

Welcoming BC 4v4 Soccer Tournament 2018

Team Application

Date: September 22nd from 8:00am – 4:00pm

Location: Riverside Elementary Park (650 Riverside Drive)

Please submit the following to the City Manager's Office in Battle Creek City Hall (10 N. Division Street, Suite 206, Battle Creek, MI 49014).

- Completed application
- Waiver and Release forms for each team member
- \$40 Entry-fee (checks payable to: City of Battle Creek)

Due date: September 20th at 1:30pm

**Number of teams limited to 8 per age group. Teams accepted on a *first come, first serve* basis.

Age Group (circle one): U30 or 30+

Team Name: _____

Team Captain: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Team Members: maximum 7 total (6 players + captain)

Information

In the U30 age group, one player per team may be over 30 and vice versa in the 30+ age group.

Games will be 4-on-4 with each team allowed a maximum 3 subs. Fields are 30 yards long by 20 yards wide. Pop-up goals, 4 feet wide, will be used with an arc goal box of 6 foot radius. NO ball contact allowed in the goal box. Please email Jacob Schacht (jrschacht@battlecreekmi.gov) for list of full rules.

Teams will be grouped in pools. Each team will play the other members of the pool. The team with the most points will continue to the championship game.

Please have each player on the team wear the same color shirt.

For questions or assistance (including interpretation and translation), please contact Jacob Schacht, Assistant to the City Manager. 269-966-3378 jrschacht@battlecreekmi.gov

PARTICIPANT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

In consideration of the opportunity to participate in the City of Battle Creek Welcoming BC Soccer Tournament (City) sports event (Event), whose registration process requires me to accept this agreement, I hereby agree to the following Waiver and Release of Liability (Agreement):

1. Waiver and Release of Liability: My participation in the Event is voluntary and subjects me to the possibility of physical injury (which could be minimal, serious, and/or result in death) and loss of or damage to my property (collectively, Risks). Accordingly, I agree to the following:

- a. In consideration of being permitted to participate in this Event, I hereby release and hold harmless City, its officers, directors, elected officials, employees, agents, volunteers, and contractors (collectively, Releasees) from any claim, demand, loss, liability, damages, and attorney fees and costs whatsoever arising from, related to, or resulting from these Risks (Claims), including those caused by the negligent acts or omissions of any or all of the Releasees.
- b. I recognize the physical exertion involved in the Event and attest and certify that I am physically fit to compete safely, and I have not been advised otherwise by a health care professional.
- c. As between each of the Releasees and me, I will be solely responsible for any and all medical and related bills that I may incur because of any injury, as well as costs related to loss or damage to my property, that I may sustain as a result of my participation in the Event, including those sustained on the premises where the Event is conducted.
- d. This Agreement shall be binding on my estate, heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, as well as any other party asserting a Claim on my behalf or on behalf of my estate.

2. General Provisions:

- a. I hereby expressly agree that (1) this Agreement shall be governed and construed according to the laws of the state of Michigan without regard to its conflict of laws provisions and (2) any action or proceeding concerning any Claim or the meaning or effect of any provision of the Agreement shall be conducted only in the federal or state courts located in Calhoun County, Michigan, and that for such purposes, I expressly submit to the jurisdiction of such courts.
- b. This Agreement contains the entire understanding between and among the parties concerning these matters. No waiver, modification, or amendment of any of the terms of this Agreement shall be effective unless made in writing and signed by the party to be charged.

c. I hereby expressly agree that if any portion of this Agreement is held invalid, the balance of the Agreement shall nonetheless continue in full legal force and effect.

d. I affirm that I am at least eighteen years of age, or that I am signing on behalf of my minor child and that in doing so, I warrant that I have the full legal authority to do so.

I WARRANT I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE, AND BY SIGNING IT, AGREE IT IS MY INTENTION TO EXEMPT AND RELEASE CITY FROM LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE, OR SIGNIFICANT INJURY OR DEATH CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OR ANY OTHER CAUSE IN PARTICIPATING IN THE EVENT.

Dated: _____ /s/ _____

Printed Name: _____

Printed Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____