17:45:45 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

Hello and welcome to the USYS East PCup webinar. We will get started at the top of the hour. If you have any questions, please share them in this chat. We will answer the easy ones as we progress, the longer answers will be shared at the end of the presentation.

17:46:06 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

In the meantime, here is an updated video to assist teams with uploading their player passes for the online check in: Team Online Check-In Video Instructions And here is a link to join the East WhatsApp messaging platform: https://chat.whatsapp.com/DSXuTIZKA4FGRxjwbERY7y

17:54:11 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

We are recording this presentation and will make it available on the East PCup website. If we can get it posted over the weekend we will, otherwise it will be Monday.

- 18:01:12 From Emma Whelan to Everyone: Hi there, will the recording be shared?
- 18:01:37 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: On the USYS East Region PCup page!
- 18:08:48 From Silvia Hidalgo to Everyone: How do we get a bench pass? Thanks
- 18:09:03 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Will be answered later
- 18:10:20 From QH3 to Everyone: can you send us the presentation slides once complete?
- 18:10:28 From Brett Richardson to Everyone: Does a manager who does not coach, but handles the passes need a Bench Pass?
- 18:10:42 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Will be posted on East PCup website!
- 18:10:51 From Crystal Bartlett to Everyone: Where do we pick up bench passes?
- 18:11:09 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: ANYONE on the team sideline must have the member pass and bench pass!
- 18:11:18 From Andrew Lui to Everyone: passes have to be laminated? would baseball card sleeves work?
- 18:11:31 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Bench pass pickup just answered by beth, at HQ!
- 18:11:46 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Sleeves willnot work. MUST be laminated!
- 18:11:53 From Andrew Lui to Everyone: ty
- 18:15:58 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone:

for the temporary patches for uniform sleeves, are they press-on, or do you have to iron them on?

- 18:16:12 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: They are self adhesive
- 18:16:45 From Melissa to Everyone: Are the uniform rules applicable to sponsors on the back of jersey?
- 18:17:23 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

As long as the sponsor is appropriate for youth, it's no problem. In other words, Beer or say a Hooters are not appropriate

- 18:17:53 From Steve's iPhone to Everyone: We don't have WHITE socks, only BLACK. Is that ok?
- 18:18:03 From Jill Bee to Everyone: Do we need any other paperwork on hand at the matches or just the laminated player cards?
- 18:18:09 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: You must have a light and a dark pair of socks
- 18:18:26 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Just laminated player cards at each match
- 18:18:51 From Andy Seitz to Everyone:

Regarding the requirement to cover other logos, that is only for other youth soccer orgs, and those markings deemed inappropriate?

18:19:04 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

This is a high level, regional event. The referees want to do their best, and not having 2 different colors of socks is problematic!

18:19:43 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

Any organization that competes with USYS must be covered. And of course any inappropriate sponsors

18:20:28 From Scott Lisko - LMVSC U19G to Everyone:

I think it's for your league affilitation. For example, my team competes in ECNL RL, we have their league patch on our sleeves - I was told these patches have to cover up the ECNL RL logo

18:20:34 From Jill Bee to Everyone:

We have some players playing in games on the 16th and 17th but not on the 14th and 15th... so we would just take their cards out of the ring for those days?

- 18:20:40 From Timothea McLaughlin to Everyone: so players own team logos are acceptable, correct?
- 18:20:59 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: @ Scott-correct!
- 18:21:07 From Louis's iPhone to Everyone: For the age group that plays 8am on Friday, what time can they pick up the bench pass?
- 18:21:10 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: @ Jill yes
- 18:21:33 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: @ Timothea yes

18:21:51 From Andy Seitz to Everyone:

Regarding player cards, I understand that they should be laminated, a hole punched in each, and then attached to a ring (such as a key ring). Correct?

- 18:22:05 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: 8 am games HQ should be open by 6:30AM
- 18:22:22 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: @ Andy yes, covered in Team Info Guide
- 18:22:32 From Amy Lusher to Everyone: When will the schedule be released? Sorry I joined late
- 18:22:46 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Monday, if ready over the weekend it will be
- 18:23:25 From Dan Vaitis to Everyone: Will referees have discretion to add time to games?
- 18:23:32 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: yes!
- 18:24:08 From Leigh Hittinger to Everyone: Are others still waiting on hotel links?
- 18:24:19 From Jill Bee to Everyone: Are there team benches at all of the fields or should we bring our portable bench?
- 18:24:25 From Drew to Everyone: What is the check in time for games if you have an 8am game?
- 18:24:32 From Emma Whelan to Everyone:

We were told it was a min of 9 reservations, which we understood to be 9, 5 night reservations, but sounds like 5, 5 night reservations?

- 18:24:33 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Beth will have to answer that. Hotels have been a huge headache, sadly
- 18:24:47 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Yes there are team benches
- 18:24:58 From Moms phone to Everyone: Is HBC aware that it is a 24 night minimum vs all players must reserve for 3 night minimum?
- 18:25:08 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: 8AM games HQ will be open by 6:30AM
- 18:25:12 From Zoom1 to Everyone:

For check-ins, I received an email today that says everything is due June 10. Was this changed to June 7?

- 18:25:27 From Leigh Hittinger to Everyone: same!
- 18:25:36 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Please save Hotel questions for Beth at the end.

- 18:25:57 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: June 7 may be a typo, will check with Beth
- 18:26:59 From Peter Brooks to Everyone: where do we find the code of conduct form?
- 18:27:14 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Online it Team GotSport portal
- 18:27:14 From Andrew Beverly to Everyone:

For the teams that no longer have Friday games, the email made it sound like our Thur night reservations were going to be removed by the booking company. Is that correct or do our parents need to make this change themselves?

18:27:18 From Matt Plessing to Everyone:

We are being asked constantly for the schedule which we expected today. Can we share the grid and confirm that our age groups will be playing at one of those times. or will the grid potentially change?

- 18:27:29 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Grid will not change
- 18:27:45 From Leigh Hittinger to Everyone: Replying to "We are being asked constantly for the schedule whi...": yes, same here. it is causing a ton of anxiety for the team as most of our players are still in school.
- 18:28:05 From Evon Danscak to Everyone: Replying to "We are being asked constantly for the schedule whi...": Are we required to have usys patch on as well?
- 18:28:07 From Timothea McLaughlin to Everyone: is there a place where spectators can put up tents?
- 18:28:26 From Jennifer Bastable to Everyone: Are spectators allowed to set up tents for shade or in case of rain?
- 18:28:30 From rich hung to Everyone: will the schedule grid be placed online?
- 18:28:36 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: USYS patches are optional.
- 18:28:39 From Ester Magorka to Everyone:

If we apply the state champion patches, do all players need to apply the patches? If someone doesn't have one is that a problem?

- 18:29:00 From Melissa to Everyone: So the 13UB games are all at 8am? Will that stay?
- 18:29:28 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone: the semi-permanent patches to cover up league patches will be available at Headquarters?
- 18:29:51 From Amy Rayman's iPhone to Everyone: Does that mean our team name cannot be visible?
- 18:29:54 From Amy Lusher to Everyone: Where is that info located??

- 18:30:09 From Amy Lusher to Everyone: Replying to "Where is that info located??": Meaning team commitment
- 18:30:33 From Andy Seitz to Everyone:

I tried to complete the code of conduct today. There was a box that stated "12U Team" and it required that I check that box. My team is U14 so I could not submit. Will that be fixed?

- 18:30:36 From Kwame D to Everyone: Is it one game a day for teams?
- 18:30:48 From Zoom1 to Everyone: What is the hard deadline for passes if no one is available this weekend?
- 18:30:51 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: @ Ester all players should have the patches
- 18:30:52 From Albro, Hilary Lahn to Everyone: can you cover which age groups do not have a Friday game?
- 18:31:00 From Moms phone to Everyone: But we can have tents for the teams on the sideline right?
- 18:31:04 From Timothea McLaughlin to Everyone: is the practice field only open for Thursday? any field the other days.
- 18:31:05 From Melissa to Everyone: Can you share the grid
- 18:31:10 From mfitzgerald to Everyone: Where can I find the code of conduct?
- 18:31:10 From John Zuidema to Everyone: Where is the schedule grid?
- 18:31:16 From Melissa to Everyone: What can't be visible? Can you cover that again?

18:31:17 From Andrew Beverly to Everyone:

For the teams that no longer have Friday games, the email made it sound like our Thur night reservations were going to be removed by the booking company. Is that correct or do our parents need to make this change themselves?

18:31:30 From mfitzgerald to Everyone:

Where can I find the preliminary schedule

18:31:36 From Ron Critelli to Everyone:

If teams that are within driving distance of the field and have a late match on Friday will the hotel allow just staying Friday night Saturday night and possible Sunday if our team advances to semifinal?

- 18:31:34 From Timothea McLaughlin to Everyone: what is posted today as opposed to what is coming out the 9th?
- 18:31:35 From Mk to Everyone: Schedule please

18:31:51 From Brett Richardson to Everyone:

In the Future, for schools that have this during finals week, can we get schedules much earlier? We don't know conflicts until the schedule comes out.

- 18:31:55 From Bob McCurdy to Everyone: where is the game grid
- 18:32:15 From Amy Lusher to Everyone: Where is the team commitment ?
- 18:32:19 From Bob McCurdy to Everyone: what ARP passes
- 18:32:23 From John Petts to Everyone:

I am on Got Sport now, but I don't see the code of conduct or team commitment form. Is it under the team registration.

18:32:26 From Scott Woodgate to Everyone:

If we need to add a new team official, is that permitted? Do they just need to show their USYS pass at the HQ to receive the bench pass?

18:32:31 From Timothea McLaughlin to Everyone:

For the check in..Name of Primary Team Official (Coach or Manager) what is the purpose of this as that will determine who to put there.

- 18:32:36 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Sideline tents are provided by USYS!!!
- 18:33:58 From Andy Seitz to Everyone: I'll email about that
- 18:34:13 From John Zuidema to Everyone: Is there a way for ARP parents to pull their own USYS player cards?
- 18:34:23 From Brett Richardson to Everyone: is the team conduct something every player family needs to sign
- 18:34:32 From Sasha Pechenik to Everyone: Can you talk about hotels please
- 18:34:57 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Code of Conduce covers the entire team, no need for individual forms
- 18:35:05 From Mk to Everyone: All players that participate should have the patches on their uniforms?
- 18:35:26 From Jenn Garno's iPhone (2) to Everyone: Can you please share the grid
- 18:35:27 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Patches are OPTIONAL!
- 18:35:31 From Ester Magorka to Everyone: Where is headquarters? Is that at each of the fields?
- 18:35:44 From Mk to Everyone: Replying to "Patches are OPTIONAL!":

Thank you

- 18:36:10 From Zoom1 to Everyone: Just to clarify, if you age group is listed each day, your team will play each day?
- 18:36:31 From Brett Richardson to Everyone: When will we get our actual schedule, not just the grid
- 18:37:02 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone:

for the 6/14 and 6/15 grid, does that mean those times and locations are identical for each day (Saturday and Sunday?)

18:37:10 From Allen Dai to Everyone:

Will final schedule follow that grid, e.g if U15B is 11:30. Will it be guaranteed that those games will be at that time slot?

- 18:37:26 From John Petts to Everyone: Can you scroll down to Sunday?
- 18:37:40 From Andrew Lui to Everyone: Is there a contingency plan for severe weather?
- 18:37:45 From Andrew Lui to Everyone: sorry if i missed it
- 18:38:04 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Replying to "Where is that info located??": Got Sport Team portal
- 18:38:19 From Steve's iPhone to Everyone: What are ARP passes?
- 18:38:26 From John Petts to Everyone: Replying to "Where is that info located??": I can't find it on Got Sport when I go to the team registration
- 18:38:37 From Dave Cornish to Everyone: local teams don't need hotels correct?
- 18:38:47 From Sasha Pechenik to Everyone: We have a game on Friday afternoon. Parents don't want to pay for Thu night
- 18:38:52 From John Zuidema to Everyone: David can you scroll down to Sun/Mon?
- 18:39:01 From Sasha Pechenik to Everyone: But hotel won't let us cancel
- 18:39:23 From Dan Vaitis to Everyone: Where can we find this grid ? What was the comment about U19F on Friday?
- 18:39:26 From Christin ORourke to Everyone: Just for future planning, a minimum of 3 required nights is a lot to ask, especially if your team has a late Friday game
- 18:39:47 From Jill Bee to Everyone: How many teams are in each age group?

18:39:59 From Melissa to Everyone:

For future planning, it is absurd that the same age group has to play at 8am every day

18:40:30 From Jude Zabriski to Everyone:

There is no penalty for commuting teams (PA Team) in reference to Hotel scenarios. We cleared this with our state rep, but want to confirm.

- 18:40:34 From Leigh Hittinger to Everyone: AGREE!
- 18:40:36 From Moms phone to Everyone: Yes agreed!!
- 18:40:39 From Marc Shea to Everyone: Where are the HQ office(s)? Is there one at each field location?
- 18:40:48 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone: Pay to play... that's the law of the land.
- 18:40:57 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone: all these tournaments do it...
- 18:41:00 From Jennifer Bastable to Everyone: Replying to "For future planning, it is absurd that the same ag...": Agree 100%
- 18:40:59 From Mk to Everyone: Agreed

18:41:52 From Christin ORourke to Everyone: For anyone needing hotel help I ended up working with the HBC event manager directly: Mandy Baker mandyb@hbceventservices.com

- 18:42:44 From Tom Madden to Everyone: When will the opponent schedule be released?
- 18:42:48 From Amy Lusher to Everyone: It's 8 rooms or 25 nights for the hotels
- 18:43:01 From Skip Thorp to Everyone:

If a player was added and I don't have the new roster or the new player card yet. Do you want the as much uploaded tonight as possible and update when I receive the new card and roster?

- 18:43:33 From Melissa to Everyone: If hotel minimum isn't met is there a financial penalty or is the team disgualified?
- 18:44:20 From Amy Lusher to Everyone: Financial of \$1500
- 18:44:57 From Andy Seitz to Everyone: If a finalist opts not travel to the National event. Will 3rd place be asked to travel if that is the case?
- 18:45:32 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: If finalist declines, losing semifinalists are ranked and asked in order of finish

18:45:41 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

ranked by points earned

- 18:46:31 From Dan Vaitis to Everyone: Where can we find this schedule grid?
- 18:46:43 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone: I got the grid from my state rep
- 18:47:39 From Moms phone to Everyone:

Virginia team, if it helps, there is an official letter to excuse the kids for the tournament, if it is accepted by the school.

- 18:47:44 From Crystal Bartlett to Everyone: `What address do we use on a gps for Plymouth-Whitemarsh fields?
- 18:47:44 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: State Reps have grid, has not been posted on USYS website just yet
- 18:48:28 From Andrew Lui to Everyone: last year a question of ankle tape must not contrast the sock/jersey color, is that still true?
- 18:48:58 From John Petts to Everyone: Thanks!
- 18:49:49 From Jim Cyphers to Everyone: Medical release forms needed
- 18:50:51 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Medical releases recommended, not mandatory
- 18:51:08 From Matt Plessing to Everyone:

Just confirming if we do not need to book hotel (NJ) then there is no financial obligation for this event. Not sure what the \$1500 was referencing

18:51:21 From Steve's iPhone to Everyone:

I have an injured player that is not coming, is it ok if I upload his player card with the team if he isn't coming?

- 18:51:31 From Michelle Grella to Everyone: Will that other hotel be at the same price point?
- 18:51:54 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: We would prefer that you didn't upload, but if its too much to remove then go ahead.
- 18:52:37 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone:

Remove player from your roster and do not include player card on the ring

18:53:19 From Scott Brown to Everyone:

Is there a set warm up time on game field before each game? or designated warm up areas at each complex?

- 18:54:01 From Zoom1 to Everyone: Even is we get put in a more expensive hotel?
- 18:54:11 From Leigh Hittinger to Everyone:

Beth- could you have the housing company provide the specifics around check in and check out? This is very complicated and we will need to let our parents know.

18:56:02 From Dan Vaitis to Everyone: Is u19F NOT playing on Friday?

18:56:29 From Francisco A Villarruel to Everyone: Ankle tape - the color of socks must be solid. It must be the same color of the sock.

18:56:31 From Scott Lisko - LMVSC U19G to Everyone: the lower grid currently displayed shows dates of 6/14 and 6/15 - does this mean locations and times are identical for the displayed age groups for each day?

- 18:56:47 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone: Replying to "Is u19F NOT playing on Friday?": correct, U19F aren't playing Friday.
- 19:01:31 From Lindsey to Everyone: If socks are light grey is white ankle tape permitted?
- 19:02:07 From Dan Vaitis to Everyone: Replying to "Is u19F NOT playing on Friday?": Thank you Scott. Any idea how many U19F teams total?

19:02:40 From Francisco A Villarruel to Everyone:

White tape on white socks. Not an issue. Gray socks with white tape - not acceptable. MUST be SAME color

- 19:04:45 From Zoom1 to Everyone: PA West email went out today.
- 19:06:11 From Amy Rayman's iPhone to Everyone: Thank you so much. This was really helpful.
- 19:08:29 From Steve's iPhone to Everyone: What are Bench Passes?
- 19:08:32 From John Zuidema to Everyone:

We have half of a team who are taking a flight to Germany on Tuesday at noon, their finals if they reach it would be at 11 on Tuesday. Is this the kind of thing that could result in a time chance?

- 19:09:15 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Bench Passes are the credentials issued to team officials by the event
- 19:10:41 From Steve's iPhone to Everyone: Thanks. How do we get the Bench Passes?
- 19:10:42 From Scott Woodgate to Everyone: Am I able to add additional team officials if my roster has been approved by my state?
- 19:11:22 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: Bench passes issued at HQ before your first match to team officials
- 19:11:52 From Steve's iPhone to Everyone: Thanks. So Proving Grounds will have a HQ?
- 19:12:44 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: There will be a HQ at both locations

- 19:13:17 From Steve's iPhone to Everyone: Is the HQ marked on the field map?
- 19:14:11 From Jim Cyphers to Everyone:

I see my roster uploaded with all of the green checks. Where do I upload the club passes on GotSports?

- 19:16:12 From rich hung to Everyone: I've used 3M self-sealing laminating pouches
- 19:16:33 From Crystal Bartlett to Everyone: where do I look for the green checkmarks?
- 19:16:38 From Chad's iPhone to Everyone: Beth... your email, if you haven't already shared?
- 19:16:56 From Beth to Everyone: bnoss@usyouthsoccer.org
- 19:17:00 From US Youth Soccer to Everyone: bnoss@usyouthsoccer.org
- 19:17:06 From Chad's iPhone to Everyone: Thank you
- 19:17:37 From Skip Thorp to Everyone: Thank you all for the information.
- 19:18:04 From Scott Lisko LMVSC U19G to Everyone: thank you!
- 19:18:46 From Dan Vaitis to Everyone: This has been so helpful Thank you. Good Luck to all teams.
- 19:19:08 From Dave Cornish to Everyone: Good luck everyone. Thanks Beth and rest of team!
- 19:19:19 From Skip Thorp to Everyone: Good luck and safe travels to everyone.
- 19:20:12 From Crystal Bartlett to Everyone: thank you for all of the information!
- 19:20:18 From Leigh Hittinger to Everyone: Thank you!