

WEST HAVEN INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT



SUPPORTING BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

Contact:

Tournament Director - WHIT Email: WHIT@WHYSL.ORG

The West Haven Youth Soccer League is pleased to extend an invitation to participate in the West Haven Invitational Tournament which will be played on October 12th and 13th, 2024. This is a sanctioned tournament held under the auspices of the Connecticut Junior Soccer Association, a member of the USYSA. The tournament is open to both boys and girls teams in the following divisions:

Age:	U-15	Born on or After January 1, 2010	Boys /Girls	Comp/Rec
	U-14	Born on or After January 1, 2011	Boys /Girls	Comp/Rec
	U-13	Born on or After January 1, 2012	Boys /Girls	Comp/Rec
	U-12	Born on or After January 1, 2013	Boys /Girls	Comp/Rec
	U-11	Born on or After January 1, 2014	Boys /Girls	Comp
	U-10	Born on or After January 1, 2015	Boys /Girls	Rec
	U-09	Born on or After January 1, 2016	Boys /Girls	Rec

All entries will close on September 30, 2023 and a notification of acceptance will be sent shortly thereafter. The entry fee for the competition teams is \$475.00. The entry fee for the recreation teams is \$425.00. A check or money order payable to "WHYSL" must accompany the enclosed application. Your entrance fee will be refunded if your team is not selected.

The main purpose of the tournament is to promote enjoyment and fair competition. All teams will play a minimum of four games.

Rosters will be limited to twenty (25) players for the U13 through U15 divisions, to sixteen (16) for all other divisions. Up to three (3) guest players will be allowed on competition teams, if they are registered with the same club.

All competition players are required to have a current, approved roster issued by his/her state soccer association. Proof of birth date will be by USYSA or approved club rosters for recreation players. All players are required to have a medical release form for registration on Saturday October 12, 2024. Teams registered with CJSA already have the medical release on file. Teams from outside Region 1, and New Jersey, shall be required to follow USYSA procedures and furnish an approved "Permission to Travel" form upon acceptance.

The first and second place teams in the competition brackets will receive awards following the completion of the finals. All recreation players will receive participation awards after their final game.

www.WHYSL.org

Food concessions and sanitary facilities are available at the fields. Additional information regarding registration, travel directions, lodging and tournament rules will be forwarded with the acceptance letter.

Please remind your parents that per a West Haven City Ordinance and, therefore, tournament rules dogs are NOT allowed at the fields.

If you are entering a team or teams, please go to our website www.WHYSL.org and click on the "WEST HAVEN INVITATIONAL TAB" then under the WHIT 2024 – REGISTRATION" HEADING:

- For Competition Team(s) click on "Competition Team Registration"
- For Recreation Team(s) click on "Recreation Team Registration"

EARLY APPLICATION IS ENCOURAGED.

For further information, you may contact us via email at WHIT@WHYSL.ORG.

Thank you,

Matt and Evelyn Retrie

Matt and Evelyn Petrie Tournament Directors

NOTE: The WHIT in support of Breast Cancer Awareness Month will donate \$25.00 from each entry fee to the Breast Cancer Awareness Program. It is our hope that this will help encourage participating teams to sponsor their own events or fundraisers, prior to the tournament. You can bring any and all proceeds in a check made out to **West Haven Breast Cancer Awareness**.

Thank you for your support, it can help work wonders.

7

www.WHYSL.org