

BC Christian Soccer 2022

The basics of the season look like this:

The season consists of 10 or 12 games played on either a Monday or Friday. There are six home games scheduled on your home fields. The regular season starts on Monday April 4th and ends on Monday June 20th.

The quarter final games are scheduled for Friday June 24th and Monday June 27th.

The semi-finals are scheduled at Burnaby Lakes on Friday July 4th

The finals are scheduled for Burnaby Lakes on Friday July 9th.

Payment of \$1400 league fee plus any bond top up is due by Saturday March 12th with an e-transfer to executives@bccsl.org. Please add a bond top to \$150 up where applicable. Check the last page of the financial statements to see if your team needs to top up the bond.

Blackout dates and initial rosters should be in by Sunday March 27th.

There are 21 regular game evenings with league blackout days for Friday April 15th (Good Friday) and Friday May 20th (Victoria Day). Each team may select up to two blackout days within the regular season. (9 Fridays & 12 Mondays)

If you cannot field a team for a scheduled game it is a forfeit. It will be marked as a forfeit with a 3-0 loss. The forfeiting team will be responsible to pay the ref fee and will also be charged a forfeit fee from their bond. Please advise the executives@bccsl.org as soon as possible.

Use the manager login to select the blackout days, update your roster, print and submit games sheets. You will also use the manager login during game days to perform the check-off with the referee. If the player is not on the check-off they cannot play. For insurance purposes all players are required to sign a release form. (Sample provided).

Managers will minors (Under the age of 19 in BC) on their team will also need to get and submit a Criminal Record Check. A request for a criminal record check letter is provided. For some jurisdictions the CRC is free for not for profit organizations.

During the regular season the home team is responsible to pay the ref \$80 cash (in bills) before the game. The home team is also responsible for the game ball and access to the home field. Know your home field and access codes and keys that are required to open it up. It is also advisable that the away team bring their game ball and have it ready as a spare. Teams “should have” nets; however, the league has done its best efforts to secure fields already with nets.

Each team needs to have unique numbered jerseys. If there is conflict (same colour) of jersey then the home team must wear an alternate or colour or training penny over.

A reminder that the BC Christian soccer league holds their members to a higher standard of conduct any yellow card requires the player, except the keeper, to a cooling off period after the card is issued.

After the game the winning team, or the home team in the case of a tie, is responsible to submit the game results through the manager login. Neither team can play the next game until the results of the previous game is reported. Reporting is critical especially in the case of any yellow or red cards. If there is a red card infraction then both managers and the player involved are required to send a report to executives@bccsl.org (within 24 hours).

For play offs both teams bring \$80 to pay the ref and the assistant refs.

Everything is covered if you make it to the finals.

READ BEFORE SIGNING

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way with the BC Christian Soccer League, related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

1. Our goal is to see structured competition in soccer provided, where Christ and fellowship between brothers and sisters in Christ and churches are the priorities, followed by quality and sportsmanlike competition. It is our goal to promote and maintain the positive aspects of the game in an environment where participants can grow in Christian character and fellowship.
2. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,
3. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
4. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
5. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS The BC Christian Soccer League their officers, officials, agents, and other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event (“RELEASEES”), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

PLAYER NAME: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE : _____