



July 2010
Newsletter

The Corner Kick

Club News

It has been a busy start to the spring and summer soccer seasons, but we are off and running. Our summer travel, micro, and rec. programs have begun and continuing to grow in size.

Our inaugural 4v4 tournament went off well, and we received countless compliments in regards to the format and organization of the tournament. We hope to make our 2011 tournament even better.

We have now started to organize our travel tryouts for the 2010/2011 season, and our end of the season celebration which includes a carnival for the kids and dinner and a basket raffle for the adults.



Travel Soccer

Our 2010/2011 Travel tryouts are slated for Sunday, August 1st at Kenney Field. The boy's teams will tryout from 10am to 11:30am. The girl's teams will tryout from 12pm to 1:30pm. Please register your son or daughter for travel soccer at our website before the tryout date.

Summer Camps

Don't forget to register for one of our summer soccer camps. This year we have three weeks of camp plus a goalkeeping camp.

Week 1	July 12 th to July 16 th
Week 2	July 19 th to July 23 rd
Week 3	July 26 th to July 30 th
	Goalkeeper Camp

For more information or to register go to our [website](#).

Micro Soccer

Our micro soccer program is for players between the ages of 3 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 summer micro soccer program is an extremely popular program. This year's summer program has over 200 players participating.

Our fall micro soccer program will run for 8 weeks and will begin on Monday August 9th at 6pm.

For more information or to register for the fall program click [here](#).

Recreational Soccer

Our summer recreational soccer program is now underway and again we have well over 200 players participating on 25 teams.

I would like to thank all the coaches and volunteers for making this program a huge success again this season.

Fall Recreational Soccer League

Registration will begin soon for the fall rec. league at Brighton arena. For more information and/or to register for the fall recreational soccer league run by the Town of Tonawanda Recreation Department click [here](#).

4v4 Tournament

Our inaugural 4v4 tournament was a huge success. Sixty four teams from as far away as Rochester and Batavia participated in nine different age groups. We had over 400 players participate on 14 modified fields at Kenney Field.

It was a great day and we hope for even more teams at our 2011 tournament.

I would like to thank all the sponsors and parents for working so hard to make this a great event.



Annual Fundraiser and Carnival

Come out and help us celebrate the end of another great soccer season.

Kenton Soccer Association is hosting our annual fundraiser on Saturday, August 7th from 2pm to 9pm at Lincoln Arena.

This year in addition to our basket raffle and dinner we will be hosting a carnival from 2pm to 5pm for children 3 to 17. A \$5 admission fee for each child or \$10 per family will allow them to participate in all of our games and activities. Some of our games include: Bounce house, inflatable slide, jousting arena, climbing wall, dunk tank, snow cones, hardest shot contest, fastest dribbler, penalty kick contest, most accurate shot, and much more.

Contact your coach for tickets. For more information you can check out our [flyer](#).

Upcoming Events

- July 8th – Coaches Meeting
- July 11th – 10am U6/U8 Clinic
Kenney Field
- July 11th – 11am U10/U12 Clinic
Kenney Field
- July 12-16 – Soccer Camp
- July 19-23 – Soccer Camp
- July 26-30 – Soccer Camp
- August 2nd – Summer Micro Ends
- August 7th – Kenton Carnival and
Basket Raffle



Just For Kids

[Watch these 2010 World Cup goals.](#)

Can you do this?

[Soccer Tricks](#)

[FIFA Best Goals](#)

[The Best Soccer Video](#)

From the D.O.C...



So far it has been a busy summer. I have been busy running team sessions, doing clinics for our rec. league, training our academy team, running micro soccer, and also preparing for our 4v4 tournament.

If you need or want extra training attend one of our summer soccer camps. These are a great way to have some fun and get better at the game we all love.

Click [here](#) for dates and times.

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Parent Patrol

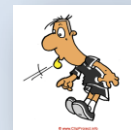
Being a soccer parent can sometimes be very challenging. We hope that this [manual](#) from the United States Youth Soccer Association will be useful as a guideline for parents to help their son/daughter manage their youth sporting experience.

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

Many coaches want to take an active role in coaching during games and/or practices. Many of us have grown up playing and coaching sports like football and baseball were coaches play an active role in coaching during games. When do you know when you should let your players play and when should you just let them play and learn. Here is an [article](#) that will hopefully convince you to just let them play and have some fun.