

Dear City League Coaches,

The practice field assignments for the Fall 2009 season have arrived, and I need your field time requests by July 30.

The field situation is always very tricky, and as many of you will choose the same fields and the same times, it stands to reason that **you may not get exactly what you ask for.**

**House league (U7-U9)** - Eckstein is reserved for House League use until their season ends at the end of October.

**U-10s** these fields are possible practice sites: Upper View Ridge, Decatur South, Decatur North, and Ravenna. Some of these fields won't have goal posts so you need to use cones or flags.

**U-11s** these fields are possible sites: Decatur South, Decatur North, Ravenna, Magnuson #2, and Dahl South. Some of these fields won't have goal posts so you need to use cones or flags.

**U-12s** and older have these potential fields to choose from: Dahl North, Dahl South, Magnuson#1, Laurelhurst, Lower View Ridge, and Dahl West.

**U-13 and older** have these potential fields to choose from: Dahl North, Dahl South, Dahl West, Magnuson #1, Laurelhurst, Lower View Ridge, Magnuson Turf field #6, Magnuson Turf Field #7.

Send your field time requests to me by July 30, and your practice field assignments will be handed out at the City League Coaches Meeting in August (tentatively set for August 13, details to follow). If you would like your field assignment before the coaches meeting, please e-mail me after July 30 at [fields@lvr-soccer.org](mailto:fields@lvr-soccer.org); if your field has been released by Parks, I can send on your assignment before the meeting.

Please review the **2009 Field Master Schedule** document on our website to see your options for assigned practice times and fields. **Pay attention to the age limitations on the heading of each field.**

- We are assigned to our fields from 5:00-8:00 p.m. Only Dahl West, Magnuson #6, and Magnuson #7 have any lighting. When daylight savings ends and the days get shorter we are not granted new fields and times.
- The priority for assignments are: #1 LVR board affiliation, #2 Team age (U-19s and U-18s at the top), #3 Coaching more than one team.
- There is no priority given to select or gold teams in this process.

- I'm hoping to give every team two hours of practice time per week. **Please let me know if you only want one hour, or if you don't want any assigned time.**
- **Please give me several possible options for your team, especially if you are seeking two hours each week. For example:**

#1 Mon. & Wed. 5-6 at Dahl South

#2 Tues. 6-7 & Friday 5-6 at University

#3 Mon. & Wed. 6-7 at Laurelhurst

Thanks for coaching!

Good Luck in 09,

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