



Pool Roster Policy

In an effort to offer more flexibility to clubs for registration of players and to facilitate more fluid movement between teams based on the needs and abilities of the player, WYSA has approved "pool registration" for the U12 and under age groups beginning in fall 2013. (Pool registration is optional, at the discretion of the WYSA district or competition for the 2013/2014 program year.)

How this works:

1. "Pool" is a division in LeagueOne. Players are registered to the pool division in a specific age group. For example, all U9 players are registered to the division "pool" and age group "U9B".
2. Clubs will create pool teams in accordance with the guidelines below.
3. From the pool roster, clubs will have the ability to create event rosters to use for specific competitions. Event rosters are valid for the designated time period (i.e. one day or one weekend). Event rosters have the same team approval rules as the current U10 and under recreational divisions. This includes coach requirements, minimum and maximum players per roster, and age eligibility.
4. Player passes can be issued from the pool roster, but not the event team. Player passes are not required for U10 and under age groups unless mandated by the competition.
5. Rather than registering players to teams, clubs will determine the number of groups they will have competing in a particular league based on the size of their pool. Groups will be scheduled into the league as teams, but players are not restricted to a particular roster for the duration of the season. Clubs will manage player groupings and are responsible to maintain best practice standards for their players.

Basic guidelines of pool registration:

1. Pool roster sizes are unlimited.
2. Pools should have one coach for every twelve players, each with a valid WYSA coach pass card.
3. Pools need to be approved before event rosters can be formed.
4. A maximum of one game per day is recommended. Players should not play more than two full matches in a day; three in two day span.
5. There must be a coach with a current WYSA coach pass at each game.