



CHURCHVILLE
SOCCER CLUB



2019 Target United Cup is hosted by Churchville Soccer Club and sanctioned by NYSW as a combined Recreational and division three and lower Travel Soccer Tournament. The tournament is open to Girls and Boys U6-U18.

Location: Churchville Park and Sanford Road Park, Churchville NY

Entry Fee:

U6 – U8 Festival - \$125.00

U9 – U10 Festival - \$200.00

U11 – U19 Competitive - \$350.00

Deadline for tournament registration is June 17th, 2019. All entries are non-refundable once accepted.

For more information contact the tournament directors: Rachel Gagnon or Sue Lippa

Division	Ball Size	Format	Min. Players	Max Players	Length of Play	Level
U6-U8	4	4 V 4 (no goalie)	4	8	(2) 15 min halves	non-competitive
U9-U10	4	7 V 7	5	14	(2) 25 min halves	non-competitive
U11-U12	4	9 V 9	7	18	(2) 30 min halves	competitive
U13-U19	5	11 V 11	9	18	(2) 30 min halves	competitive

U6 – U10 Divisions:

Each team is guaranteed three (3) games. Each U6 through U10 player will receive a participation award. A goal kick for U9-U10 will require the opponents to retreat to their own half of field until the ball is in play. The ball is in play when it is kicked directly out of the penalty area. The attacking team does not have to wait for the opponent's defenders to retreat and has the option to restart the game before should they choose to.

U11 – U19 Divisions:

Each team is guaranteed three (3) games. Champion and Finalist awards (shirts) will be presented for each of the U11 through U19 divisions.

Registration:

Tournament registration will be held at Cottonwood Lodge in Churchville Park, June 28th 5PM – 7PM and June 29th @ 7 AM. All teams must register at least one hour prior to their first game.

1. A NYSWYSA final roster and medical release forms (if applicable) must be provided at registration.
2. Player identification and proof of age must be available for review. Recreational teams should submit a NYSW approved roster. Travel teams should provide a NYSW approved roster and player passes.
3. Teams not affiliated with NYSWSA must obtain a “permission to travel” form from their governing soccer association.
4. Guest players must present proof of age (birth certificate, player pass or passport). Please be sure to check for any last minute schedule or rules changes. All players must be registered and insured through their Associations league.
5. The final roster must not have more than the maximum number of players listed and only those players listed will be allowed to participate. Each team may have up to three guest players, to replace players who could not attend. All players must play within their designated age, premier soccer players will not be accepted as guest players.
6. No player may be double rostered. Players are permitted to “play up” up to two age groups.

All teams must be registered at least one hour before the start of their first game and no additions may be made to the roster upon the start of that game. Failure to check-in and register will result in a forfeit. Any team found with ineligible players will be disqualified from the tournament.

Game Rules:

Game Times: All warm-ups should take place off the field prior to the posted game time. Games will start as close to the posted game time as possible.

Home Teams: Teams listed first on the game schedule will be designated as the HOME team. The HOME Team will provide the game ball, subject to the referee’s approval. If both teams have similar jersey colors, the HOME team must change their jerseys. It is mandatory that the teams occupy opposite sides of the field. The HOME team has the advantage in choosing which sideline their team will occupy.

Sportsmanship: All games are expected to be played in the spirit of GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP. Coaches will be responsible for maintaining good behavior of their team players, parents and spectators. Coaches and their staff should remain on their sideline during the game

Spectators: Parents and spectators must sit on the same side of the field as their team, opposite the other team and spectators.

Forfeits or Cancellations: The minimum number of players, as listed above, is required to start a game. Failure to field the minimum number of players at the assigned field within five minutes after the scheduled game time will result in a forfeit. If a team cannot play a scheduled game they must notify the tournament director with as much advanced notice as possible. Only the referees and the tournament director or designate may cancel or postpone a game. In the event of inclement weather, coaches and players must appear on the field ready to play. If the game should be terminated in progress due to

weather conditions after at least 26 minutes of play, then the game will be considered official and the score will be posted as final. If game is suspended due to weather problems, field conditions or other situations beyond the tournament organizers control before the completion of the first half each team involved must check with the tournament headquarters for instructions. All efforts will be made to reschedule or complete the match however no refunds will be given if the tournament is cancelled due to circumstances beyond the control of tournament organizers.

Substitutions: A player may be substituted at any stoppage of play with the permission of the referee. If a player is injured and there is stoppage of play by the referee, the injured player must come off the field. That player may return to the field at the next appropriate stoppage of play with the exception of head injuries. Free (unlimited) substitution is allowed at all age groups.

Harassment of the referees will not be tolerated. This includes but is not limited to: coaches, players and spectators. Any player, coach or manager receiving a red card or ejection will be subject to a (2) game suspension (this includes the game in which they are ejected). One point deduction will also be applied for each red card occurrence. A player ordered off the field for misconduct cannot be replaced with another player and the team must play "short" for the remainder of that game. As a sanctioned tournament, all red cards must be reported to our governing body.

Round Robin (Ages U11-U18): In the event of a tie, the tournament tiebreakers rules will be applied (head to head will only be used if 2 teams are tied; if more than 2 teams are tied in the standings, head to head will not be a factor). Awards will be presented to the Champions and Finalists immediately following the conclusion of the last game in the Division. 3 team divisions will each play 4 games, home and away against the other 2 teams. Champion/Finalist will be awarded to the highest point totals. No protests will be allowed during this tournament.

Tournament standings will be determined by the following point system:

(3) Points for a win

(3) Points for a forfeit (forfeits will be scored as a win with a score of 1-0 and no extra point for a shut out will be awarded)

(1) Point for a tie

(1/2) point for a shutout, only when there is a winning team

Red cards: minus 1 point for each occurrence

Coach or Assistant Coach ejection: minus 1 point for each occurrence

Tiebreakers will be determined as follows:

a) Winner of games between the tied teams (only if 2 teams are tied)

b) Most games won

c) Goals FOR minus goals AGAINST, with a maximum difference of (4) per game, which will also be reflected on the score board

d) Least goals against

e) FIFA penalty kicks

Overtime Rules for Final Games and Semi-Final Games Only: (2) periods of five minutes each played to completion. If still tied after (2) completed periods of five minutes each, the champion will then be determined by FIFA penalty.

The tournament committee reserves the right to decide on all matters pertaining to the tournament. This includes the interpretation of the foregoing rules and regulations or any necessary changes necessary in the event of inclement weather.

Scheduling: Any scheduling or special requests MUST be submitted in writing with your team's initial application. All requests will be considered but there is no guarantee of their approval. All tournament schedules and rules will be posted on the Churchville Soccer Club website.

Inclement Weather Policy: It is solely within the discretion of the tournament committee to modify the structure and format of the tournament in the event of actual or threatened poor weather or field conditions. This discretion includes, but is not limited to, shortening or canceling of some or all games, relocating games or fields, determining teams advancing to championship matches or declaring champions in any particular division. In the event of tournament cancellation (meaning no matches are played by any team), teams will be entitled to a refund of their entry fee, less tournament expenses on a pro rata basis. Otherwise, no refunds will be given in the event weather conditions or other condition cause a team to play less than three matches.

Winning coach is responsible for reporting all scores to the scorekeeper after each game is played.