



In-Season

• **Game Day**

- D'Feeters home uniform is WHITE; away uniform is GREEN
- Players should always take both full sets of uniforms to every game
- Home team must change if conflict arises
- General rule is players be at game 45 minutes prior to kickoff; check with coach
- Teams will occupy one side of the field and spectators will occupy the opposite side directly across from their team.
- Spectators are required to be a minimum of 5 feet from the touchlines of the field and shall occupy only the space between the top of the penalty area and 10 feet from the halfway line on their designated half of the field (opposite the players). No one is allowed behind the goals.
- Parents are not allowed on field or team sideline once warm-up begins, during or after games
- Coach releases players to parents.
- Recommend "48-hour" rule; wait 48 hours to discuss any concerns or provide feedback with coach; the field is NOT the place to discuss issues.

• **Game Cards**

- Game reports are used to document players, goals and scores at every game – "official record"!!!
- Players not actually playing should have a line drawn through their name at each game
- VERY IMPORTANT: Must be signed by Manager or Coach at end of every game
 - Whoever signs the game report is also responsible for making sure the points are correct and any penalties (red or yellow cards) are noted accurately on the card.
- Managers track penalties (cards) for each player on their team (league games only).

• **Dealing with Issues**

- Coaches handle ALL soccer issues
- Managers should not be a sounding board of complaints for the parents; refer parents to Coach.
- ALL parent issues dealing with soccer should be referred to the team coach
- If the Coach is not able to address an issue parents should contact the Director of Coaching

• **Club Wide Communications**

- Calendar found on D'Feeters website as well as team's TeamSnap calendar – Parents should check periodically. All D'Feeters activities (tournaments, special activities, camps) will be posted.
- Club wide emails through Gotsoccer or TeamSnap – sent to player database registrations; each registration can have up to three different email addresses. Parents can update by logging into system using their players user name and password created during tryout registration process
- Rainouts:
 - Updates by 3pm, if possible
 - Field Status on each website (right side).
 - Alert system for rainouts – Parents can sign up to receive tweets through a twitter account of field status. Click on FIELDS in the Field Status Box and follow the instructions.

• **Player Insurance**

- Through NTSSA, not D'Feeters SC.
- Injury coverage is provided to registered members as a part of the registration fee paid to NTSSA. This policy provides for coverage for registered players, coaches, trainers, and other officials, who sustain an injury during sanctioned events including regularly scheduled practices and games. For players or members who have health insurance coverage this insurance is secondary coverage. For players or members that do not have any health insurance, this coverage acts as primary insurance. The deductible for this insurance is \$1,000 per covered accident during sanctioned events.

• **Spirit Wear, Car Decal Orders**

- Spirit Wear and Car Decals are available at the D'Feeters on-line store.