



# 2017-2018 Sparta

## Team Flyer



Welcome to NorTac Sparta. While many are returning, this will be a first for others joining our program. There have also been some changes to the way team's finances are organized. Below is a brief summarization of the 2017-2018 season including staffing, training, team structure, tournaments, league play and cost.

### Cost Breakdown

The player cost for the 2017-2018 soccer season, for the Boys 2007 thru 2004, and Girls 2007 thru 2006. There may be additional costs for equipment or offsetting income from team fund raising activities.

|      | Registration Fees  | Uniforms and Gear   |
|------|--|---|
| What | <p>\$1,100 Fee* covers registration for US Club (player cards and secondary insurance), field rental for games and practice, ref fees, administrative costs, coach stipend, league &amp; tournament entry fees for <u>two</u> summer tournaments and the Washington Cup Spring tournament. See Coaching Expectations on next page.</p> <p>2017 Summer Tournaments are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Federal Way Blast Off, Girls (Aug 4-6) Boys (Aug 11-13)</li> <li>2. Seattle Cup, July 7-9, 2017</li> </ol> <p>* All fees are non-refundable and parents/players agree when signing Acceptance Form to a "no pay no play" policy</p> | <p>Player purchases uniforms separately. Cost can vary depending on what pieces are needed in a given year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• U11-U19 Basic (Required) Kit: approx. \$110</li> <li>• Minimum Kit includes Home and Away jersey, shorts and socks</li> <li>• Shin guards or other protective equipment not included in cost estimate</li> <li>• A full kit that includes bag, warm up gear, rain jacket can be as much as \$300</li> <li>• We also recommend purchasing extra socks</li> <li>• 2 Fitting nights will be scheduled in May</li> </ul> |
| Who  | <p>Paid directly to NorTac, utilizing TeamSnap as our registration tool.</p>   | <p>Order and pay directly through <b>Soccer.com</b>. Players will be sent link to the soccer.com items that are individual set up for each player.</p>  |
| When | <p>\$250 due at the point of accepting an offer to play for NORTAC. The remaining balance will be paid over the next 9 months (about \$95 per month). You will be sent a link to the registration web page.</p>  | <p>It will be important to have gear ready for your first summer tournament. You can order pieces throughout the year, if needed.</p>   |

### Contact Information

| Head Coach     | Team Manager     | Nortac DOC     |
|----------------|------------------|----------------|
| {coach name}   | {manager name}   | Scott Nelson   |
| {coach e-mail} | {manager e-mail} | doc@nortac.org |



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### Sparta Coaching Expectation

In addition to the 'what' explained on Page one where we attempt to detail the leagues, tournaments and other organizational elements that you receive when accepting an offer to play for Sparta, you also get coaching.

Coaches are expected to offer at least 80 training sessions, starting no later than May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Accounting for various breaks, such as after the Fall league, there will be up to 10 weeks with no practices. When active, teams are normally expected to practice twice a week, with allowance for approximately 4 missed sessions without make up (sick/personal days). Instead of automatically cancelling a session due to a conflict, coaches shall make every effort to find a substitute Sparta coach to take that session first. Qualified and properly vetted assistant coaches may also occasionally run sessions on their own from time to time (see communications expectation below). Weather related training cancellations by NorTac or due to lightning are not automatically subject to session makeups.

Exceptions to the above policy may be approved by the doc to address and make accommodations for other real and potential conflicts, such as working around the demands of a coach's full time (non-coaching) job, accommodating school coaching jobs, etc. All coaching jobs outside of Sparta, including school soccer coaching positions, need to be disclosed to the board and DOC, and these jobs shall not excessively impede the coach's ability to fulfill their commitment to their Sparta teams. Coaches should disclose all known and potential coaching conflicts with their players and their families.

For coaches who have multiple teams. There will occasionally be game schedule conflicts that cannot be resolved which will cause the coach to be late to or to be unable to attend some games. It is the responsibility of the coach to assign a qualified and properly vetted assistant coach or a Sparta staff coach to cover these obligations.

- Unless due to extenuating or unforeseen circumstances, parents shall be aware of all training times, days, and locations at least two weeks in advance
- Coaches shall represent the club and their team in a professional and dignified manner at all times, both in terms of behavior and appearance.
- Coaches shall read, understand, and abide by the NorTac and Sparta code of conduct.
- As a matter of course, coaches shall wear club colors and sparta branded gear to all sparta training, games, and related on-field events. Coaches shall not wear gear from other clubs, whether youth, adult, or professional.
- Coaches shall wear a wristwatch at all training and games, and shall not use a cell phone as a time keeping device
- Coaches shall not use cell phones during training or games unless for emergencies or for team business (such as communicating with a player, board member, or parent).



# NorTac Player Acceptance Form



Congratulations you have been selected to become a member of Sparta program of the North Tacoma Soccer Club Sparta for the 2017/2018 season! The team depends on the commitment of the Club, Coaching Staff, team and club volunteers, and definitely the Players and their families. By now you should understand the expectations of the coach for participation at team evens such as training and games. If you have any questions, please contact your Coach, team manager, or a NorTac board member. To complete the process of joining the team a few items must be completed. The required items are:

- Player and Parent signature on the bottom of this form that signifies you have accepted the offer, and commit to play onto the team for the season. Please return this to your team manager or coach.
- Registration (including initial payment) with NorTac.
- Completing and submittal of the US Club Soccer Youth Registration Form (a requirement for League play)
- If new to NorTac, providing a copy of Birth Certificate or approved age verifying document to the team manager
- As required, ordering team uniform kits in time for the first Tournament

Player Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Player Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Player Name (Please print)

I understand that by signing this form and accepting this offer I will not be able to tryout nor play for any other US Club affiliated soccer team this season. All parties who have signed this form are acknowledging that they have read and understand the NorTac Code of Conduct and the rules pertaining to the League and agree to uphold them accordingly. All who have signed this form have read and agree to adhere to the NorTac Bylaws currently in effect.



# YOUTH PLAYER REGISTRATION FORM

This form must be retained by the club for at least five (5) years or until the player's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday, whichever occurs last.

|              |                            |       |        |        |    |
|--------------|----------------------------|-------|--------|--------|----|
| Club Name:   | NorTac Sparta              | City: | Tacoma | State: | WA |
| League Name: | Puget Sound Premier League |       |        |        |    |

I hereby consent to the above-named club registering me with US Club Soccer. I understand that I may be registered to only one US Club Soccer member club at any time. [Note: it will not be necessary to complete this form again as long as the player is with this club, which will hold this form unless requested by US Club Soccer.]

|                             |               |                                    |               |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| _____<br>Player's Signature | _____<br>Date | _____<br>Parent/Guardian Signature | _____<br>Date |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|---------------|

## PLAYER'S MEDICAL INFORMATION

|                 |             |                |   |
|-----------------|-------------|----------------|---|
| Player's Name:  | Birth Date: | Gender:        | <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male |
| Street Address: | City:       |                |   |
| State:          | Zip :       | Email Address: |   |

|                |                 |   |
|----------------|-----------------|---|
| Parent Name:   | Home Phone: ( ) | Bus Phone: ( )  |
| Email Address: | Cell Phone: ( ) | Receive texts? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Parent Name:   | Home Phone: ( ) | Bus Phone: ( )  |
| Email Address: | Cell Phone: ( ) | Receive texts? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

### In an emergency when parent/guardian cannot be reached, please contact the following:

|       |              |              |
|-------|--------------|--------------|
| Name: | Phone 1: ( ) | Phone 2: ( ) |
| Name: | Phone 1: ( ) | Phone 2: ( ) |

Please list player allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list other medical conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

|                                     |                |              |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Physician:                          | Phone 1: ( )   | Phone 2: ( ) |
| Medical/Hospital Insurance Company: | Phone: ( )     |              |
| Policy Holder's Name:               | Policy Number: |              |

## MEDICAL TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION AND LIABILITY WAIVER

I hereby give my consent to have an athletic trainer, coach, team manager, emergency medical technician, nurse, medical treatment facility, and/or doctor of medicine or dentistry or associated personnel provide the applicant/participant with medical assistance and/or treatment and agree to be financially responsible for the cost of such assistance and/or treatment. I understand treatment for injury will be based on information provided herein. I hereby authorize emergency transportation of the applicant/participant to a medical treatment facility should an individual listed above consider it to be warranted. I recognize the possibility of physical injury associated with soccer, and hereby release, discharge, and otherwise indemnify the club, US Club Soccer, their sponsors, the USSF and its affiliated organizations, and the employees and associated personnel of these organizations, against any claim by or on behalf of the soccer player named above as a result of that player's participation in US Club Soccer programs and/or being transported to or from the same, which transportation I hereby authorize.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to player:  Father  Mother  Guardian