

Mission

Cap Hill Soccer Jam brings together people from around Seattle for a fun, small-sided soccer tournament to generate financial support for Street Soccer Seattle. All profits from the tournament go to support Street Soccer Seattle's mission to empower homeless individuals on and off the soccer field. Through soccer, Street Soccer Seattle's soccer based curriculum teaches life skills, builds community, and supports homeless players to find greater success and peace in their lives.

Schedule, Sunday September 23rd, 2018

9:00 am — Registration at Seattle University Park
9:30 am — Introduction and Rules
10:00 am — Tournament Games Begin*
3:30 pm — Awards and Closing Ceremony
*Specific game times will be posted and available at Registration.

Raffle

Various prizes will be raffled off at the tournament. Raffle tickets will be available at the field for purchase.

Pitch and Equipment

- Games will be played on turf with size 5 soccer balls.
- Goals are small, approximately 6' x 4'.
- Pitch will be approximately the same size as a basketball court, no walls.
- Shin guards and cleats are recommended but not required. No metal studs.
- Teams are expected to wear all of the same color*.

*Pinnies will be provided on a game-to-game basis for any conflicting colors

Style of Play

Games will be played similar to the <u>Homeless World Cup</u> and <u>Street Soccer USA</u> <u>Cups</u>. The fast paced and team oriented style allows any team to be competitive. Fair play and sportsmanship are key to our mission and expected from all teams.



Rules

Standard soccer rules will be in effect with the following modifications:

Field and Team

- 3 on-field players plus one goalie, maximum 8 person roster
- 3 members needed to start the game. Otherwise the team will risk forfeiture.
- All players must be 18+ and sign a waiver, which is available online or at registration
- Each half will be 7 minutes
- Fields will have no walls and be approximately the size of a basketball court
- Goals will be approximately 6' x 4'

Game Structure

- The half will just be for switching sides (No break).
- Kick offs begins when to referee rolls the ball into one team. Alternate team will receive the ball in the second half.
- After every goal, play is immediately restarted from the restricted zone by the team who was just scored on.
- Substitutes can come on at any time.
- Goals can be scored from anywhere on the pitch except for within the marked restricted zone in front of the goal.
- Penalty kicks are taken from the halfway line with no goalies. Play is resumed by the defending goalie, regardless of the outcome.
- All out of bounds plays are taken on the ground and indirect. No throw-ins.
- No sliding, blatant fouls, or playing on the ground.
- Penalty kicks will be given for denying goal scoring opportunities.
- All other free kicks are indirect.
- Keep it fun and safe. No belittling, name calling, or trash talking.

3v2 on Defense

- In their defensive half, teams may not have more than 2 defenders and the goalie (ie each team must always have a player in the attacking half)
- Violation awards the offensive team a free kick from the center line
- Persistent violations (3+) will result in a penalty kick



Restricted Zone

- Field players are not allowed to be in the zone at any time. The penalty for being in the zone will be loss of possession (when violated by offense) and penalty kick (when violated by defense).
- Goalies are not allowed to leave the zone at any time. The penalty for a goalie leaving the zone will be a penalty kick.

Additional Goalie Rules

- Goalies may not use their hands after an intentional pass-back from their teammate.
- Goalies may not hold the ball longer than 6 seconds
- Passing back to the goalie 3 times in a row, in an effort to waste time, will result in a penalty kick

Check out <u>videos</u> of the SSUSA Cup to get an idea of the similar game play.

Tournament Structure

Group Play

- At least 3 games guaranteed
- 3 points for a win, 1 point for a tie,
- Tie Breakers
 - Head to Head
 - Goal Differential
 - PK Shootout

Knockout

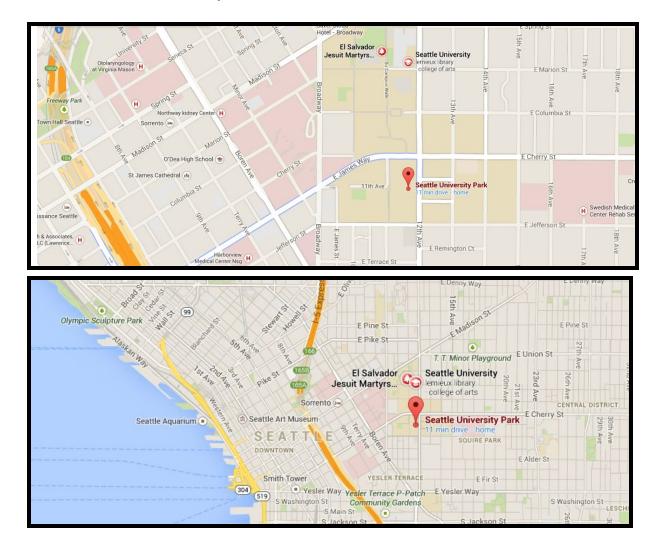
- Single Elimination
- Seeding determined by Group Play
- Playoff games ending in a tie will result in a sudden death penalty shoot out. Shots will be taken by the 4 players on the field at the end of the game. If tied after 4, penalties repeat through the same 4 players taking shots in the same order.



Street Soccer Cascadia Cup

Similar to the Cascadia Cup between the Timbers, Sounders, and Whitecaps, the Street Soccer teams from Portland, Seattle, and West Canada will be participating in the Cascadia Cup. These Street Soccer teams will participate in the general Cap Hill Soccer Jam while also playing each other.

Any games between these Street Soccer teams will accumulate points towards the Cascadia Cup. Whichever team has the most points will receive the Cascadia Cup. Tie breakers will be the same as the overall tournament.



Location: Seattle University Park, Seattle, WA 98122

