

Teams	U5 Co-Ed
Team #	Name

SCHEDULE (see specific game/field schedule at end of document**)**

Tuesdays: 5:30pm-6:30pm BOYD BLUE AT
 Saturdays: 9:00am-10:00am BOYD BLUE AT

Field Map showing location of Boyd Blue Mini-Fields A, B

Boyd AT Layout					
		Golf Course			
		Green Bin			
Francis	Yellow	A	B	C	D
		A	B	C	D
	White	Red		Red	
No. 1 Rd.					

GAME DAYS:

- **Players should on the field ready to go 5 MINUTES BEFORE START TIME. TIMING WILL START AS POSTED. PARENTS SHOULD NOT BE ARRIVING IN THE PARKING LOT AT THE START TIME.**
- There will be 4 mini-fields set-up for you on game days. Meet your entire team at your assigned mini-field (Field A, B on Boyd Blue) per schedule below. Blue A will be divided into two fields and Blue B will be divided into 2 fields. It does not matter which half of assigned field you meet your team on.
- Bags of balls will be out for you to use at your field
- Starting at 9:00am or 5:30pm, you will have an eight (8) minute warm-up and then you will play two (2) 20 minute games. See the horn blowing schedule below
- For games - Divide the team in two and have a home and away (travel) team. Mix your teams up each week. **You will need two parents** – one to take the home team and one to take the away team. Parent coaches stay on the field with the players. Please ask parents on sidelines to help run substitutions, so all players play equally.
- Home team stays on one half of field grid and travel team goes to the other half of field grid. Play game and then switch and play other half of your opponents' team.
- Games are **3 v 3 (no goalie)**. Substitutions on the fly.
- Field set-up and horn blowing is provided by the League. There will be a Richmond FC staff coach on the field overseeing all game sessions.

****See page 2 for Game Rules, Game Coaching and Horn Blowing Schedule**

****See page 3 Game/Field Schedule**

GAME RULES

- HAVE FUN!!! This is NOT the FIFA World Cup.
- No goalies.
- Kickoff – all players in own half, opponents retreat 5 metres (at start of game and after goal)
- Ball out of bounds on end lines/sidelines – coach to roll a ball back in play (no throw-ins, corner kicks or goal kicks)
- Fouls – indirect free kick to other team for tripping, punching, kicking, tackling from behind, handball (obvious).
- Free kicks – all indirect. Opponents retreat 5 metres. Player can dribble or pass ball to re-start game. No penalty kicks.
- Referees – none provided, coaches act as on-field facilitators
- End of game – 3 cheers and team line “good game” High 5’s. Cold and flu season we recommend “high elbows” (instead of high-fives)

GAME COACHING

- ❖ **POSITIVE** – Be positive at all times, give encouragement to all players including the opposition
- ❖ **LET THEM PLAY** – Don’t over coach the game let the kids play
- ❖ **DRIBBLE** – Encourage players to get control of the ball and dribble
- ❖ **KEEP BALL ON THE GROUND** – Encourage players pass the ball on the ground over short distances, discourage players from just kicking the ball down the field
- ❖ **DON’T WORRY ABOUT THE SCORE** – The score does not matter if one team is dominating the game maybe switch players around to balance out the teams, never condition the game to stop a child or team from scoring
- ❖ **HAVE FUN** – Keep it fun and enjoyable at all times, be enthusiastic, energetic and positive.

U5 Horn Blowing Schedule

Saturday/Tuesday

9:00am/5:30pm – BEGIN 8 MINUTE WARM-UP ON TEAM’S ASSIGNED FIELD (see schedule and field map – page 3)

9:08am/5:38pm - horn will blow **3 TIMES** to end warm-up, coaches divide team in two and travel team moves clockwise.

9:10am/5:40pm - horn will blow **2 TIMES** to signal the start of Game 1

9:30am/6:00pm – horn will blow **1 TIME** to signal the end of Game 1. Shake hands and travel across field to play 2nd team.

9:35am/6:05pm - horn will blow **2 TIMES** to signal the start of Game 2.

9:55am/6:25pm - horn will blow **1 TIME** to signal end of Game 2. Shake hands & move off field for snacks.

****If you plan on having post-games snacks, please move off the turf field and into the bleachers or outside the fence. Food and beverages (except water) are not permitted on the turf field.**



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Date	Time	Home Team	Away Team	Field
Tue 4/17/2018	5:30 PM	Knights - Purple	Fireballs - Orange	Blue A
Tue 4/17/2018	5:30 PM	Dragons - Green	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue B
Sat 4/21/2018	9:00 AM	Kings - Royal Blue	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Sat 4/21/2018	9:00 AM	Fireballs - Orange	Dragons - Green	Blue B
Tue 4/24/2018	5:30 PM	Knights - Purple	Dragons - Green	Blue A
Tue 4/24/2018	5:30 PM	Fireballs - Orange	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue B
Sat 4/28/2018	9:00 AM	Fireballs - Orange	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Sat 4/28/2018	9:00 AM	Kings - Royal Blue	Dragons - Green	Blue B
Tue 5/1/2018	5:30 PM	Knights - Purple	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue A
Tue 5/1/2018	5:30 PM	Dragons - Green	Fireballs - Orange	Blue B
Sat 5/5/2018	NO SOCCER - ALL FIELDS BOOKED FOR FLAG FOOTBALL EVENT			
Tue 5/8/2018	5:30 PM	Dragons - Green	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Tue 5/8/2018	5:30 PM	Kings - Royal Blue	Fireballs - Orange	Blue B
Sat 5/12/2018	9:00 AM	Knights - Purple	Fireballs - Orange	Blue A
Sat 5/12/2018	9:00 AM	Dragons - Green	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue B
Sat 5/12/2018	PHOTO DAY - SCHEDULE IS TO BE POSTED			
Tue 5/15/2018	5:30 PM	Kings - Royal Blue	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Tue 5/15/2018	5:30 PM	Fireballs - Orange	Dragons - Green	Blue B
Sat 5/19/2018	NO SOCCER - VICTORIA DAY LONG WEEKEND			
Tue 5/22/2018	5:30 PM	Knights - Purple	Dragons - Green	Blue A
Tue 5/22/2018	5:30 PM	Fireballs - Orange	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue B
Sat 5/26/2018	9:00 AM	Fireballs - Orange	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Sat 5/26/2018	9:00 AM	Kings - Royal Blue	Dragons - Green	Blue B
Tue 5/29/2018	5:30 PM	Knights - Purple	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue A
Tue 5/29/2018	5:30 PM	Dragons - Green	Fireballs - Orange	Blue B
Sat 6/2/2018	9:00 AM	Dragons - Green	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Sat 6/2/2018	9:00 AM	Kings - Royal Blue	Fireballs - Orange	Blue B
Tue 6/5/2018	5:30 PM	Knights - Purple	Fireballs - Orange	Blue A
Tue 6/5/2018	5:30 PM	Dragons - Green	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue B
Sat 6/9/2018	9:00 AM	Kings - Royal Blue	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Sat 6/9/2018	9:00 AM	Fireballs - Orange	Dragons - Green	Blue B
Tue 6/12/2018	5:30 PM	Knights - Purple	Dragons - Green	Blue A
Tue 6/12/2018	5:30 PM	Fireballs - Orange	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue B
Sat 6/16/2018	9:00 AM	Knights - Purple	Fireballs - Orange	Blue A
Sat 6/16/2018	9:00 AM	Dragons - Green	Kings - Royal Blue	Blue B
Tue 6/19/2018	5:30 PM	Kings - Royal Blue	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Tue 6/19/2018	5:30 PM	Fireballs - Orange	Dragons - Green	Blue B
Sat 6/23/2018	9:00 AM	Dragons - Green	Knights - Purple	Blue A
Sat 6/23/2018	9:00 AM	Kings - Royal Blue	Fireballs - Orange	Blue B