



# NEVADA PATRIOTS

## SOCCER TEAM

### Parent / Player Information Sheet

**Dear Parent and Player,**

Thank you for considering the Patriots, we appreciate your time and interest in being part of our team. Please take a moment to read through this sheet as it will answer a lot of your questions.

**Objectives:**

1. To complete a team that can be competitive in nature and that has in its ranks players that are truly dedicated to the sport of soccer.
2. To develop players above the local competitive level.

**Practices:**

- Spring practices start February 1 twice to three times per week, depending on weather. (See the online calendar for specific dates [www.nvpatriots.com](http://www.nvpatriots.com))
- Official Practices (snow, rain or shine), start February 15, 2010.
- There are 3 practices per week. 2 in the evenings during the week and one on Saturday afternoons.
- Season Runs from about mid March to about mid June.

**Where we'll play:**

- The team will participate in the GBYSL (Great Basin Youth Soccer League) out of Reno.
- League games start around March 15 and end around the first week of June.
- Games are typically once in the middle of the week around 5:30 or 6 PM and on Saturdays starting some times at 8 or 9 am and can be played up to around 3 pm. There are about 8 to 12 league games.
- Locations for games are in Sparks, South Reno, Carson City, Gardnerville and some times Truckee and South Tahoe.
- The team will play about 28 to 36 games between league, scrimmages and tournament games in the spring.
- Our spring season will end around the middle to the end of June weekend and may include a tournament in the summer.

**Tournaments:**

- The team will participate in at least three tournaments for a chance to play against teams from out of the area.
- We will attend probably two out of town tournaments and two local tournaments.

**Cost Per Player \$300 to 350 (Approx)**

- League Registration:
- Club Fees
- 3-4 Tournaments.
- Warm Ups, Uniforms and Bags are separate and only new players need to plan for this expense (\$130 +/-).

**How we pay for it all:**

Parents are required to pay for the cost of each player, however, we try to off-set the costs by actively seeking sponsors which go towards the uniform cost first and sponsorship of players with need of financial aid second. For this, parents are asked to help secure sponsors for the team if possible. We will post our sponsors on our web site.

**When will you know if your child made the team?**

We will call everyone within a week of the tryouts.

**What are we looking for?**

Players that want to take their game to the next level, are willing to listen and be better players, and that show potential. Parents are required to **NOT** coach their child, especially from the sidelines.

Other questions please call John Chavez 775 690 0949 or Quin Rescigno 775 843 1921

or go online to [www.NVPATRIOTS.com](http://www.NVPATRIOTS.com)