

FAQs

What is the cost of the program?

This will vary from team to team depending on league fees and training costs. The budget is still being finalized, but we project a registration cost of \$300 (covers both fall and spring season), and a uniform cost of around \$100. For teams that utilize a paid trainer, there will be a monthly training cost which we estimate will be between \$30 and \$50 per month during the season. In addition your team may elect to assess a team fee to cover tournament entry or training equipment. A full budget will be available at tryouts. It is possible that the rental of lighted fields will increase the cost. A deposit of \$50 plus the uniform fee is due on signing. A payment plan is available. All payments (other than monthly training fees) must be completed by November 1. This is a full year program. Fall only registrations are not permitted.

How is it decided if a team uses a paid trainer?

Teams with a coach who has obtained a D license or higher are not required to use a paid trainer. All other teams must use a trainer, unless approved by the Director of Coaching. Teams with highly licensed coaches may still elect to use a trainer.

How often do teams practice?

Teams are expected to train twice a week during the season. If your team uses a paid trainer, the trainer will conduct at least one training session a week and coordinate with your team coach on training goals for the other night.

Why is there not a team for my child's age?

LHYSA does not form select teams simply to generate revenue or claim that we have a select team at every age. The decision to establish a select team is based on an evaluation of the readiness of the players at an age group, the size of the player pool, and the resources available to coach and train a team. A player may try out for a team one year above their age, if no select team is available in their age group.

Why are there no select teams for U10 and younger players?

STYSA does not sanction select soccer until U11. Although a limited number of U10s can play on a U11 team, there is no select soccer for U10 and younger. We do offer a rec plus academy program for U9 and U10 players. Check our website for more information in April!

I have more questions. Who do I contact?

Contact our Director of Coaching, Scott Placek at training@libertyhillsoccer.org.

LHYSA Presents

Panthers Select

Soccer



Fall 2015

Tryouts - May 18-19

LHYSA Fields

U11 - U13 - 6:00 p.m.

U15 - U19 - 7:15 p.m.

A Select Soccer Option for Liberty Hill!

Players from Liberty Hill have been traveling to Georgetown, Cedar Park, Round Rock and Pflugerville for years for the opportunity to play select soccer. While LHYSA has worked hard to create a dynamic recreational program for our community, we have also looked toward the day when we could keep our best players at home as they venture into the competitive select soccer arena. As our focus on player development has grown, the number of quality players in town has also grown. With the addition of high school soccer teams, more kids are looking to stay here and play together.

The time is now! This fall we will offer select soccer at a few age groups. We will add teams as interest and skill level dictates. Just as we have focused on enhancing our recreational program, we are only offering this select program with the intention of running a professional organization that provides players a higher level of training and competition than they can receive in a recreational environment. There will be specific requirements for our coaches and for team training. We hope you'll join us and tell your friends about this opportunity.

Technical and Coaching Staff

Scott Placek, Director of Coaching, U19/U16 Boys

- NSCAA Advanced National Diploma, USSF C
- Former College Head Coach, State ODP Team Coach

Don McFerren, U16 Boys

Jason Doyen, U12 Boys

- USSF E (Pending)

Brett Lee, U13 Girls

- USSF E (Pending)

Additional staff to follow

Fall 2015 Teams

We will offer tryouts this spring with the hope of forming teams at the following levels:

Boys

Varsity (U17-U19) - This team is intended for players competing on the LHHS varsity soccer team. Varsity soccer players younger than U17 can be considered for this team. Players not attending LHHS can try out for this team.

JV (U15/U16) – This team is intended to support the LHHS program by providing a competitive team for freshmen and sophomores. It is open to players from any school.

U12 Boys – This team is for players currently competing as U11 players. A limited number of current U10 players may be selected. This team plays in the 8v8 format.

Girls

Varsity (U15-U19) – This team is intended to support the LHHS varsity girls team and is open to any high school aged player.

U13 Girls – This team will be formed from the current Nightmares recreational team and any new players who are selected at tryouts. A limited number of U12 girls may be considered.

Tryout Details

All tryouts will be at City Park. Players should bring a ball, shin guards, water and wear a white shirt.