

## **East Side Soccer Signup**

**The Haslett Soccer Club announces East Side Soccer Sign ups for  
Fall 2008 and Spring 2009  
Registration Deadline: Friday, June 20**

### **Small-Sided playing fields for Second and Third Graders**

Haslett enters small-sided East Side Soccer teams for 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> grade boys and girls. Teams are not setup to be co-ed. Boys play against boys and girls play against girls. Each team plays with 7 players on the field, which will include a goalkeeper. The field size is 60 yards by 40 yards. The Small sided teams typically have 10 to 12 players on each team roster.

### **Large-Sided playing fields for Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, & Eighth Grade Boys & Girls**

Haslett also enters teams for 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys & girls. These teams are not co-ed either. These teams play on a regular size soccer field that has 8 players – including a goalkeeper. Normally each team will have 11 to 14 players on each team roster.

**Why sign up now for East Side Soccer?** The final number of Haslett East Side teams at all grade levels is contingent on the number of players who sign up for each level. East Side prepares the fall schedule before school starts in the fall. This means we will enter teams for each level dependent on the number of players who sign up this spring. If a sufficient number of players do not sign up for a particular grade level we can't schedule a team at that level. If large numbers of players sign up at a particular grade level, we will field multiple teams for that grade. Places on team rosters are filled on a first come first serve basis. To insure that teams are offered at your child's grade level and to insure a place for your child on a team, it is imperative that you register your child this spring. Teams will be restructured each fall to ensure equally sized and diverse skill levels. Fall rosters will remain the same for spring, and additional teams may be formed in the spring if there is sufficient interest.

**How do I sign my child up?** If your child is presently enrolled in Haslett schools, you should complete a registration form and have your child return it along with a check made payable to Haslett Community Education for the appropriate fees to Haslett Community Education by **June 20<sup>th</sup> 2008**. Registrations can also be printed from Haslett's Soccer Club website [www.haslettsoccerclub.com](http://www.haslettsoccerclub.com) If your child is not enrolled in Haslett Public Schools but you reside in the district, you may also sign your child up through Haslett Community Education. You can call them at 339-2665 for additional information. Payment by credit card along with the registration can be sent by Fax (517) 339-8155, or mailed with the completed registration form with an attached check to payable to:

**Haslett Community Education**  
Address: 1590 Franklin Street  
Haslett, MI 48840

**The fee for East Side Soccer** is \$50.00 for both fall and spring seasons. The fee for one season only is \$40.00

**Is East Side Soccer much different from HYRA soccer?** The emphasis of each is on participation and not on competition. One difference is that East Side Soccer teams practice once or twice a week during the fall & spring season. Another difference from HYRA soccer is that Haslett East Side Soccer teams play teams from other communities, not just Haslett teams. The kids seem to enjoy this aspect of East Side Soccer the most.

**What does it mean on the registration form where it says, "We need each position filled"?** East Side Soccer is a volunteer organization and as such, needs all parents to help. If you can coach or help coach that would be great. If you aren't comfortable coaching, help is needed to schedule practice(s) as well as resolve schedule changes. Managers get all the paper work out to parents, organize a telephone trees, organize snack lists, help with practice ride sharing, arrange game day rides and help with field setups. You could also serve as your team representative to East Side Soccer or the Haslett Soccer Club. This involves one or two meetings in the fall and two meetings in the spring.

**Does East Side Soccer travel to far away places?** No! The member communities of East Side are Williamston, Okemos, East Lansing, Holt, Mason, Dansville, Perry, Leslie, and Stockbridge. About half of the games are at home and the other half are scheduled away.

**If you have any questions please contact Haslett Community Education**  
**Phone: 339-2665 x203                      Fax 339-8155**