



Nampa KIDS News!



KIDS Cup Events - May 17th **Don't Miss a Thing ~ Food, Fun, Friends!**

20+ Vendors with FREE kid-friendly activities
9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Hourly raffle drawings - each player receives one ticket.
Additional tickets may be purchased at ticket booths.

Silent Auction 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Astro Jumps & Giant Slide
Tickets available at ticket booth

Coaches Dunk Tank Challenge

Bergie's Treats ~ Pizza Factory ~ La Parrilla Juarez

KIDS Cup - Game Length

Kid's Cup game length changes - The lengths of the games during Kid's Cup Week will be reduced. Games MUST begin and end on time. Warm-up your team to the side of the field and leave the field as soon as your game is over so the next game can begin. The period lengths for the games are as follows:

U4 - 25 minute game / 5 min. quarters, 1 min. between quarters, 3 min. half

U5 - 29 minute game / 6 min. quarters, 1 min. between quarters, 3 min. half

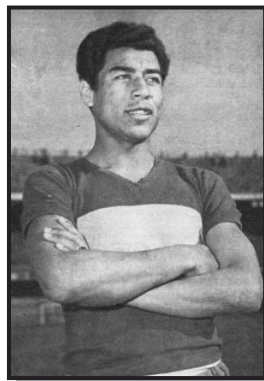
U6 - 33 minute game / 7 min. quarters, 1 min. between quarters, 3 min. half

U7 - 41 minute game / 8 min. quarters, 2 min. between quarters, 5 min. half

U8 - 49 minute game / 10 min. quarters, 2 min. between quarters, 5 minute half

U10 - 49 minute game / 22 min. halves, 5 min. half

MID - 59 minute game / 27 min. halves, 5 min. half



KIDS Cup **Special Guest!**

Victor Benitez
Come meet him!

12:30-1:30

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2:30-3:30

Victor Benítez Morales is a Peruvian footballer born in Lima, Perú, October 30, 1935. He played for AC Milan as defender, and was part of their European Cup victory in 1963. He also played for F.C. Internazionale Milano.

Benítez started his playing career in the mid 1950s at the age of 14 with Alianza Lima. Between 1957 and 1959 he played 11 games for the Peru national team, where he competed against Pele.

In 1960 he joined Argentine club Boca Juniors where he was part of the team that won the 1962 league championship.

Benítez moved to Italy in 1962 where he played for A.C. Milan, Messina, Roma, Venezia, and Inter Milan.

Coach, Equipment Turn In, Saturday, May 17th - All coaches must turn in equipment on May 17th at the pavilion. Make sure your equipment is counted and logged before you leave the drop off area. Refunds of registration fees to coaches who get all of their equipment turned back in will be issued in a timely manner.

Remember to vote

Stop by the communication booth to vote for board members TODAY, May 10th. Running for Vice President is Mark Smith. Running for Treasurer is Trudy Garringer. Both are running unopposed, but write-ins are always accepted. A final chance to vote will be during the General Board Meeting on Monday, May 12th, 7pm at Mercy's Winter Room. Votes will be tallied and the results announced at that time.

SPORTSMANSHIP – We have had a few incidents of overly aggressive spectators during games. Remember to always follow our 'Code of Conduct'. Copies are available at the communication booth for your review. The league expects all players and spectators to following the rules of good sportsmanship. Coaches, we appreciate you taking the lead in setting a good examples of sportsmanship and fair play at all times.

Lost and Found –All items from the lost and found will be on a table at the Pavilion May 10th and 17th. Stop by and check the lost and found. You might be surprised by what you find! We will turn all items over to charity at the end of the day on May 17th.

REGISTRATION – We are now taking registrations for the Fall 2008 Season. You may register for the fall season only, or for the Fall 2008/Spring 2009 soccer year at a discount by using cash, check or credit card (small additional fee.). For your convenience, we will be at the pavilion May 10th and May 17th from 10am to 4pm, where we will have sample uniforms for sizing and be available to answer any questions you have. All players must register since fall will start the new soccer year. We will have registration forms there or you may print one off of the website to bring or send in to us. Online registration will also be available soon if using a credit card or PayPal.

Litter/Vandalism – Check around your seating area as you prepare to leave a game and be sure all trash is picked up. We spend hours cleaning the park and Mercy fields after everyone has left and would appreciate your help.

We have had vandalism to various items this season and ask your help in keeping an eye on the goals and trailer when they are in the park. If you see any suspicious activity at any time, call our message line at 467-6353 IMMEDIATELY. Your help is appreciated.

ID Badges – Coaches are required to have their ID badges in plain view during each game. We try to keep an eye on this but ask for your help. If your coach does not have a badge visible, please let us know at the Communication Booth.

WINNERS: COACH OF THE MONTH

(each finalist will receive a baseball cap, a soccer ball pump, and a whistle.) Thank you to all our coaches who work so diligently! Check out the winning reviews!

MMC Field – “Coach **Ralph Kim**, for Coach of the Month. He is a very patient, fun Coach. He is doing such an awesome job with our kids. The kids are making great progress with him!! So, we feel he deserves Coach of the Month!!!!”

Younger Division – “Coach of the Month – **Jon Adams** (U6) for Coach of the Month. He works out of state for most of the week, but he is always back in Idaho for practices and games. His commitment to his team is tremendous. All the kids enjoy him as their coach.”

Older Division – “Coach **Jason Lowry** for coach of the month. My son has had him for a coach since U-4, he is one of the absolute best! My son has learned alot of skills, has had alot of fun, and has grown alot with Jason as a coach. Jason has a heart for the kids and is just one of the best coaches I know!”



**Kid's Cup
Nampa KID Soccer**



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| auction | Ball | books |
| booth | coach | dunk tank |
| equipment | Face paint | food |
| friends | Fun | hotdog |
| jamobree | jump | kick |
| medal | parents | pavilion |
| pizza | players | raffle |
| referee | registration | run |
| slide | snow cone | soccer |
| t shirts | tickets | uniform |

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