





Event	Date	Location
Bracket Draw	January 24, 2024	
Roster Freeze	February 14, 2024 at 5pm	
Group Play Self-Schedule Match	February 24, 2024 (Last day to play: February 28)	Home Team's Venue*
Group Play Neutral Venue Weekend	March 2-3, 2024	Tournament Sportsplex of Tampa Bay & Plant City
Rain Date	March 9-10, 2024	TBD
Elimination Round (Round of 16 & Round of 8)	March 16-17, 2024	Lake Myrtle Sports Complex
Rain Date	March 23-24, 2024	TBD
Finals	April 20-21, 2024	Lake Myrtle Sports Complex

Play Dates
&
Roster Freeze



Competition Format and Advancement - Boys



	Group Play February 24 & March 2-3		Elimination Round March 16-17		Finals April 20-21	
Age Group	Brackets	Advancement	Playoffs	Advancement	Playoffs	Advancement
13U Boys	3 brackets of 4 teams	8 advance (Top 2 from each bracket + 2 WCs)	Round of 8 on Sunday	Single Elimination	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
14U Boys	8 brackets of 4 teams	16 advance (Top 2 from each bracket)	Round of 16 on Saturday & Round of 8 on Sunday	Single Elimination	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
15U Boys	7 brackets of 4 teams	16 advance (Top 2 from each bracket + 2 WCs)	Round of 16 on Saturday & Round of 8 on Sunday	Single Elimination	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
16U Boys	6 brackets of 4 teams & 1 combined bracket of 6 teams	16 advance (Top 2 from each bracket + 2 WCs)	Round of 16 on Saturday & Round of 8 on Sunday	Single Elimination	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
17U Boys	8 brackets of 4 teams	16 advance (Top 2 from each bracket)	Round of 16 on Saturday & Round of 8 on Sunday	Single Elimination	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
18U Boys	1 bracket of 4 teams & 1 combined bracket of 6 teams	4 advance to Semi-Finals (Top 2 from each bracket)	-	-	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
19U Boys	6 brackets of 4 teams	16 advance (Top 2 from each bracket + 4 WCs)	Round of 16 on Saturday & Round of 8 on Sunday	Single Elimination	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination



Competition Format and Advancement - Girls



	Group Play February 24 & March 2-3		Elimination Round March 16-17		Finals April 20-21	
Age Group	Brackets	Advancement	Playoffs	Advancement	Playoffs	Advancement
13U Girls	1 bracket of 4 teams	2 advance to Final (Overall Top 2)	-	-	Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
14U Girls	1 bracket of 4 teams & 1 bracket of 3 teams	4 advance to Semi-Finals (Top 2 from the bracket)	-	-	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
15U Girls	1 bracket of 4 teams & 1 combined bracket of 6 teams	4 advance to Semi-Finals (Top 2 from each bracket)	-	-	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
16U Girls	1 combined bracket of 6 teams	4 advance to Semi-Finals (Overall Top 4)	-	-	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
17U Girls	3 brackets of 4 teams	8 advance (Top 2 from each bracket + 2 WCs)	Round of 8 on Sunday	Single Elimination	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
18U Girls	1 bracket of 4 teams	2 advance to Final (Overall Top 2)	-	-	Final on Sunday	Single Elimination
19U Girls	1 bracket of 4 teams & 1 combined bracket of 6 teams	4 advance to Semi-Finals (Top 2 from each bracket)	-	-	Semi-Final on Saturday & Final on Sunday	Single Elimination

Presidents Cup Scheduling

- February 24 (Self-Schedule Match)
 - 1st match of the Group Play Round
 - Both teams need to agree on kickoff and check uniform colors in the GotSport Chat
 - Home Team schedules match on GotSport ([Click Here for Instructions](#))
 - **Home Team is responsible for assigning referees through a certified Referee Assignor (FYSA will not assign referees)**
 - Date can be changed with both teams' agreement, but must be played by February 28 using reschedule request link below:
 - <https://system.gotsport.com/forms/3396367T3>
- March 2-3 (at Tampa/Plant City)
 - 2nd & 3rd match of the Group Play Round
 - Reschedules not allowed

DATE	LOCATION	LINK
GROUP PLAY: March 2-3, 2024	Tournament Sportsplex of Tampa Bay <i>(9330 E Columbus Dr, Tampa, FL 33619)</i> Ellis-Methvin Park <i>(2601 E Cherry St, Plant City, FL 33563)</i>	HOTELS
ELIMINATION ROUND: March 16-17, 2024	Lake Myrtle Sports Park <i>(2701 Lake Myrtle Park Rd, Auburndale, FL 33823)</i>	HOTELS
FINALS: April 20-21, 2024	Lake Myrtle Sports Park <i>(2701 Lake Myrtle Park Rd, Auburndale, FL 33823)</i>	HOTELS

Event Hotels

- FYSA is working closely with the Tournament Housing Services (THS) to provide hotel rooming options at the best rates possible during all FYSA hosted event weekends.

Roster Procedures and Requirements

Roster Requirements:

- Maximum Roster Size: 22
- Minimum Roster Size: 11
- Only Primary and CP (Club Pass) players allowed
- At least 9 Primary Players
- Up to 13 CP Players Allowed
- No guest/secondary players allowed – **Players that are registered with a different club**
- Players can only be on 1 roster in Presidents Cup (cannot appear on 2 different rosters)
- Players cannot be simultaneously rostered in a Commissioner's Cup/Presidents Cup/State Cup team still active in the competition
- Presidents Cup Roster Freeze:
 - **February 14, 2024, at 5pm**

Roster Procedures:

- Your Presidents Cup Roster will be built in the **2023-2024 FYSA Registration Event on GotSport**, which will be cloned to the Presidents Cup event at Roster Freeze.
 - [Click here for instructions on building your Presidents Cup roster in the FYSA Registration Event](#)
- Ensure that your team and all its players are properly registered in the FYSA Registration Event
 - [Click here for instructions on creating your FYSA Registration Event](#)

Team Responsibilities – Online Check-in

- All Teams will need to complete the Online Check-In by **Friday, February 16**
- The Online Check-In involves:
 - Uploading Team Roster
 - Checking the box confirming you have verified your State Cup roster
 - Uploading Coach/Player Passes
- [Click Here for Online Check-In Instructions](#)

The image displays two screenshots of a web application interface for team registration. The top screenshot shows the 'Registration Form Answers' section with instructions: 'Please upload your Presidents Cup Roster (pulled from the FYSA Registration Event) below:', 'I have checked the Presidents Cup roster uploaded above and verified that it is accurate.', and 'Please upload your FYSA Player and Coach Passes below:'. An 'Edit' button is visible. The bottom screenshot shows the same form with file upload buttons ('Choose File') and a confirmation checkbox ('I have checked the Presidents Cup roster uploaded above and verified that it is accurate.'). At the bottom, there are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Uniforms

- Teams will be required to communicate uniform colors with each opponent within the GotSport Chat no later than 48 hours before each match.
- Home Team Wears Light Colors **(Jersey and Socks)**
- Away Team Wears Dark Colors **(Jersey and Socks)**
- In the event of a color conflict, the team causing the conflict will need to change (Both teams should always bring both Jerseys and Socks sets)



Team Responsibilities – Pre-Game Procedures

- **Team Check-In:**

- On March 2-3, a representative from each team will check-in at HQ before your first game to collect player gifts
- Teams will check-in at the fields with the referees before every game
- Make sure to arrive at least 1 hour prior to your game at your field
- Each team will pay half of the referee fee in cash before the game (Please see the referee fee on the next column).
- Each team will need to bring the following items:
 - At least one size 5 game ball
 - Player/Coach Passes (laminated and cut)
 - Game Report (self-schedule match only)

- **Referee Fees:**

Referee Fees Per Age Group				
AGE GROUP	REFEREE	ASST REF	TOTAL PER TEAM	Required currency
13U & 14U	\$60.00	\$40.00	\$70.00	20/20/20/5/5
15U & 16U	\$70.00	\$40.00	\$75.00	20/20/20/10/5
17U, 18U, & 19U	\$80.00	\$45.00	\$85.00	20/20/20/10/10/5

Referee Game Day Instructions (Self-Schedule Match)

Pre-Game Information and Procedures:

- Game Reports:
 - Teams will provide the Game Report (referee chooses one copy as the official).
 - No players can be written in on the game report at all. Must use what is on the game report as that is the frozen roster.
 - Each team must declare their game day active 18 - cross out the players who are not part of that or not in attendance.
 - All player/coach passes must be verified by the referee. If there is no pass, there is no play!
 - Check each player's jersey number and adjust it on the game report if needed.
- Substitutions:
 - For all age groups, unlimited substitutions shall be allowed.
 - Substitute may not enter the field of play until the player he/she is replacing has left the field, and after being signaled onto the field by the referee. Substitutions will be allowed at any stoppage by either team, with the referee's permission.
- [Click here to download pdf version](#)

• Game Times:

Age Group	Game Length	Size
17-19U	2x45	5
15-16U	2x40	5
13-14U	2x35	5

• Referee Fees:

Age Group	Center Ref	Asst Ref	Total Per Team
17-19U	\$80	\$45	\$85
15-16U	\$70	\$40	\$75
13-14U	\$60	\$40	\$70

Post-Game Procedure:

- Game Report must have all red/yellow cards entered in and include any supplemental reports for red cards. If there are any red cards, submit Game Report and Supplemental Report through the Game/Supplemental Report form: <https://system.gotsport.com/forms/140218Z64>
- Both teams sign the Game Report; all 3 referees must print their names on the Game Report.
- Allow both teams to take a picture of the Game Report, then give it to the Home Team.

Team Responsibilities – Post-Game Procedures

- Once the game is completed, both teams need to sign the Game Report and take a picture of it.

For Self-Schedule games:

- The team listed as the HOME TEAM is responsible for:
 - Entering the final-score on GotSport
 - Enter any Red Cards
 - Taking a picture of the Game Report and upload it on GotSport (make sure final score and referees' names are included)
 - If the final-score and/or Game Report is not uploaded within 2 business days, the Home Team will be charged a fine of \$50.00.

For FYSA Neutral Venue Weekend Games (March 2-3):

- FYSA will collect all Game Reports and update scores and red cards

At the conclusion of the match, please make sure that the bench area is cleaned and that all trash is disposed of in a proper manner.

Technical Staff & Spectator Behavior

- Technical Staff who cause issues will be carded/Ejected from matches
- Match officials will provide warnings and that is it; FYSA staff will not intervene or provide warnings
- Spectators
 - Spector disruption will result in fines for the club
 - FYSA staff will contact a team's manager to warn/control their spectators or sideline
 - If disruption continues, security will remove any individuals deemed to be continuous causing disruption
 - FYSA staff will not intervene in any spectator disputes; Complaints about referee decisions or judgement calls will not be entertained
 - No parents or spectators should enter the field or player sidelines at any point in time

Southern & National Presidents Cup



- **Location:** Wichita, KS
- **Dates:** July 12-16, 2024

- **Location:** Plano, TX
- **Dates:** June 14-18, 2024



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