## **Deciding the Best Option for Your Child (eff. Fall 2014)**

EUSA	Micro-Soccer	Recreation Soccer	Inter-County Soccer	Travel Soccer
EUSA	(\$110 per season)	(\$125 per season)	(\$270 for both seasons)	(\$395 for both seasons)
What are the age	Pre-K to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	4 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	U10 – U17	U9 – U14
requirements:				(U16 & U19 in the Spring)
Do you need to	No, teams are organized by school and	No, teams are organized by school	No. Teams are determined by	Yes. Tryouts are in May for the
try-out to be on	availability of coaches	and availability of coaches	available coaches.	Sept to June season.
a team?				
When and where	No try-outs	No try-outs	No try-outs	Every May at Spencer Rockman
are try-outs?				Soccer Complex
How long is the	1 Season	1 Season	2 Seasons – Fall & Spring	Full year – September thru
commitment?				June
How often are	Pre-K /Kinder & 1 <sup>st</sup> have no weekly	Typically there is 1 coach's practice	There is a minimum of 1 coach's	At least 2x weekly for 60-90
practices?	practices.	per week for 60 minutes.	practice per week for 60-90	minutes.
•	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> are encouraged to practice 1x		minutes.	
	weekly for 60 min.			
How often are	Every Saturday for 45 minutes	N/A	There may also be an additional	2x per week. More, if parents
practices with			Trainer's practice if the parents	wish to fund trainer cost.
Trainers?			choose to.	
When are the	Saturdays at Spencer Rockman Soccer	Saturdays at Thomas Edison Park	Typically Saturday afternoons	Primarily Sundays
games played?	Complex for 45-60 minutes depending on		and possibly Sundays	
	age group for a total of 90 minutes			
How long is each	10 weeks depending on weather	10 weeks depending on weather	5 home / 5 away games with	5 home / 5 away games plus
season?			playoffs for U12 and above	tournaments (13-16 games
How far do you	Within Edison Only	Within Edison Only	To surrounding towns typically	total)  To surrounding towns typically
travel?	Within Edison Offiy	Within Edison Only	within a 30-45 minute	within a 30-45 minute
tiavei:			commuting distance	commuting distance except for
				tournaments
Which league is	Age specific – beginning soccer	Players at a beginner level, those	For existing players who wish to	For players & parents who are
right for my	foundation training	that may be new to the sport, or for	increase their skill and	committed to soccer and want
child?		those not focused on heavy	competition level and may be	a highly challenging and
		competition	interested in eventually going to	competitive environment
			Travel soccer	
What does my	Fee includes: trainers, full uniform,	Fee includes: Full uniform, Medals,	Fee includes: Full Uniform (home	Fee includes: Mid-NJ
fee include?	trophy and Pizza Party, League Insurance	Referee Fees and Coaches Team	& away), Referee Fees, ICYLS Fees, League Insurance, Final Fest	Registration Fees, League insurance, 1 tournament, 10
		Party, League Insurance	Tournament Fees	trainer sessions, Referee Fees
Are there	No	No	Maybe – dependent on Team	Yes – added tournaments,
additional costs?			desires – i.e. trainers,	additional training,
additional costs:			tournaments, winter/summer	winter/summer soccer leagues,
			training, etc.	travel costs, equipment