# AFC United Soccer 2024/25 Spring 2025 Season Framework



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### All of our teams are coed, and span multiple birth years.

Please note that we anticipate practicing and playing on a new home field in Spring 2025. Updates will be passed along when available.

Initial age groupings are shown below. <u>Team age groupings and team assignments may be adjusted</u> to make it possible for every player to have a team.

	<b>Birth years</b>	<b>Roster size</b>	Registration	Uniform*	Practice		Games		
4U/6U	2019-21	N/A	\$80	Included	4/5 - 6/7	Sat AM	N/A		
8U	2017-18	6-8 per team	\$125	Included	3/17 – 6/5	Mon/Wed PM	4v4	7-8 games, 4/6 - 6/8	Sun PM
10U	2015-16	12	\$140	\$70	3/10 – 5/28	Mon/Wed PM	7v7	6 games, 3/29 - 6/1	Sat AM/Sun PM**
12U	2013-14	16	\$145	\$105	3/10 - 5/28	Mon/Wed PM	9v9	6 games, 3/29 - 6/1	Sat AM/Sun PM**
14U	2011-12	18-22	\$150/\$170	\$125	3/11 - 5/29	Tue/Thu PM	11v11	6 games, 3/29 - 6/1	Sat AM/Sun PM**
16U	2009-10	18-22	\$185	\$125	3/11 - 5/29	Tue/Thu PM	11v11	6 games, 3/29 - 6/1	Sat PM/Sun PM**
19U	2006-08	18-22	\$200	\$125	3/11 – 6/6	Tue/Thu PM	11v11	~8 games, 3/29 - 6/8	Sat PM/Sun PM**

## Coaches needed - for all of our age groups! We're a volunteer program!

Every team needs to have two or more parents who are willing to step forward and serve as our team's coaches.

\*Uniform is purchased once, and stays with your child until he/she outgrows it. Most kids will be able to wear a uniform set for 2 years.

- 8U (4v4) Gold dri-fit shirt
- 10U (7v7) Gold gameday shirt, shorts, and socks; player may choose uniform number
- 12U (9v9) Gold and black gameday shirts, shorts, and socks; player may choose uniform number
- 14U/16U/19U (11v11) Gold and black gameday shirts, gray practice shirt, shorts, and socks; player may choose uniform number

### Practice.

- 8U and older kids practice two nights per week. Accommodations will be made where possible (e.g., weeknight church programs, multiple siblings playing on different teams, etc.).
- Practice times are normally:
  - o 6:00 7:00 PM (8U)
  - $\circ~~6:00$  PM 7:30 PM (9U and older)'

## \*\*Gameday.

- <u>4U/6U</u> have a weekly skills session on Saturday mornings (8:30 AM 9:30 AM) at our home field. No games.
- <u>8U</u> play a weekly 4v4 game at a neighboring club's field. Spring season games are normally Sunday afternoons between 1 PM and 5 PM.
- <u>10U-16U</u> teams play a 6-game season in the Reading-Berks Junior Soccer League, plus possible end-of-season friendlies. We request Saturday games, but be prepared for the possibility of Sunday afternoon games for these teams.
- <u>19U</u> teams play an 8-game season in the Reading-Berks Junior Soccer League. We request Saturday afternoon games, but be prepared for the possibility of Sunday afternoon games for these teams.

Blackout dates. Our teams normally do not play on Easter weekend or Memorial Day weekend.