ABINGTON YOUTH SOCCER

Financial: Refunds & Financial Hardship

REFUNDS

Requests for refunds must be made via email to the AYS Treasurer at <u>aystreasurer@yahoo.com</u>. The Treasurer will immediately alert the Registrar of refund requests. Please allow up to 2 weeks processing time.

- > A full refund, including any late fees, will be issued to players not placed due to space limitations.
- If a refund request is received after the season starts, a refund, including any late fees, will be issued less any fees AYS might have already incurred on behalf of the player.
- If a player is injured and/or physically unable to play soccer before the start of a season, a full refund, including any late fees.

FINANCIAL HARDSHIP

AYS provides assistance for families in need and ask that you complete the Financial Hardship Application **PRIOR** to the season start. Applications can be completed online at <u>www.abingtonsoccer.com</u>. The program should be advertised WITH the public advertisement of registration in order to ensure an efficient registration process.

AYS is run 100% by volunteer effort. The requirement for accepting a scholarship is at least (1) parent is required to VOLUNTEER during the soccer season a minimum of (4) hours. This may be as a coach, concessions, fundraising, field maintenance, etc. Failure to volunteer may result in forfeiture of this assistance.

How does this work?

Please complete the Financial Hardship Application on www.abingtonsoccer.com. All applications are handled with complete confidentiality and handled by the AYS Treasurer. The parent simply fills out the online Financial Hardship Application and a description of the families' particular financial needs.

We cannot guarantee that we can grant all requests in full and may not be able to grant some at all. Our hope however, is that each request be met. Please note we do not offer assistance for specialty clinic sessions in order to keep our registration fees as low as possible for these special activities.

***You must submit your application TWO WEEKS PRIOR to season start or application will be deemed invalid. ***

Once the Treasurer has decided who to grant money to and how much, the parent will be notified of the amount they will be given and how to register via email. Please allow up to 2 weeks processing time.