

Michigan State Youth Soccer Association Press Release

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Now Accepting Teams for the 2015 MSYSA Spring State Cup & Jr. State Cup

Plymouth, Michigan (October 16, 2014) – The Michigan State Youth Soccer Association will host more than 3,000+ players from 200+ teams as they compete in the US Youth Soccer MSYSA State Cup, which will be played in the Spring of 2015. This will be the first of three legs in the US Youth Soccer National Championship Series. This spring season, MSYSA will host the following age groups: Under 13 Boys and Girls, Under 14 Boys through Under 18 Boys and Under 19 Boys and Girls. Additionally, MSYSA will host the 2015 Jr. State Cup this spring for teams in the U10 through U12 age groups.

The US Youth Soccer Association MSYSA State Cup Champions will qualify to compete for a regional title in the US Youth Soccer Midwest Regional Championships hosted in Fox Cities, Wisconsin on June 20-24, 2015. Those who are crowned champions at the US Youth Soccer Regional Championships in the Under 13 through Under 19 brackets earn a place to compete in the 2015 US Youth Soccer National Championships to be played on July 21-26, 2015 in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

2014 was an exciting and successful year for Michigan teams with the U13 Waza Boys crowned Champions and the U13 Michigan Hawks Girls crowned Finalists! MSYSA invites you and your team to participate in the 2015 MSYSA Spring State Cup Tournament.

The MSYSA State Cup Tournament is intended to provide teams a high level of competition for teams in the Under 13 through Under 19 age groups. If you or other teams you may be aware of, are interested in participating in the tournament, please make certain you register your team(s) before February 2, 2015 (December 15, 2014 for teams in the Under 19 age group). The cost per team to register is \$455 (Under 19 teams: \$455 + \$3,000 bond). The MSYSA State Cup is for current MSYSA league affiliated teams and MSYSA League affiliated members only. Preliminary matches will commence on March 14, 2015 and end on May 3, 2015. The MSYSA State Cup & Jr. State Cup Round of 16 and Quarterfinals will take place on May 16-17, 2015. The MSYSA State Cup & Jr. State Cup Semifinals & Finals are scheduled to take place on May 30-May 31, 2015. Additionally, the cost to register for the MSYSA Jr. State Cup is \$400 for teams in the Under-10 age group and \$445 for teams in the Under-11 and Under-12 age groups. The deadline to apply for the MSYSA Jr. State Cup is February 2, 2015 at 4:30pm.

REMINDER TO U-19 TEAMS! Teams wishing to participate in the Under-19 age group must submit an application and payment to MSYSA on or before December 15, 2014 at 4:30pm. Click [here](#) to register in the Under-19 age group or visit <https://www.gotsport.com/forms/app/?eventid=42346>.

Register your team(s) by clicking [here](#) or by going to <https://www.gotsport.com/forms/app/?eventid=42346>. For teams wishing to participate in the MSYSA Jr. State Cup click [here](#) to register or visit <https://events.gotsport.com/forms/app/Default.aspx?EventID=42386>.

DON'T FORGET REGISTRATION ENDS FEBRUARY 2, 2015 AT 4:30PM

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After you register for the tournament, be sure to follow the moments on the MSYSA [Facebook Page](#) and [Twitter Page](#).

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MSYSA is pleased to announce its expanded partnership with Dick's Sporting Goods. [Dick's Sporting Goods](#) is the Official Sporting Goods Retailer and Tournament Sponsor of the MSYSA. Dick's Sporting Goods is pleased to extend discounted purchases at any Dick's Sporting Goods location to MSYSA member and to all participants and visitors who will be participating in the 2015 MSYSA Jr. State Cup. To start your savings download the [MSYSA Special Soccer Coupons](#) by visiting <http://app.dcsbg.com/couponsheet/?s=804090>.

About Michigan State Youth Soccer Association

The Michigan State Youth Soccer Association, Inc. (MSYSA) is a nonprofit organization that represents over 89,000+ youth soccer players, 12,000+ coaches, and 8,000+ referees throughout Michigan. MSYSA consists of a vast number of leagues that register players (boys and girls) from ages 4 through 19 throughout the state. MSYSA is a member of the United States Youth Soccer Association and the United States Soccer Federation. For more information on MSYSA, visit www.michiganyouthsoccer.org.



About the US Youth Soccer National Championship Series

The US Youth Soccer National Championship Series provides more than 10,000 teams from US Youth Soccer's 55 State Associations the opportunity to showcase their abilities against the best in the nation while emphasizing teamwork, discipline and fair play. The yearlong competition begins with over 185,000 players in the US Youth Soccer State Championships. These champions and selected wildcard teams, through US Youth Soccer Regional Leagues, advance to compete in one of four the US Youth Soccer Regional Championships. Champions (U-14 through U-19) from each regional event advance to the National Championships. The Under-15 through 17 Boys and Girls age groups have two teams representative of the US Youth Soccer National League, in which the top two teams in each gender age group earn a direct path to the national championships. Overall the US Youth Soccer National Championship Series provides the nation's top collegiate coaches with the premier stage to identify and scout the most coveted players in the country.

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