eastferrissoccer@gmail.com.

Scheduling and Start-Up

The soccer league is scheduled to begin the week of June 11th, 2019.

For you to better plan your summer activities, we anticipate the schedule will remain the same as last year – it seemed to be preferred by many families!

Division 1 will play every Wednesday night at 6:00 p.m., at Vrebosch Park in East Ferris. Playing one game per week.

Division 2 will play Tuesdays and/or Thursdays at 6:00 p.m., at alternating fields. Tuesday nights will be played at Vrebosch Park in East Ferris and Thursday nights will be played at Yarlasky Park in Callander. Playing 1-2 games per week.

Division 3 will play Tuesdays and/or Thursdays at 7:00 p.m., at alternating fields. Tuesday nights will be played at Vrebosch Park in East Ferris and Thursday nights will be played at Yarlasky Park in Callander. Playing 1-2 games per week.

Please note this is tentative! If there are any changes you will be notified.

Coaches

The East Ferris and Callander Soccer League are instructed by parents and volunteers.

We are always looking for coaches! If you or someone you know is in need of volunteer hours or who are interested in coaching our young soccer players please contact the East Ferris or Callander Recreation Department.

* Please note – **A Police Check is mandatory**, and your Municipality will reimburse you the cost.

Soccer Concerns & Issues

Throughout the season, we will try our best to address any issues or concerns you may have, and we want to continue to encourage you to approach us with any questions!



East Ferris Community Centre
705-752-3566
www.eastferris.ca

Municipality of Callander
705-752-2608 ext.23
www.mycallander.ca

