

HAYSC HOLIDAY CUP INTERNATIONAL 2011

- DATE:** December 17-18, 2011
- LOCATION:** **Harlingen Soccer Complex**
4515 E. Harrison St. Harlingen, TX.
- TOURNAMENT HEADQUATERS:** **Harlingen Soccer Complex**
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- AGE GROUPS:** U5 – U18 (Boys & Girls)
- COMPETITION:** A Round Robin will be played; the classified teams will compete for the championship on the final games. (Except for U5 through U8 age groups, they will play recreational system).
- LEVEL OF COMPETITION:** Sanctioned as a **STYSA TOURNAMENT**, under FIFA rules. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to determine the level of competency of each team.
- PLAYERS REGISTRATION:** Each team will be able to register the max number of players:
U5 / U6 6 players (3 v 3 format)
U7 / U8 8 players (4 v 4 format)
U09 – U10 10 players (6 v 6 format)
U11 – U12 14 players (8 v 8 format)
U13 – U18 18 players (11 v 11 format)
- TEAM CHECK IN:** Team check in will take place on Friday, December 16, 2011 from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. Location: TBD *To help this process move faster, please have all items listed below in order.*
- DOCUMENTS:**
- U.S. TEAMS:**
1. Official Team Roster from State Registrar.
 2. Complete Medical Release with guardian signature.
 3. STYSA Player ID
 4. Kid Safe Passes for all coaching staff
- FOREIGN TEAMS:**
1. Players must present passport at registration; proof of entry into the United States.
 2. Teams must present player identification cards, FIFA International Player Registration.
 3. Teams must have permission from Home Federation.

If you are unable to check in at the Hosting Hotel, you must check in at: **"Harlingen Soccer Complex"** with Tournament Director Jesse Villarreal one hour prior to first game. No exceptions!

SOCCER BALL: The home team will provide the game ball.

SIZE FOR GAME BALL:

U5 / U6	No. 3
U7 / U8	No. 3
U9 / U12	No. 4
U13 / U18	No. 5

ENTRY FEE:

U5 / U6	\$100.00	<i>Please Make Checks Payable to "AYSC" and mail to: AYSC P.O. Box 455 Harlingen, TX 78551</i>
U7 / U8	\$125.00	
U9 / U10	\$200.00	
U11 / U12	\$275.00	
U13 / U18	\$325.00	

ENTRY DEADLINE: **December 9, 2011**

AWARDS:

U9 – U18	1 st Place and 2 nd Place
U5 - U8:	Participation Medals

REFEREES: All Referees are in good standing with USSF/STYSA

CONFIRMATION: In order to confirm your participation in the Holiday Cup International 2011, call **AYSC** at (956) 428-3622, fax us at (956) 428-2236 or email us @ arroyosoccer@sbcglobal.net

AGE CHART & ROSTER SIZES FOR SEASONAL YEAR 2010-2011

Division	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
U18	93	93	93	93	93	94	94	94	94	94	94	94
U17	94	94	94	94	94	95	95	95	95	95	95	95
U16	95	95	95	95	95	96	96	96	96	96	96	96
U15	96	96	96	96	96	97	97	97	97	97	97	97
U14	97	97	97	97	97	98	98	98	98	98	98	98
U13	98	98	98	98	98	99	99	99	99	99	99	99
U12	99	99	99	99	99	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
U11	00	00	00	00	00	01	01	01	01	01	01	01
U10	01	01	01	01	01	02	02	02	02	02	02	02
U09	02	02	02	02	02	03	03	03	03	03	03	03
U08	03	03	03	03	03	04	04	04	04	04	04	04
U07	04	04	04	04	04	05	05	05	05	05	05	05
U06	05	05	05	05	05	06	06	06	06	06	06	06
U05	06	06	06	06	06	07	07	07	07	07	07	07

Holiday Cup International 2011 Tournament Rules

Team Registration

- A maximum of 4 guest players may be added to the roster.
- A player may play on only one Team in the tournament.
- A player must play for his/her primary team.
- An official Team roster must be signed by the Association Registrar.
- * All foreign teams must be FIFA registered.

MEDICAL RELEASE FORMS

- **Medical Release form must be presented for all players at the time of check-in.** Players without a player card will not be permitted to participate in the tournament competition.

LAWS OF THE GAME/OTHER FIFA LAWS AS MODIFIED BY USYSA & STYSA

- **FIFA Laws shall apply as modified by the USYSA and, STYSA as noted.** For U9-U18 teams: All players will wear A jersey with a number on the back the back to distinguish that player from any other player on his/her respective team (i.e., no two players on the same team can participate in a match with the same number).

TEAMS UNIFORMS

- Teams must have two different color uniform tops.
- In case of color conflict, the visiting team will change uniform top.
- Numbers on players uniforms, must match the number given in Game Cards and Official Team Roster

SUBSTITUTIONS

- Prior to throw, in your favor
 - Prior to goal kick by either team
 - After a goal, by either team
 - After an injury, by either team when referee stop play
 - After a yellow card has been issued, so that player may be substituted
- EXCEPTION: BRACKET THAT INCLUDE U17 OR OLDER TEAM.**

PLAYERS EQUIPMENT

- **All players must wear shin guards, NO EXCEPTIONS**
HARD CAST WILL NOT BE PERMITTED, WHETHER PADDED OR NOT, AT ANY TIME. ALL KNEE BRACES CONTAINING METAL OR PLASTIC, MUST BE COVERED/PADDED WITH ACCORDANCE TO STYSA RULES

GAME BALL

- Each team shall submit a game ball of appropriate size, weight, & pressure to referee at the beginning of the game.
- Home team will provide game ball.

GAME SCHEDULE

- Team listed first on schedule will be the home team.
- All game schedules are final as published. No changes will be permitted.
- Teams must be at game site 15 minutes before scheduled game time and be ready for inspection by the Referee.
- Coin toss will decide the game kick-off.

SCORING SYSTEM

- Game scoring will be six (6) points for a win, three (3) points for a tie, and zero (0) points for a shootout.
One (1) point per goal scored up to a maximum of three (3) per game (win, tie, or lose) and one (1) point for a shootout.
- Teams forfeits if:
 1. Are not on the field ready to play at scheduled game time.
 2. Not enough players to field a team (FIFA Laws of the Game, STYSA)Forfeits counts as ten (10) points and will be scored 3-0.
 - 0-0 tie counts as four (4) points for each team (3 for the tie and 1 for the shootout).
 - Maximum points per game are ten (10).
 - Teams that forfeit will not be allowed to play in Semi-Final, and Final.

ADVANCEMENT

- Division consisting of 4 teams, 2 teams with the highest number of points will advance to Final.
- Teams that forfeit a round robin game will not advance to Semi-finals or Finals.
- Tiebreaker rule apply. Tournament Committee will determine ladder seeding.

PLAY-OFF GAME

Playing time will be regulation time for age groups as per STYSA rules (except as noted on schedules).

Tie-breakers: Quarter-Finals and Semi-Finals: FIFA penalty kicks (no overtime).

Finals: Two ten minute overtime periods, then FIFA Penalty Kicks.

TIE-BREAKERS RULES

- Results of Head-to-Head Competition.
- Goal difference-goals scored minus goals allowed (up to a maximum of three (3) goals per game).
- Least penalty points (yellow-1 point; red -2 points).
- FIFA penalty kicks or coin flips at discretion of Tournament Committee

REPORTING SCORES

Each team (coach or representative)-whether win, loss, or tie, must report the score of each game on the official scorecard to the scorers table at the game site immediately following the game. If a team fails to present their official scorecard within one hour following the game, they will relinquish the right to contest the final score if inaccurate.

RAINOUTS

Tournament will make final decision over field conditions and game cancellations. In the event of rainouts, games will be rescheduled if possible within tournament time constraints.

REFUNDS

Teams will be given partial refund if they drop out before the event. Teams will be given partial refund due to tournament cancellation due to inclement weather. If a team forfeits a game in the tournament, no refund will be given. Refund will be mailed out after the tournament.

SPORTSMANSHIP/DISCIPLINE

All player, coaches and spectators are expected to show good sportsmanship at all times. Failure to do so could lead to the disqualification of the team from the tournament. Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their team and supporters. Coaches who receive red card must leave the complex immediately and sit out the next game. Players who receive a red card must leave the playing field and sit out the next game. If a Coach receives a second red card, he/she will be ejected from the tournament. If a player receives a second red card, he will not be allowed to participate in the remainder of the tournament. * Both teams will be on the same side of the field. Supporters will be on the opposite side of the teams. No one is allowed behind the goal.

RED CARD

- A player receiving a red card is prohibited from participating in the rest of that game and the next game. The player may be escorted from the field at the game site immediately following a game.
- A second red card to the same player results in that player being expelled from the tournament.

YELLOW CARD

- A player receiving two yellow cards (2) in the same game is prohibited from participating in the rest of that game and the next game. (Two yellow cards in the same game is a red card and is counted as a red card)
- A player accumulating three (3) yellow cards (in three separate games) is suspended for the next schedule game.

REPORTING

- Referees are required to report all disciplinary actions taken before, during or after a game on an official game report, and to separately report all cases of serious misconduct to tournament headquarters immediately following the game in which the serious misconduct occurred.
 - All yellow and red cards are reported to STYSA on the official post tournament report immediately following the tournament.
- Foreign teams will be reported by the Tournament Committee to the USSF. The USSF will report the incident to the home Federation, for disciplinary action.**

REFEREE ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE CONTROLLED BY THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE.

ALL REFEREE DECISIONS ARE FINAL. NO PROTESTS ARE ALLOWED.

THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE WILL HAVE FINAL JURISDICTION OVER ALL MATTERS RELATED TO THE TOURNAMENT.

*** No alcoholic beverages and smoking allowed at the Soccer Complex!!**