



Unionville-Milliken Soccer Club

Guidelines for Independent Team Website

The Unionville Milliken Soccer Club recognizes the use of independent team websites as a valuable communication tool to share team information with the club, players, family and friends and strongly encourages teams to establish their websites. The UMSC further recognizes and appreciates the valuable efforts and dedication of the volunteer webmasters.

With many of our Competitive teams managing their own websites, it is important that UMSC Competitive teams choosing to maintain independent team websites read the following guidelines and indicate acceptance by signing at the bottom of the page. For safety and privacy concerns, all Unionville Milliken Soccer Club teams must adhere to the following guidelines when using independent websites. If your team does not maintain an independent website, the Unionville Milliken Soccer Club website www.u-msc.com offers pages that can be used to communicate team information or share publicity photos. Also, the club's Communications Director can be contacted should you wish to publish a newsworthy article in the local news media.

Independent Team Website Guidelines:

- No unlawful copies of copyrighted or proprietary material (documents, music, photos, graphics, etc.) are to be used on the team's website.
- No offensive content is published on the team's website.
- The team's website must not contain links to websites that promote products and services that are incompatible with the healthy image of our sport (i.e. Alcohol, Tobacco, Gambling, etc.)
- All guardians of players must sign the **Parent/Guardian/Player Consent Form** indicating that they give the team/club webmasters permission to release names, practice and game locations, photos and any other information relating to the play of soccer. The team head coach/manager must keep the signed consent forms.
- Web pages may only contain a player's first name and must not contain the player's full name, phone number, address, e-mail address or the names of other family members or friends. A player's full name and email address may only be displayed if access to the information is for website "members only" and is controlled via a secure logon access.
- Group pictures may be published on the team's website if the group consists of five people or more. The publication of individual player pictures is not recommended.
- Published e-mail addresses shall be restricted to those of team officials and of the webmaster.
- The following disclaimer must appear boldly on the homepage of the website:
"This website is not an official website of the Unionville Milliken Soccer Club. The Unionville Milliken Soccer Club is not liable or responsible for the information contained within".

I _____ (Head Coach/Manager Name), by signing below, indicate that I have reviewed the independent website guidelines with all the parents/guardians/players on my Unionville Milliken Soccer Club team. I have received signed consent forms, which are in my possession, from all parents/guardians/players on my team.

Head Coach/Manager Signature _____ Date _____

Team _____ (team name, age group, league)

Please return this original form to the Unionville Milliken Soccer Club, Attn: Competitive Program



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Parent/Guardian/Player Consent Form

I, _____ (name of guardian) as the legal guardian of
_____ (player's name) whose address is
_____ do hereby recognize that my child
named above is a participant at various games, activities and events related to the Unionville
Milliken Soccer Club team _____ (team name, age group, league).

I further recognize that, during such events, photographs or other identity information (player names only) may be collected and made available for publication. I understand that such collected information may be utilized in various forms of communication such as the UMSC website, **www.u-msc.com**, the team website _____ (team website address), UMSC promotional material (fliers, brochures, publications, etc.) or released to local news media.

I hereby give my consent to the use of such information and publications noted above.

I may withdraw this consent at anytime provided that a signed written request is submitted to the team head coach/manager.

Guardian/Player Signature: _____ Print Name: _____

Date: _____