

TO: Boys/Girls Winter Soccer Coaches
FROM: Bri Niemi, NCS Assistant Commissioner
DATE: January 6, 2012
SUBJECT: North Coast Section Soccer - Season Progress Report

2012 NCS/LES SCHWAB TIRES WINTER SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIPS

The following information is DUE Monday, January 23, 2012:

Evaluation of officials form B: www.cifnccs.org/sports/soccer.
Team Roster submitted via website: www.cifnccs.org/sports/soccer.

STEPS TO SUBMIT ROSTER:

- Go to the soccer homepage at www.cifnccs.org/sports/soccer/
- Click on ROSTER INPUT
- Input ALL information and submit
- Check to ensure that the NCS has received your roster by going to the soccer home page (www.cifnccs.org/sports/soccer/) and clicking on "Championship Forms Verification"

The following information is DUE Saturday, February 11, 2012:

NCS/Les Schwab Tires Championship Automatic/At-large Application (ALL APPLICATIONS NEED TO BE SUBMITTED VIA THE WEB BY 10:00 PM FOR CONSIDERATION).

STEPS TO SUBMIT AUTOMATIC/AT-LARGE APPLICATION:

- Go to the soccer homepage at www.cifnccs.org/sports/soccer/
- Click on AUTOMATIC/AT-LARGE APPLICATION
- Input ALL information and submit
- Email (bnieni@cifnccs.org) or fax (925-263-2120) application to host (www.cifnccs.org/sports/soccer).
- Check to ensure that the NCS has received your forms by going to the soccer home page (www.cifnccs.org/sports/soccer/) and clicking on "Championship Forms Verification"

Sunday, February 12, 2012:

At-Large & Seeding Meeting – **COACHES DO NOT ATTEND.** The selection and seeding meeting will be conducted as a closed meeting. NCS member schools have authorized the use of one committee comprised of representatives from NCS Conferences. Each committee will be responsible for the selection of the at-large teams and seeding of each tournament. The committees have been selected and committee members are currently monitoring the soccer competition of NCS member schools. Tournament brackets will be posted on the NCS website as they are developed.

Materials for hosting:

When brackets are posted Sunday, February 12, 2012, a hosting school representative must pick-up game materials at the OLD NCS office (12925 Alcosta Blvd., Suite 8, San Ramon) between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. Game materials include the gate bag for the game you are hosting, your school's hosting packet, soccer balls for your school and the visiting school's team certificates and soccer balls (team packets are online only).

Any team not hosting in the first or quarterfinal round must print their team packet using the link on the NCS soccer homepage; OR a school may pick-up their team packet and souvenirs on Sunday, February 12, 2012 at the NCS office.

Special Reminders:

The brackets for Division I and II Boys and Girls will be up to 16 teams. All tournaments are single elimination.

The NCS/Les Schwab Tires Soccer Championship "Official Ball" is the Molten FX 1000 NFHS soccer ball.

Please note that schools may order souvenirs online (www.cifnccs.org). If you would like your school to be billed for souvenirs, be sure to have the principal sign the bottom of the souvenir form, included in your bulletin.

Good luck with the remainder of your season.