



SOUTH TEXAS YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION PROPOSED RULE CHANGE - # 12

SECTION I: ADD OR CHANGE A RULE

Is there currently a rule that applies? Yes No

Rule Location: Registration Rules & Procedures
Title of Section: Player/Coach Registration - Definitions

PASSED

Rule as it presently reads:

3.1.11. **RECREATIONAL ACADEMY** is a club organized program that uses defined curriculum and qualified staff to teach individual skills to Division IV Under-10 and/or Under-9 youth players in a team training format that is in an age appropriate learning environment.

Proposed Additions and/or Changes:

3.1.11. **RECREATIONAL ACADEMY** is a club organized program that uses defined curriculum and qualified staff to teach individual skills to Division IV Under-10 and/or Under-9 youth **teams comprised of Under-10, Under-9 and Under-8** players in a team training format that is in an age appropriate learning environment.

SECTION II - JUSTIFICATION FOR THE PROPOSED RULE CHANGE:

At the last meeting changes were made to Rule 3.5 defining the Recreational Academy Program to allow Under-8 players on the Under-9 and Under-10 teams participating in an Academy program. This is a housekeeping change to the program definition to clarify that Under-8 players may participate on teams in such a program.

Submitted by: Shirley McGraw, STYSA Registrar

Rules Committee Recommendation: Recommends passage as amended:

3.1.11. **RECREATIONAL ACADEMY** is a club organized program that uses defined curriculum and qualified staff to teach individual skills to Division IV Under-10, ~~and/or~~ Under-9 **and/or Under-8** youth players in a team training format that is in an age appropriate learning environment.

Executive Committee Recommendation: Recommends passage as amended:

3.1.12. **RECREATIONAL ACADEMY** is a club organized program that uses defined curriculum and qualified staff to teach individual skills to Division IV Under-10 and/or Under-9 youth **teams. Recreational Academy Under-10 and Under-9 teams will be comprised of Under-10, Under-9 and Under-8** players in a team training format that is in an age appropriate learning environment.