

# Fall Newsletter



## River Falls Wildcat Soccer



### Annual General Meeting

- River Falls Wildcat Soccer, Inc. will hold its annual general meeting Saturday, October 1, 11:00 am, at the Hoffman Basin soccer fields. Meet next to the concession stand. On the agenda: review of the year's activities, review of club finances, by law amendment and director elections. Please show your support for the soccer program by attending.

### Directors Wanted -

River Falls Wildcat Soccer, Inc. is governed by eleven directors who are elected by the membership at the annual general meeting. Directors serve a three-year term. We have **four director positions open**. This is a large turn over this year and so Wildcat Soccer needs your help to ensure the club has new leadership. If you are interested in joining the soccer board show up at the AGM or email current board president Melissa Miles at [Melissa.milesrf@gmail.com](mailto:Melissa.milesrf@gmail.com).

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### Dates to Remember:

AGM	10/1/2011
Tryouts	10/8/2011
Registration	11/15/2011
	11/16/2011
Soccer Clinics	DTB

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## 2012 Traveling Soccer Registration -

Registration is open for 2012 traveling soccer. Register in person Tuesday or Wednesday, November 15 and 16, 7:00 – 8:30 pm, Meyer Middle School cafeteria. **COMING SOON!** Please watch our website for **online registration**. RFWS has partnered with WYSA and active sports to be able to

provide online registration. Payments can be made by visa, MasterCard or you can have the option to mail in a check.

For those new to traveling, the season runs from May – July and involves practice and/or games two to three times weekly, plus up to two weekend tournaments. Half the

games are played in River Falls and the other half in the Twin Cities east metro area. Please see a board member for a money saving coupon for new registrants.

### Traveling Soccer Parent Volunteers -

Wildcat Soccer is a volunteer run organization. All board member and coaches serve on a volunteer basis. Parents of traveling soccer players will be expected to volunteer a minimum of two hours per player in 2010. There will be pre-pay option to opt out of volunteer hours. Include an additional \$40.00 per player registration and you will be exempt from volunteer service.

### 2012 Traveling Soccer

**Uniforms** – 2012 uniforms will be the same uniforms used in 2011. **PLEASE TRY ON YOUR UNIFORM TO ENSURE IT FITS.** If you wait for the start of the season to order a replacement, you may not get the uniform in time. If you would like to order a new jersey (\$23.00), shorts (\$15.00) or socks (\$9.00), send request and check to Wildcat Soccer, PO Box 72, River Falls, WI 54022. If re-ordering a jersey, please state the player number.

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**Try-outs** – Due to increase in registration and competitive level, RFWS will be holding a try out in early October for the following age group: U13 boys/girls and U14 boys/girls. We will be creating; 1 U13 C2 team (boys & girls), 1 U14 C3 team (boys & girls) and 1 U14 (boys & girls) C2 team. We welcome any U12 player who wishes to try out for the U13 C2 team to participate. Try outs will be held on Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, please see website or contact current board president for details.

**Winter/Spring Skills Clinic** - We hope to once again offer a winter skills clinic. We are working on the details now. It will probably be on Sunday afternoons from Mid

## CONGRATUALATIONS!!

U13 Boys – League Champions and 2<sup>nd</sup> in MYSA Summer State Tournament. Promoted to C2 status.

U14 Boys – League Champions and 2<sup>nd</sup> in MYSA Summer State Tournament. Promoted to C2 status.

U15 Girls – League Champions

U16 Boys – League Champions. Promoted to C2 status.



U15 Girls League Champions

We're on the Web!

Stay up-to-date with the latest news by visiting our website at [www.rfwildcatsoccer.org](http://www.rfwildcatsoccer.org). It's full of links, program information and contact information for our board members.

**Referees** – A re-certification clinic will be held in River Falls date TBD. This clinic is for L8 and L9 refs who need to re-cert at the same level. New L8 and L9 clinics will be held in March (watch website for updates and details).

## Special Thanks

- Wildcat Soccer could not function without volunteers. Special thanks go out to John Shepherd, Wildcat Soccer Web Master; Diane Waite, Registrar; Dan Zimmerman, Field Coordinator; Jeff Bump, Field's; Shelly Rice, Ref Assignor; and Directors Melissa Miles (President), Mark Osberghaus ( Vice President/Fundraising), Monica Lucht (Treasurer), Alan Pound (Secretary/Risk Management/Volunteer Coordinator), Vahan Badalow (Tournament Director), Karin Dunn (Concessions), Louie Filkins (Fields/Uniforms), Dave Bell (Communications/Marketing), April Daniels (Fall and Summer Rec Chair), and Jill Wurdell (Ref. Coordinator); **2011 Traveling and**

September 20, 2011 -- River Falls Wildcat Soccer, P.O Box 72, River Falls, WI 54022  
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