

Coaches and Assistant Coaches,

Thank you for accepting or considering a coaching position with Superiorland Soccer Association.

As a new or prospective coach:

- You will need to complete the Risk Management process that will be emailed to you upon your acceptance of a position. This needs to be completed prior to your first practice.
- Attend Coaches Rally Day scheduled for May 5. You will receive your equipment, team roster and player T shirts. There will be no player rally day this year. Time and location to be announced.
- Hold team practice once a week along with their teams scheduled game.
- At seasons end, Head Coaches need to complete online player evaluations and return SSA equipment. SSA will reimburse you \$50.00 of your child's registration fee.

Erik Maillard, SSA Director of Coaches has planned coach's education sessions prior to the start of the season.

E-License class is scheduled for April 14 &15 at Bothwell Middle School. This course is for head coaches who have experience coaching or are planning on coaching at the U 10 or higher. SSA will reimburse head coaches the cost of the program upon successful completion after the 2012 recreation season. This course is not a requirement to coach.

To register for E-License certification please visit:

<http://www.michiganyouthsoccer.org/Page553.aspx>

NMU is hosting a program for new coaches. This will provide drills, rules and how to lead a soccer team. If you are considering coaching and do not where to start, this program is for you. This session will be held on March 24 from 9AM-Noon at the PIEF.

For the experienced coaches, we will have drills and share our ideas. This will be hosted by Matt Granstrand, NMU Women's Soccer Coach. This will also be held on March 24 from 9 AM-Noon at the PIEF.

Thank you again for your willingness to share your time with our children. We are sure you will find this to be a positive and rewarding experience.

Jim Mackey

Erik Maillard

SSA President

SSA Director of Coaches