



**2011-2012**  
**Coaches Dinner & Drafts**

**Monday**  
**November 14, 2011**

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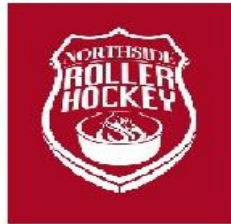
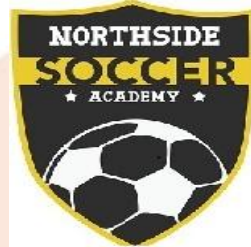
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# Mission

- Serving God through the lives of our members as well as the surrounding community has been the focus of the Sports and Recreation Ministries.
- Mission - Playing together for God
- Aren't just a rec. league in Buckhead – we are a church league. We open our doors to children & families in the community - Over 70% not members of Northside
- How do we stay focused on Mission?
- To **know** the love of Christ, **Grow** as disciples of Jesus Christ and, **Go** out into the world and serve others

# Fall/Spring Sports



- Roller Hockey
  - Grades K-8
- Northside Soccer Academy
  - Ages 6-12
- Northside Soccer
  - Ages 3-14

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# NUMC Staff

- Kelley Stonis, *Director*
- Clayton Schmitt, *Assistant Director (Sports Leagues)*
- Jerod Kazemba, *Sports Leagues Assistant*
- Jim Horesco, *Leagues Coordinator + Financial Guru*
- Edie Paulovcak, *Programs Assistant + Office Manager*
- Gym Staff
  - Chris Cavanagh
  - Robert Young
  - Blaine Kingsbury
  - Todd Massar
  - Ben Pickens
  - Andrew Hudgins
- Scorekeepers

# Leagues Overview and Rules (2)

Age Group	5-6 Girls & Boys	7-8 Girls & Boys	9-10 Girls & Boys
<b>Goal</b>	8'	G 8', B 9'	G 9', B 10'
<b>Ball</b>	27.5 Junior	Women's	Women's
<b>Time / Running Clock</b>	8 Minute Quarters Clock will not stop last 2 min of game	20 Minute Halfs (Stop Last 2 Minutes of Game if Margin is 10 or Less)	20 Minute Halfs (Stop Last 2 Minutes of Game if Margin is 10 or Less)
<b>Timeouts</b>	2 per Half	2 per Half	2 per Half
<b>Start Game</b>	Visitor	Jump Ball	Jump Ball
<b>Possession</b>	Visitor Starts Game	Jump Ball at Beginning of the 1st Qtr and any OT	Jump Ball at Beginning of the 1st Half and any OT
<b>Free Throws</b>	9'	12'	12'
<b>One in One</b>	5th Foul of Quarter	7th Foul of Half	7th Foul of Half
<b>Halftime</b>	3 Minutes	3 Minutes	3 Minutes
<b>Overtime</b>	None	None	None
<b>Lane</b>	None	5 Seconds	4 Seconds
<b>Defensive Pick Up</b>	Foul Line / No Steal on Dribble	Between Half Court & Foul Line (Red Line)	Half Court
<b>Press</b>	No	No	Last 5 Minutes of 2nd Half Unless > 10 Point Lead

# SUBSTITUTION GUIDELINES

- To create a league that will build the self-esteem of EVERY player, our league has policies that allow for fair play.
- Everyone plays & everyone starts a game
- Each child starts about the same amount of games
- Players are taught more than one position
- Coaches yell encouragement in public and whisper constructive criticism in private.
- Coaches will follow the substitution guidelines posted in the gym and on website

# Key Dates

- **Practices Begin:** November 28-December 4
- **Coaches Clinic:** December 10
- **Games Begin:** December 14-18
- **Gym Closed:** December 20-Jan. 2, 2012
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- **Rising Stars Holiday Hoops Clinic:** December 19-23
- **Team Pictures:** January 25-29, 2011
- **End of Season Parties:** February 15-19, 2011

# Uniforms

- Uniforms are ordered based on registration info online
- Hand out at the end of your first practice
- If there are size issues, try to sort out (trading uniforms etc)
  - Only if all else fails will we reorder and have in time for 2<sup>nd</sup> game
  - Older league uniforms (9-10 +) take an additional week to be delivered

# Devotionals

- **“More Than a Game” player card devotionals**
  - The lessons will also be emailed out each week to coaches and parents.
  - It is mandatory that you spend 3-5 minutes each week discussing the series with your players.
  - Our league is not just about basketball; We are an integral part of Northside Church and it is our goal to minister to all of the children and families through our winter basketball league.

# Team Pictures

- January 25-29, 2011
- TSS Photography
- Forms will be emailed out the week of pictures
- Pictures will be after your games
- Coaches will receive a team picture plaque at the end of the season

# End of Season Parties

- February 15-19, 2012
- Each team will have a room for a team party after their game
- Trophies will be set up in the room
- You will receive a cookie cake and lemonade
  - Generally, team parents coordinate other snacks/food

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# Draft Reminders

- Practice times will be confirmed before drafts
- Parity is the ultimate goal: we want all teams to be competitive!
- “5 School” Rule: you can’t have more than 5 players from the same school on your team
- Pay attention to special requests:
  - **If you practice Tuesday do not draft someone that cannot practice Tuesday**
- Any trades after the draft must be confirmed by Clayton

# Gym Reminders

- No Food or Drinks
- NO FREE PLAY DURING/BETWEEN GAMES ON COURTS-  
i.e. siblings shooting at Half-Time
- Practices are 1 hour-the clock is on the wall!
- Before you scrimmage, pick up ALL balls, cones, pinnies  
and equipment
- At the end of practice, please pick up all equipment  
and return to staff
- Don't let your players or siblings play in the room in the  
gym!
- Never leave your team unattended
  - If you have to miss practice, please call us 404-355-6477!

# League Reminders

- Only 2 coaches on the BENCH TOTAL-don't pace up and down the floor
- Have your subs ready at the table-don't let substitutions waste game time!
- You can only call a Timeout ONLY WHEN YOU HAVE THE BALL
- Never yell at a player, referee, scorekeeper or NUMC staff member
- Be mindful of the teams playing before you-don't let you kids step on the court before your game/practice
- Home team says the prayer before games
- Teach your players how to line up for a free throw-5/6 boys especially
- Use your whistle during practice!
- Don't run up the score
- Teach sportsmanship and be sure to have fun!

# Church/Facility Reminders

- Please park in the parking lot-not on the street!
- Do not enter through the Sanctuary
- Don't let players or siblings run through the church!
- Respect the church's property...this is God's House-Act Accordingly

# Weather Information

- We will email/call if gym is to be closed-check your emails and voice mails on the day in question
- Northside Sports & Recreation on Twitter: numcsportsrec
- When in doubt call Clayton (404-791-8323) or email [ClaytonS@northsideumc.org](mailto:ClaytonS@northsideumc.org)
- It is the coach's responsibility to notify players/parents of the cancellation



# Officiating

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"Oh, here we go again. Coach is going to tee off on the ref."

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"... Yes, but not just any wolverine. Pretend you're arguing a call."

# Officiating

- Numbers
  - 5/6, 7/8 leagues: 1 official (Cross Court)
  - 9/10 leagues: 2 officials (Full Court)
- If you have a question, ask the officials before the game or at halftime
- Officials are committed to working hard and being involved in the game as little as possible
- There will be mistakes! It is more valuable to use one as a coaching tool for your team than for you to yell at the officials.

# Coaches Clinic

- December 10
  - 10:00 AM
  - Northside UMC Gym
  - Coaches Josh Burr/Andrew Tulowitzky of Oglethorpe University & The Skill Factory



# NEW: Northside Soccer Academy

