



February 2010
Newsletter

The Corner Kick

Club News

It may seem like the middle of winter, but we are thinking summer soccer. As a club we have really started to focus our attention toward our spring and summer soccer programs.

Registration has begun for the spring recreational soccer league at Brighton Arena, and our summer recreational league at Kenney Field.

Registration has also begun for our summer micro soccer.

We are also now full speed ahead with our 4v4 tournament on June 5th and 6th, and our annual fundraiser/carnival on August 7th.



Travel Soccer

Travel soccer is well underway with most of our teams now training indoors. Some of our teams are also playing indoor soccer at Sportsplex or Epic Center.

Our U10 Revolution is looking for a couple players to fill out their roster. If you are interested or know someone who is interested in playing U10 travel soccer please contact [Dave Kreger](#).

U8 Academy

This is a new program that we are offering this year. We currently have 25 players that have been training hard on Monday's and Thursday's for the last four months. This group of players will continue to train and play occasional games for the rest of the winter, spring, and summer.

If you are interested in joining this team we do have room for a couple more players.

Micro Soccer

Our micro soccer program is for players between the ages of 4 and 8 years of age. Coaches place a strong emphasis on not only the development of soccer skills, but also the development of each player from a cognitive, social, and psychomotor standpoint.

Our winter "C" session begins on Monday, March 1st from 6:30 to 7:30 at Hoover Middle School.

We are now accepting registrations for our spring and summer micro soccer programs. For more information stop by our website at www.kentonsoccer.com.

Come Join the Fun!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



Recreational Soccer

Registration for the spring recreational league at Brighton Arena is now under way. If you are interested in registering for this league please take note to all of the registration deadlines. If you would like more information please go to the following link:
http://www.kentonsoccer.com/rec_soccer

Registration for our [summer recreational league](#) is now open. Register by June 1st to take advantage of our early bird discount.

If you are interested in coaching in either program contact Dave Kreger at 830-5712.

4v4 Tournament

This is a unique tournament that will be held at Kenney Field on June 5th and 6th, and will attract teams from the Buffalo and Rochester areas. There is not a tournament of this type anywhere in New York State West.

All travel and recreational players are eligible to participate in this event. This is a great opportunity to sharpen your skills, while having a great time doing it.



To register your team go to www.kentonsoccer.com.

T-Shirt Design Contest

Kenton Soccer Association is having a contest among the players in the club to design its 4v4 tournament t-shirt. The winning entry will receive a prize from the club. All entries must be submitted by Monday, March 29th. Submit all entries to [Dave Kreger](#).

Sponsors

Kenton soccer association is actively looking for businesses to sponsor our organization. We have several high profile events that will not only benefit you, as a business, but also benefit our soccer association. For more information on our fundraising program click [here](#).

Upcoming Events

- March 1st – Winter "C" Micro Begins
- March 1st – Spring Recreational League Registration Begins
- March 12th – Spring Recreational League Registration Ends
- March 16th – Travel Coaches Meeting
- March 16th – 4v4 Tournament Committee Meeting
- March 21st – Referee Course
- April 24th – Spring Recreational League Begins

Apparel Clearance

Kenton soccer is clearing out all of its apparel inventory in preparation for our new supply of promotional products. We currently have t-shirts, hoodies, and polos available in most sizes.

T-shirts: \$7
Hoodies: \$10
Polo's: \$10

If you are interested in purchasing any products contact [Tara Dzialak](#).



Just For Kids

Check out this cool online [video](#) to learn a couple of moves to beat an opponent:

Can you do this?

[Soccer Tricks](#)

[FIFA Best Goals](#)

[The Best Soccer Video](#)

From the D.O.C...



Summer is quickly approaching. This year we have a full schedule of camps and clinics scheduled. We will have four weeks of camp this year for players of all ages. We will also be offering a week of specialized goalkeeping camp. Please register early for all of our camps this season as they will most likely fill quickly.

Spring Mini-Camp: We are going to be conducting a mini-camp for all U8 to U14 players in the club from Tuesday, April 20th to Friday, April 23rd from 9am to 12pm indoors at Brighton Arena. For more info go to:

<http://www.kentonsoccer.com/clinics1>

[Dave Kreger](#)

Director of Coaching



Parent Patrol

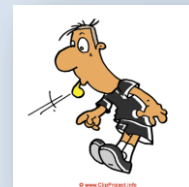
Being a soccer parent can sometimes be very challenging. We hope that this [manual](#) from the United States Youth Soccer Association will be useful as a guideline for parents to help their son/daughter manage their youth sporting experience.

Referee Round-Up



Want to be a Referee? Make extra money this summer. Check out this [website](#) for information on upcoming referee courses.

Ever been confused about the off-sides rule in soccer? [Here](#) is a clear explanation of the off-sides rule in soccer.



Coaches Corner

Principles of Teaching Technique

Technical training is the foundation of training youth soccer players. Our players must form a foundation of skills in order to be able to advance on a tactical level. Here are some of the main coaching points for different technical topics. Click [here](#) to read the whole article.