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TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS COMMITMENT TO PLAY, IF ELIGIBLE

North Texas State Soccer Association sponsors the Tournament of Champions every December (check the North Texas Soccer web site for the specific date). Almost all of the fields are in the Dallas area. FWYSA will send one representative team from the 1st division of the following age and gender groupings: U10 Boys and Girls, U12 Boys and Girls, U14 Boys and Girls, U16 Boys and Girls, and U19 Boys and Girls (all recreational). In recent years, U10s have played 6v6 in the TOC (maximum roster size is 12). Though it is anticipated that they will return to 7v7 (maximum roster size of 14), be sure to check the North Texas Soccer web site for any revisions in this rule.

To be eligible, this form along with a check for the \$250 entry fee (payable to FWYSA—if NTSSA increases the fee, any competing teams must pay the increase) must be in the FWYSA Office by October

1. Even if you do not expect to be the 1st place team but would like to represent FWYSA in the TOC, you should submit this form with check in case the 1st place team does not desire to compete. We will send the top-ranked team that wants to go. If more than one team in some of the older age divisions submits this form with check, the Playing Committee may need to arrange a play-off game.

Team Name: _____ Coach Name: _____

I understand:

- That the 1st place team (or 2nd place team, if the 1st place team does not desire to compete, etc.) in the 1st division of all eligible age and gender divisions will be chosen to represent FWYSA in the TOC .
- The point-system and tie-breaker system used by FWYSA to determine the 1st place team.
- That in cases of some older divisions with teams playing in different leagues, the FWYSA Playing Committee has final authority in determining a play-off system, date and time of play-offs, and all other decisions regarding the FWYSA representative to the TOC.
- That all games will be on fields primarily in the greater Dallas area in early-December; that the TOC scheduling committee cannot honor any scheduling requests; that our roster is “frozen” by a NTSSA-specified date; that we must provide notarized medical releases and possibly a special roster at tournament check-in; that a representative of the team must attend the mandatory Team Meeting; that I am responsible for submitting all the necessary paperwork to NTSSA; and that I will need to consult the NTSSA web site frequently (www.ntxsoccer.org) for all announcements, requirements, and schedules.
- I understand that if we are the FWYSA representative and if for any reason we forfeit even one game in the TOC, we will owe FWYSA the performance bond in addition to the \$250 (or higher) entry fee--plus be subject to other penalties to be assessed by the FWYSA Board. All teams pay their own \$250 (or higher) entry fee.
- I understand that this form must be signed and submitted with the \$250 entry fee to the FWYSA Office by **October 1** for my team to be eligible for the TOC.

Coach Signature