



Spring Cup Requirements for Non-STYSA/US Youth Soccer Registered Teams

All Non-STYSA/US Youth Soccer Clubs/Teams desiring to participate in 2017 Spring Cups must adhere to all of the requirements listed below.

- Clubs wanting to re-integrate Spring 2017 (Spring Cups) must commit at least **Four (4) Teams** from non-STYSA / US Youth Soccer leagues, where possible, to a STYSA Spring 2017 Cup (State Cup, Presidents Cup, Directors Cup), or a combination thereof. Clubs wanting to commit fewer than four (4) teams must apply for an exception to the STYSA Executive Director and STYSA Program Managers for approval (e.g. Club “A” only has a single team participating in USCTX).
- Clubs wanting to re-integrate Spring 2017 need to sign a **performance guarantee** (\$1,500 per Club) that all of their non-STYSA/US Youth Soccer teams participating in a STYSA Spring 2017 Cup agree to participate in a STYSA 2017/18 seasonal year league (SCL, DDL, WDDOA, local Member Association). Approval for SCL applications will be from the STYSA TDC.
 - Clubs choosing to re-integrate in a STYSA 2017/18 seasonal year league (SCL, DDL, WDDOA, local Member Association) could apply directly to those leagues for consideration. Approval for SCL applications will be from the STYSA TDC. Approvals for DDL, WDDOA, or a local Member Association will come from those respective leagues.
- In order to participate in State Cup or Presidents Cup, non-STYSA/US Youth Soccer teams must register, participate and qualify into the Cup via the specific Cup’s Open Bracket. Registration for the specific Cup Open Bracket is on the specific Cup’s webpage. For details regarding the format/specifics of the Open Bracket and qualifying via the Open Bracket please refer to the Open Bracket Informational Document on the State Cup and Presidents Cup webpages.
- In order to participate in Directors Cup, non-STYSA/US Youth Soccer teams must adhere to the Cup Eligibility below.
- Non-STYSA/US Youth Soccer Teams – Cup Eligibility
 - State Cup – Texas Champions League, USC Champions League, USCTX Bracket A (top 50%)
 - Presidents Cup – USCTX Bracket A (bottom 50%), USCTX Bracket B (Top 75%)
 - Directors Cup – USCTX Bracket B (bottom 25%), USCTX Bracket C
- Open Bracket and Cup games will not be scheduled around or rescheduled for non-STYSA/Youth Soccer League Games.