

Teams	U7 Boys
Team #	Name
1	Fireballs
2	Thunderbolts
3	Daredevils
4	Hurricanes
5	Rockets
6	Hornets

SCHEDULE (**see specific game schedule at END of document**)

Tuesdays: 6:30pm-7:30pm BOYD BLUE AT
 Saturdays: 11:00am-12:00pm BOYD BLUE AT

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

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

GAME DAYS:

- There will be 6 mini-fields set-up for you on game days. Meet your entire team at your assigned mini-field (**Field A, B, C on Boyd Blue**) per schedule below.
- Bags of balls will be out for you to use at your field
- Starting at 11:00am or 6:30pm, 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
- 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 and have another parent on sideline run the substitutions.
- 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 **4 v 4 (no goalie)**. Substitutions on the fly.
- Field set-up and horn blowing is provided by the League. There will be at least 2 Richmond FC staff coaches on-site each session.

****See page 2 for Game Rules and Game Coaching**

****See page 2 for Horn Blowing Schedule**

****See page 3 for Game Schedule**

GAME RULES

- Have fun!!! This is NOT the 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.

Horn Blowing Schedule**Saturday/Tuesday****11:00am/6:30pm – BEGIN 8 MINUTE WARM-UP****11:08am/6:38pm** - horn will blow **3 TIMES** and travel teams move across grid to play opponent's home teams**11:10am/6:40pm** - horn will blow **2 TIMES** to signal the start of Game 1**11:30am/7:00pm** - horn will blow **1 TIME** to signal the end of Game 1. Shake hands and switch opponents**11:35am/7:05pm** - horn will blow **2 TIMES** to signal the start of Game 2**11:55am/7:25pm** – horn will blow **1 TIME** to signal the end of game 2. Shake hands and move off field.

****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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GAME AND FIELD SCHEDULE

Date	Time	Home Team	Away Team	Field
Sat 4/14/2018	11:00 AM	ALL TEAMS (Skill Stations)		BOYD BLUE
Tue 4/17/2018	6:30 PM	Rockets - PURPLE	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue A
Tue 4/17/2018	6:30 PM	Hornets - NAVY	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue B
Tue 4/17/2018	6:30 PM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue C
Sat 4/21/2018	11:00 AM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue A
Sat 4/21/2018	11:00 AM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue B
Sat 4/21/2018	11:00 AM	Hornets - NAVY	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue C
Tue 4/24/2018	6:30 PM	Rockets - PURPLE	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue A
Tue 4/24/2018	6:30 PM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue B
Tue 4/24/2018	6:30 PM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue C
Sat 4/28/2018	11:00 AM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue A
Sat 4/28/2018	11:00 AM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue B
Sat 4/28/2018	11:00 AM	Hornets - NAVY	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue C
Tue 5/1/2018	6:30 PM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue A
Tue 5/1/2018	6:30 PM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue B
Tue 5/1/2018	6:30 PM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue C
Sat 5/5/2018	NO SOCCER	All fields booked for flag	football tournament	
Tue 5/8/2018	6:30 PM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue A
Tue 5/8/2018	6:30 PM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue B
Tue 5/8/2018	6:30 PM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue C
Sat 5/12/2018	11:00 AM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue A
Sat 5/12/2018	11:00 AM	Rockets - PURPLE	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue B
Sat 5/12/2018	11:00 AM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue C
Sat 5/12/2018	PHOTO DAY	Schedule to be posted		
Tue 5/15/2018	6:30 PM	Hornets - NAVY	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue A
Tue 5/15/2018	6:30 PM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue B
Tue 5/15/2018	6:30 PM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue C
Sat 5/19/2018	NO SOCCER	Victoria Day Long W/E		
Tue 5/22/2018	6:30 PM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue A
Tue 5/22/2018	6:30 PM	Rockets - PURPLE	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue B
Tue 5/22/2018	6:30 PM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue C
Sat 5/26/2018	11:00 AM	Rockets - PURPLE	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue A
Sat 5/26/2018	11:00 AM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue B
Sat 5/26/2018	11:00 AM	Hornets - NAVY	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue C
Tue 5/29/2018	6:30 PM	Rockets - PURPLE	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue A
Tue 5/29/2018	6:30 PM	Hornets - NAVY	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue B
Tue 5/29/2018	6:30 PM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue C
Sat 6/2/2018	11:00 AM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue A
Sat 6/2/2018	11:00 AM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue B
Sat 6/2/2018	11:00 AM	Hornets - NAVY	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue C

Tue 6/5/2018	6:30 PM	Rockets - PURPLE	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue A
Tue 6/5/2018	6:30 PM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue B
Tue 6/5/2018	6:30 PM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue C
Sat 6/9/2018	11:00 AM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue A
Sat 6/9/2018	11:00 AM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue B
Sat 6/9/2018	11:00 AM	Hornets - NAVY	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue C
Tue 6/12/2018	6:30 PM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue A
Tue 6/12/2018	6:30 PM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue B
Tue 6/12/2018	6:30 PM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue C
Sat 6/16/2018	11:00 AM	Hurricanes - GREEN	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue A
Sat 6/16/2018	11:00 AM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue B
Sat 6/16/2018	11:00 AM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Fireballs - YELLOW	Boyd Blue C
Tue 6/19/2018	6:30 PM	Daredevils - ORANGE	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue A
Tue 6/19/2018	6:30 PM	Rockets - PURPLE	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Boyd Blue B
Tue 6/19/2018	6:30 PM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Hornets - NAVY	Boyd Blue C
Sat 6/23/2018	11:00 AM	Hornets - NAVY	Rockets - PURPLE	Boyd Blue A
Sat 6/23/2018	11:00 AM	Fireballs - YELLOW	Daredevils - ORANGE	Boyd Blue B
Sat 6/23/2018	11:00 AM	Thunderbolts - ROYAL BLUE	Hurricanes - GREEN	Boyd Blue C