

## **PIM 99-2 (Rev. 11/07) CYSA GUEST PLAYER POLICY**

For the entire CYSA Calendar year, CYSA tournaments shall be allowed to accept teams with no more than seven (7) guest players. The decision to include teams with guest players in any CYSA Tournament is solely at the discretion of the tournament. Every tournament has the responsibility to establish a policy regarding the participation of teams with guest players in their tournament. The policy must be stated in their Information/Rules Document for each tournament calendar year.

CYSA teams may not exceed seven (7) guest players for any single event or exceed eighteen (18) players playing in the event. Team rosters (goldenrods) may never exceed 18 players. The combination of players on a team's official CYSA Roster (goldenrod) who are active for the tournament and the number of CYSA Guest Players approved for the event on the CYSA Guest Player Form 1611 (up to a maximum of seven (7) players) may not exceed eighteen (18) players.

### **Examples:**

- A team has eighteen (18) players currently on their roster of which fourteen (14) are active and are going to play in an upcoming tournament. The team may add up to four (4) guest players for the tournament.
- A team has sixteen (16) players currently on their roster of which eleven (11) are active and are going to play in an upcoming tournament. The team may add up to seven (7) guest players for the tournament.
- A team has fourteen (14) players currently on their roster of which seven (7) are active and are going to play in an upcoming tournament. The team may add up to seven (7) guest players for the tournament.

A player who is suspended may not be approved to participate as a guest player.

Guest Players may be from teams in any CYSA District.

For each guest player, a separate CYSA Guest Player form must be completed for each player and must have all the appropriate signatures.

Guest players must use credentials from the same season as those being used by the team with which they are playing as a guest player.

**GUEST PLAYERS MUST PARTICIPATE WITH A TEAM IN THE SAME OR HIGHER DIVISION THAN IS INDICATED ON THEIR MEMBER PASS.**

U-10 or younger players may not travel as a guest player to any tournament or games.

### **Guest Players for Out Of State / Out of United States Play**

The maximum number of guest players allowed will be determined from official rules or policies of the tournament. In no instance may the number of guest players on the CYSA Official Travel Roster exceed seven (7) players.

Teams traveling outside of CYSA-N jurisdiction to play in an out-of-state, US Youth Soccer-sanctioned tournament may add guest players to their CYSA Official Travel Roster. The CYSA Official Travel Roster, which limits teams to a maximum of 18 players, must be completed to indicate which players are guest players (3:09:01.)