

Elementary School (1st-4th) Season Information

Program Philosophy: LKY exists to provide competitive, Christian athletic opportunities for homeschool students. LKY seeks to partner with parents to cultivate a biblical worldview of competition and sport as we emphasize how the gospel cultivates Christlike character specifically in the field of competition. Every athlete who receives a spot on the LKY soccer team will have equal attention and opportunity in practices to develop, be coached, learn and grow in soccer fundamentals, however there may not be equal playing time in games.

<u>Teams</u>: LKY will offer two coed elementary teams for athletes in 1st-4th grades. This year we expect more individuals that want to play than roster spots on teams. We will first open registration to returning families, then to camp attendees, then to new families.

<u>Tryouts/Evaluations</u>: Evaluations will take place on July 20th and July 24th from 4pm-5pm at Green Acres Baptist Church. All athletes must sign up to attend evaluations at <u>lkysaintss.leagueapps.com</u> or through the link at <u>lkysaints.com</u>. There is no separate evaluation fee for evaluations. If your child would like to play for LKY this season but will need to miss evaluations, please reach out via email no later than July 7th to ensure that our coaches can communicate with you about the possibility of joining the team for the upcoming season. The link to register for evaluations will be sent out in late June to families in the order referenced above.

Practices: We will practice weekly on Thursdays from 4pm-5pm beginning August 3rd at Green Acres Baptist Church (5189 Poplar Level Rd, 40219). (Evaluations are July 20 and 24 from 4pm-5pm)

Games: LKY will compete against other private schools in the Louisville area in a six week league. Games will be 9v9 and officiated by the coaches, who will be on the field with their team. Games are on Saturday mornings. The purpose of this league is developmental. The tentative league schedule has games beginning Saturday, August 12 and ending September 23 (no games Labor Day weekend). Most games are between 8am-2pm.

Cost: The cost for the season will be \$150 per athlete. This includes all practices, games, uniform, instruction, team equipment, administrative costs, insurance and organizational fees. If you have financial questions or concerns, please email lkysoccer@gmail.com and someone will reach out to you.

<u>Uniforms</u>: The cost of the uniform is included in the season fees. Athletes should plan to wear plain black shorts and plain black soccer socks with their LKY jersey for the games.

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