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US Adult Soccer
A Division of US Soccer

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Affiliated with the Federation Internationale de Football Association

State Fee: _____ APPLICATION TO HOST A TOURNAMENT OR GAMES

Name of Tournament Natural State Adult Tournament
Hosting Organization Arkansas Central Soccer Assoc.
President of Hosting Organization Mark McIntosh Telephone (MCINTOSH-M@HOTMAIL.COM)
Address P.O. Box 1086 () Home
City N. Little Rock State AR Zip 72115 () Fax
Nationals State Association Arkansas
Location of Tournament/Games Burns Park Estimated # of Teams 30
Tournament Director/Contact Person Gayle Smith Telephone arcsa.board@gmail.com
Address P.O. Box 1086 www.arcsa.co Home
City N. Little Rock State AR Zip 72115 () Fax

Age Divisions Accepted*	Type(s) of Teams Accepted*	M e n	W o m e n	C o - e d	Roster Size	# of Guest Players Allowed	Length of Games	Awards	Min # of Games	Entry Fee	Bond
<u>OPEN</u>	<u>Rec, Comp. Select</u>			<u>✓</u>	<u>15</u>		<u>2/25</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>300⁰⁰</u>	<u>N/A</u>
<u>*all teams are considered coed although coed rules do not apply.</u>											

*List of age divisions and types of teams is on reverse side of this form.

Teams will be invited from: ☐ Foreign Teams ** ☒ National State Associations (list below or attach list)

Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Louisiana, Missouri, Illinois

** If foreign teams are invited you must complete and send in a USSF Application to Organize International Matches no later than 60 days prior to the tournament.

Tournament Director's Signature _____ Date 6/22/18

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NATIONAL STATE ASSOCIATION

By Arkansas - Marvin Hick
Title State Registrar
Date 7/3/2018

US ADULT SOCCER

By _____
Title _____
Date _____

In granting this permission to host a tournament or games, neither US Adult Soccer, US Soccer nor the National State Association shall be liable for transportation, lodging or injury to persons or property sustained in the course of the sanctioned event.

UNITED STATES ADULT SOCCER

Tournament/Game Hosting Agreement

In consideration of permission being granted to AR Central Soccer to hold a tournament or game(s) at N. Little Rock, AR on the date of 6/22, 2018.
(City) (State)

We hereby agree to the following conditions:

- ABIDE BY THE RULES.** We shall abide by all statements made in our Application to Host a Tournament or Games, in our tournament invitation, in our tournament rules and in the United States Adult Soccer/Game Hosting Agreement. We agree that all decisions regarding acceptance of teams into a tournament shall be fairly and impartially made and shall not be based upon race, creed, color or national origin.
- INVITATIONS.** The tournament approval form shall accompany all tournament invitations distributed by us.
- PROCURING LIABILITY INSURANCE.** We have produced liability insurance coverage for the tournament through the US Adult Soccer office or other agency of at least the same coverage which names the Tournament Host and their volunteers, the National State Association with which the Host Organization is affiliated, US Adult Soccer, US Soccer and their officers and directors as additional insured.
- REQUIRING MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION.** We shall require teams and/or players under the age of 18 to provide notarized medical authorizations in a form adequate for use at the site of the tournament. These authorizations shall be presented to the Host Organization at registration and kept at the field available for use by the team.
- ADVANCE PUBLICATION OF RULES.** We agree that our tournament rules shall be included with the invitation sent to each team and shall, again, be published to all teams accepted, prior to the start of the tournament.
- CREDENTIALS CHECKS.** We agree that we shall conduct credentials checks (check one)
 - ☐ at registration, or
 - ☐ at the field prior to each game by a tournament official, or
 - ☒ at both sites as required

to ensure that all players are registered with US Adult Soccer or approved organizations, properly rostered with their team, and participating in accordance with representation set forth on the Application to Host a Tournament or Games.

- USE OF USSF REGISTERED REFEREES.** We agree that we shall, in accordance with USSF Rule 3040, use only USSF registered referees, who are in good standing, for all tournament games, and shall utilize a one or three referee system. There will be an adequate number of USSF registered referees available in the area during the tournament dates to cover the scheduled tournament games. We have selected the following Assignor to assign referees for the tournament games:

Name <u>Don Boss</u>		Telephone <u>duboz@aol.com</u>	
Address <u>4212 Montgomery Rd</u>		Fax	
City <u>Little Rock</u>	State <u>AR</u>	Zip <u>72223</u>	

- USE OF SPECTATOR LINES.** We agree to take appropriate steps including, where feasible, the use of spectator lines on each field to keep the spectators off the touch line.
- PROVISION OF ADEQUATE TOURNAMENT COMMUNICATION.** We agree to provide adequate communication by means of cell phone between the game fields and the tournament headquarters. The Tournament Communications Director is:

Name <u>Gayle Smith</u>		Telephone <u>501-612-7280</u>	
Address <u>P.O. Box 1086</u>		<u>arcsa.board@gmail.com</u>	
City <u>North Little Rock</u>	State <u>AR</u>	Zip <u>72115</u>	

- AVAILABILITY OF POLICE AND RESCUE SERVICES.** We have notified the local police, ambulance and emergency rescue services of the date(s) of the tournament and the times and fields which will be used for games, and have been advised by them that they will be available to render assistance if needed.

11. **TOURNAMENT RULES - BEHAVIOR** We agree that our tournament rules contain provisions ensuring that the behavior of our players, coaches and spectators is appropriately controlled including specific provisions

- a. which spell out the disciplinary measures to be imposed for the issuance of red and yellow cards or other improper conduct
- b. which indicate what procedures will be followed regarding protests and appeals
- c. which indicate that all disciplinary measures imposed by host organizations shall be limited to playing restrictions upon an individual's group participation in the tournament
- d. which states the issuance of all yellow and red card and other matters involving the conduct of a team, its players, coaches or supporters will be recorded by the host organization and also reported immediately to the home state association and the home club/league except that all matters involving referee assault or abuse shall, in accordance with USSF Rule 304.1, be referred immediately to the host state association, and
- e. which state that the home state association and the home club/league shall, except in the case of referee assault, have the responsibility for imposing, should circumstances warrant, additional sanctions within their respective jurisdictions with regard to any matters arising from the tournament

12. **TOURNAMENT CANCELLATION** We agree that our tournament rules shall state what refunds, if any, shall be made to participating teams if all or a portion of the tournament is canceled by the host organization for any reason

13. **POST TOURNAMENT REPORT** We agree that we shall file a Tournament Report with the National State Association (noted as permission to host this tournament) within thirty (30) days after the conclusion of the tournament. We understand that failure to file the report shall preclude the tournament host from receiving sanction for any tournament for the following season/year until the report is filed. The Tournament Report shall include the following information:

- a. the number of teams participating in each age division
- b. if a champion is determined, the name of the champion for each division
- c. the names of teams from each National State Association or foreign country
- d. if Sportsmanship Awards, and given, the criteria for the award and to who awards were given
- e. the number of heads used for the tournament
- f. the names of the sponsors, if any, and
- g. the names and teams of all players issued red and yellow cards, and details of any other matters involving the improper or unsportsmanlike conduct of a team, its players, coaches or supporters

NOTE: Any incidents of ejections in a final game, or any incidents of referee abuse or referee assault, or other incidents of a serious nature should be reported to the team's or player's home National State Association immediately, but no later than seven (7) days after the conclusion of the tournament.

Signature of Host Organization President

Signature of Tournament Director

Date: 7/1/18

Date: 6/22/18

Host Organization: Arkansas Central Soccer

Telephone: 501-612-7280

Address: P.O. Box 1086

arcasa.board@gmail.com

City: North Little Rock

State: AR Zip: 72115

Tournament Headquarters: Burns Park Soccer Complex

Address: 1 Tournament Drive

City: North Little Rock

State: AR Zip: 72118