



ELGIN PUMAS SOCCER CLUB

GENERAL REGULATIONS

OBJECTIVES

Family Integration

Apart from the healthy interaction of the players in their favorite athletic activity, we are counting on the presence and support of the parents and family.

Technical / Athletic

Through practical and simple methods of progressive teaching, so the players can dominate technical fundamentals they encounter in soccer.

Human Relationships

Advising standards of good conduct, to include and encourage the feelings of solidarity and teamwork, having as a base the care and respect of their peers.

Moral

Developing and encouraging good habits that will complement the education and development of the players, i.e. the respect for the norms, rules, and being well mannered.



First Chapter

The Students

Article 1.- The players need to be on time (At least 30 Minutes before the scheduled game time) for all official and friendly games scheduled in the various tournaments in which they will participate.

Article 2.- Wear and carry as directed by your instructor: official game and training uniforms with the colors, designs, logos etc., that management decided upon. It is prohibited to buy NON-OFFICIAL uniforms. If any Elgin Pumas personnel detect a player wearing a different uniform other than the official one, it could be a motive for indefinite separation from the competitive cycle.

Article 3.- For their physical safety, players are prohibited from wearing; rings, watches, bracelets, necklaces, earrings, etc., during both practices and games. Players should wear tennis shoes and shin guards on practice days, as well as soccer shoes and shin guards on game days, otherwise players will not be allowed access to the practice or game.

Article 4.- Every single player must respect managers, professional players, instructors, parents, auxiliary parents, peers, workers and security personnel, addressing them with respect at all times. Otherwise it could be reason for the indefinite separation from the club.

Article 5.- After practices, players are prohibited from staying on the soccer fields and in the parking lot.



Article 6.- Players must respect and take part in the care of the facility, fields, locker rooms, bathrooms, offices, metal meshes, etc. A player who is found damaging the club's property, will be separated indefinitely from the club and the parents will be charged with the costs of the damaged property.

Article 7.- During the classes, the players will not be allowed in the locker rooms. Players five, six and seven years of age must go to the bathrooms in the company of the person responsible of them during their stay at the club premises.

Article 8.- The competitive categories could be evaluated for their possible recruitment and entry into the High-Performance team during the competitive cycle.

Article 9.- No Elgin Pumas player or team can represent the club nationally or internationally, without the club's endorsement. As well, no player already registered in any of the official categories of the club, including the professional team, can participate in any competition, team or athletic activity that has not been previously indicated by Elgin Pumas Soccer Club.

Article 10.- Players need to be picked up by a parent or family member inside of the facility for the players' own safety.

Article 11.- Players are not allowed to bring vehicles, bicycles, scooters, toys, balls, drums, trumpets, or any other object into the facility, that may endanger their safety.

Article 12.- It is strictly prohibited to bring in alcoholic beverages, items for resale and any type of drug that is not medically prescribed, including tobacco. It is also strictly forbidden to celebrate birthdays by students or parents without the authorization of the club.

Article 13.- The players need to be on time to all their classes on their assigned day.



Article 14.- Games and practices may be modified or suspended in the event that the environmental secretary decrees the weather to be not permitting.

Article 15.- The calendar of activities may be modified according to the necessities of the Elgin Pumas Club, league or tournament, in which we find ourselves. Any other modification to said calendar, will be a product of the necessities of the school or commitments of the first team.

Article 16.- The parent or guardian will need to justify the non-attendance of the player at the next practice day.

Article 17.- For the justification of absences, the following procedure must be followed:

- a. Give your trainer notice of absence and go to the Elgin Pumas office to fill out the form called "Proof of Absences".
- b. Attach official medical or school note, depending on the reason for the absence.
- c. This form must be given exclusively to the corresponding coordinator, who in return must sign it and give back a copy.
- d. In case of a possible future absence, please make sure to complete and submit the form explaining the reason for your absence, with a minimum of 24 hours prior to the scheduled absence. Attach medical note or any other related paperwork. Make sure to get a signed copy back.
- e. Absences may not be justified via phone calls, they must be written or sent by email.

Article 18.- The players must try to attend practices and games, in the required conditions for a good performance in the practice of soccer. This means observing precautionary measures in food intake.



Sanctions

Article 19.- Any player who is caught carrying or consuming alcoholic beverages or any type of drug, including tobacco, inside the Elgin Pumas Club facilities, will be subject to reprimand, temporary suspension and/or expulsion depending on the seriousness of the fault.

Article 20.- Any player who disrespects or does not follow instructions from the directors, trainers, security personnel or employees of the club, and/or starts fights or manifests any other bad behaviors not contemplated in this regulation, will be credited to the sanction that the club determines depending on its severity.

Article 21.- Players who are late to practice on repeated occasions (three) in a period of one week, will be automatically left out of the starting lineup for the next match. Players who accumulate 3 unexcused absences to practices or games within one (1) month, will lose their place and this may be reassigned to another player. Players who arrive late to any game will automatically be excluded from playing part of the game; if this is repeated, the players will be given a sanction of games not being able to play (the number of games will be determined by management).



Second Chapter

The Parents or Guardians

Payments

Article 22.- During the course of the cycle, payment for the tournament must be paid 10 Calendar days before the start of the event. In case of expulsion of the player, no refund will be made for registration or any other type of payment. If an annual payment was made, no money will be returned for the remaining period.

Article 23.- If payments for tournaments are not made within the allowed time frame, an extra surcharge (which will be determined at the time) will be added. The player will also be suspended from all official practices and games and will not be able to participate with their team until all delayed payments have been made. If at the end of the month, the payment has not been made, the student will be terminated permanently.



Restrictions

Article 24.- The trainer follows the program established by the club to teach their team's classes, to lead them in the games and to make the best use of substitutions. This is the reason we respectfully ask parents not to interrupt any game/practice to request or suggest exercises, changes or tactics.

During the breaks of the games, the coach will be giving useful advice to the players, please do not interrupt him. You can help him by supporting the team with positive remarks of encouragement, but allow him to continue his work.

Do not verbally or physically attack the trainers, administrative staff, security personnel, referees, players, parents of the team or the opponent's. These faults are sanctioned with either the temporary or definitive expulsion from the facilities of the Club both for the offender and his companions.

Article 25.- It is prohibited for parents to enter the field during their children's practices or games: If this should happen, the person responsible could be liable to the sanction referred to in Article 30 or 31.

Article 26.- It is not the trainer's responsibility, nor the responsibility of any member of the club, to take care of the players' personal belongings. They will not be held responsible for the loss of valuables within the Club's facilities.

Article 27.- It will be under strict observation the adjustment to the information from the Elgin Pumas management.

Article 28.- Spectators will need to adjust to the club's security system in order to attend the facility to watch the practices or games.

Article 29.- Any grievance or complaint must be submitted in writing via the club's official office or email.



Sanctions

Article 30.- Parents who do not comply with the provisions of these rules and regulations, will be credited to a sanction that can be one or more of the following: a warning, temporary suspension or final expulsion and therefore, will be prohibited access to the club's facilities; in extreme cases, they will be referred to the authorities.

Article 31.- Any parent who is caught bringing in any type of drug, that is not prescribed by a doctor, into the facility; or caught in any suspicious activity will be barred indefinitely and will be reported to the authorities.

The most important thing is the growth of the players, both on and off the field. Let's follow these rules and we will be one step closer to our objective --- #EPSC4LIFE



Acknowledge and Agreement Form

I hereby give notice that I have read the club rules and regulations and agree to follow each of the above-mentioned articles.

Player Name _____

Player Parent or Guardian _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Date _____