



2011-12

RPYSC Select Tryout Information

Age Group	Date	Registration	Tryouts
U11, U12	June 20 th	5:30pm – 6:00pm	6:00pm – 8:00pm
U13, U14	June 21 st	5:30pm – 6:00pm	6:00pm – 8:00pm
U9, U10 U15/16*, U17/18/19*	June 22 nd	5:30pm – 6:00pm	6:00pm – 8:00pm
Make-up date for all ages	June 29 th	5:30pm – 6:00pm	6:00pm – 8:00pm

The GVSA league allows players through U14 to play up a maximum of two age groups with the exception of U7 players who may play up one level and enter a U8 team. GVSA does not offer U7 divisions. Consider this when attending tryouts. Players may wish to try out for more than one age group depending on their ability.

* U15+ boys teams play for the spring season only and the U15+ girls teams for the fall season only. This is because the older age group players usually play on a High School team during the Fall (boys) or Spring (girls). While older girls' teams suspend play during the spring, they may wish to play again in the summer, after High School season ends, in a tournament. This is permissible per GVSA rules.

WHERE: Tryouts will be held on our home fields next to Reeths-Puffer Middle School. The RP Middle School address is 1911 W. Giles Road, Muskegon.

BRING: Come prepared as you would for a game (cleats, shin guards, water and appropriate ball), but don't wear RPYSC colors. Players under the age of 18 should be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Tryout registration forms will be available on the day to complete or fill in the form in this packet and bring it with you. A parent or guardian must sign the form and accompany all players under the age of 18 to tryouts.

EVALUATION: Be prepared to demonstrate your best at all times during the tryout session. Although your soccer skills on the field are obviously important, evaluators will also be looking for examples of good sportsmanship, ethics and communication with your fellow players, coaches and officials. We will be looking for players who are willing to listen and grow.

Players must not wear club uniforms.

A parent or guardian signature is required on the tryout registration form before a player will be allowed to participate in tryouts.

There is no cost to participate in tryouts.

Tryouts are open to all area soccer players whether or not they attend Reeths-Puffer School District.



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RPYSC Select Program Information

1. League rules have changed for 2011/12 regarding player commitment dates. We will begin making offers to players from June 22nd.
2. Tryout evaluators will score each player and offer feedback. Coaches will make final team selections based on evaluator's scores. RPYSC creates select teams based on ability, interest and coach availability. We will continue to create recreation as well as select teams. We will recommend a player continues their soccer development on a RPYSC recreation team and tryout again the following year, if evaluators determine they are not at the level of select play.
3. RPYSC select teams are registered with the Grand Valley Soccer Association (GVSA). For more information visit: www.gvsoccer.org.
4. Select teams follow GVSA game rules and bylaws.
5. Commitment to a select team is for both fall and spring seasons for all players in age groups U14 and below.
6. The RPYSC Select registration fee for 2011-12 is \$200 (\$125 U15+). This may be paid in full at the time of registration or 50% with registration and the remaining 50% before the first fall game. Pass cards will be given to players with outstanding team or uniform fees. Players with outstanding registration fees will not be allowed to play. Registration fees are non-refundable except for extenuating circumstances approved by the RPYSC board. The registration fee covers:
 - GVSA league registration fees
 - Home referee fees
 - Insurance while practicing and playing on RPYSC home fields
 - Access to RPYSC home fields for practice and home games
 - Field maintenance; nets, goals, line marking, grass maintenance
 - Licensed coaches. Costs for license classes will be reimbursed by RPYSC for coaches committing to RPYSC select teams
 - MSYSA Risk Management fees
 - **One MSYSA sanctioned tournament registration fee per year for U14 and younger age groups.**
7. Individual coaches may expect their teams to attend additional tournaments, clinics and indoor soccer sessions during the winter. Estimates for these team specific, additional, costs will be included with your invitation to play on a select team after tryouts. You will have the opportunity to review and agree to these additional costs before submitting your registration form after tryouts.
8. Uniform costs are not included in the registration fee. The standard RPYSC green jersey will be used for away games. These will cost \$25 from concessions. A white select home uniform package (jersey, shorts, socks) will be available for purchase from Just For Kicks, Muskegon. We expect total home and away, uniform cost to be under \$100 depending on the options (Eg. extra socks, shorts etc) you choose.
9. Team parents, players and coaches may optionally elect to purchase additional accessories at their cost, such as player back packs, sweat shirts etc. Just For Kicks, Muskegon, offers a wide range of accessories and can personalize them with the RPYSC logo, player number or team name.
10. Miscellaneous league fees such as lost player cards, early release and transfer requests will be an extra cost. These fees are not common and will be charged to a player on the rare occasion they are incurred.
11. For additional information please visit our RPYSC Select FAQ at: www.rpyouthsoccer.com/news/selectfaq.html



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RPYSC Select Tryout Registration

RPYSC Use Only

Player #: _____

Player Information (one player per form)

Name of Player: _____ DOB: ____ / ____ / ____ Boy: ___ Girl: ___

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____

School: _____ Grade: ____ Email: _____

Parent Information

Father's Name: _____ Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____

Email: _____

Your email address will only be used by RPYSC to send you news about upcoming events, programs and registration information. Your email will not be shared or sold outside of RPYSC.

Age Group (select one or more)

	Age Group	Born on/after	Born on/before		Age Group	Born on/after	Born on/before
<input type="checkbox"/>	U9	8-1-2002	7-31-2003	<input type="checkbox"/>	U13	8-1-1998	7-31-1999
<input type="checkbox"/>	U10	8-1-2001	7-31-2002	<input type="checkbox"/>	U14	8-1-1997	7-31-1998
<input type="checkbox"/>	U11	8-1-2000	7-31-2001	<input type="checkbox"/>	U16	8-1-1996	7-31-1997
<input type="checkbox"/>	U12	8-1-1999	7-31-2000	<input type="checkbox"/>	U18	8-1-1995	7-31-1996

No player born after July 31, 2005 may play in GVSA during the 2011/2012 season. There are no exceptions. GVSA does not have U7 Divisions, but U7 players may play on U8 teams. Players may not play down in a younger age group. Girls may play on a Boys team, with RPYSC board approval. Players through U14, except U7s, may play up two age groups, at the discretion of the coach and RPYSC board. Players U15 and older may play up in any age group through U19. U15 and U16 teams normally play together, as do U17, U18 and U19 teams.

Parent / Guardian Agreement

I, the parent/guardian of the registrant named above, a minor, grant permission for the registrant to participate in Reeths-Puffer Youth Soccer (RPYSC) tryouts and I will abide by the rules of the USYSA, MSYSA, GVSA and RPYSC. I understand the risks of personal injury associated with soccer and agree that RPYSC, and the affiliates named above (including all officers, coaches, assistants, employees and volunteers) shall be "held harmless" and not responsible for any injuries which occur on or off the field during tryouts or subsequent team activities (the RPYSC Select program). I hereby authorize RPYSC to provide emergency medical treatment for my son or daughter named above, should an injury occur during tryouts or subsequent team activities. I understand that a commitment to the RPYSC Select program is for the fall 2011 and spring 2012 season. Registration fees are non-refundable.

Parent / Guardian (Print): _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____