Loch Raven-IHM Girls Soccer Program

Greater Loch Raven Recreation Center

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**![MCj04077240000[1]]() Immaculate Heart of Mary / Loch Raven Girl’s Fall Soccer Clinic U8 Registration** **![MCj04077240000[1]]()**

Dear Parents,

Loch Raven-Immaculate Heart of Mary (IHM) Girls Soccer is dedicated to the mission of the Archdiocese of Baltimore Soccer Program “*to promote the physical, moral, spiritual, mental, social and emotional well-being of our youth participants*”. We focus on training players to compete in a positive learning environment. Our success can be measured by our players’ desire to compete through their enjoyment of the game and their continuous improvement as athletes and team players.

For Clinic, we will continue to focus on the building blocks of successful soccer playing. Individual ball skills are a key focus.  We'll work on moving with the ball with all sides of the feet, correctly receiving the ball, and correct mechanics for passing and striking the ball.  We'll move further into team play, defense, goalkeeping, spatial awareness, and the rules of the game. We'll design dynamic practices to keep the girls moving and engaged as they learn new skills. Clinic will play and practice at Pleasant Plains Elementary School.

To reserve a spot on a soccer team roster for this fall, please **complete an online registration** (or return a completed paper registration form with registration fees to the Loch Raven Recreation Council).

Team rosters are filled on a first come, first serve basis. Please register as soon as possible, and **no later than June 30th 2020**, to ensure your spot on a team.

**REGISTRATION COST**

**Clinic** (6-7) Ages 6 or 7 years on or before **07/31/20 $75**

**Make all checks or money orders payable to** **GLRRC Girls Soccer**. Cost includes $5 non-refundable registration cost.

**ONLINE REGISTRATION NOW AVAILABLE – see** [**www.glrrc.com**](http://www.glrrc.org)

**MAIL IN REGISTRATION: forms can be mailed or dropped off at the Rec Office:**

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Additional registration forms and information available at: [http://www.glrrc.com](http://www.glrrc.org)

**Loch Raven-IHM Clinic Soccer Program (Ages 6 and 7)**

For players ages 6 and 7, we offer our all girls ABSP Instructional Travel League. We divide players into teams with balanced player skill levels. Practices are normally twice a week with Saturday games at Pleasant Plains Elementary (and a few away games). Players receive a full soccer uniform and a soccer ball to keep, an individual trophy and participation in games,. **Clinic will begin in early or mid-August.**

**Looking Forward to Fall Soccer!**

If your child has friends who want to play soccer, tell them about our program. We strive to provide a positive learning environment for all players, whether they are new to the game or very experienced and competitive (and all stages in between). No experience is necessary and all ability levels welcome. We’re looking forward to a great year of girl’s soccer at Loch Raven-IHM!

If you are interested in assisting with this age group please contact me.  Our number one qualification for volunteers is patience and a desire to teach the game in a positive way. I have plenty of resources to assist with coaching best practices and practice plans.

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