



2017-2018 Membership Plan U13, U14, and U15 Travel Program

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Our travel soccer program is structured into two levels – Orange and White. The table below outlines the specific number of FSCI events that are covered by membership dues.

	ORANGE LEVEL	WHITE LEVEL
Scheduled Practices Per Week	Fall and Spring: 3 minimum Winter: 1 to 2	Fall and Spring: 3 minimum Winter: 1 to 2
Scheduled Practices Per Season	Fall & Spring: 38 minimum Winter: 12 minimum	Fall & Spring: 38 minimum Winter: 12 minimum
Practice to Game Ratio	Fall & Spring: At least 3:1	Fall & Spring: At least 3:1

The table below outlines the specific number of events that FSCI provides for free that are not covered by player membership dues.

	ORANGE LEVEL	WHITE LEVEL
Games Scheduled	Fall & Spring: 11 to 16 Winter: 6 minimum	Fall & Spring: 11 to 16 Winter: 6 minimum

EXPECTATIONS

1. Commitment is required.
 - a. Before the season, inform the coaches of any long standing commitments.
 - b. Players are expected to makeup missed practices.
 - c. Practice is the most important event each week because it's the only time learning and improvement occur and the coach has the most influence.
2. Please read and understand the following documents.
 - a. Travel Program Rules
 - b. Parent handbook
 - c. Player registration checklist.

SCHEDULE

1. The table below lists the approximate start date and end date of each season.

Season	Start Date	Estimated End Date
Fall 2017	Week of August 1	November 19-20
Winter 2018	Week of January 2	February 24-25
Spring 2018	Week of March 6	June 16-17

2. Please reference the age group calendar as it is the only official source of events.
3. The winter season features a flex-system where players can attend practices outside their normal schedule upon request. This is to accommodate and encourage players to play another sport during the winter months.

MEMBERSHIP DUES AND PAYMENT DEADLINES

1. The table below lists the membership dues.

Season	Orange Level Dues	White Level Dues
Fall 2017	\$425.00	\$425.00
Winter 2018	\$225.00	\$225.00
Spring 2018	\$425.00	\$425.00

2. All players on Orange and White must commit to both the Fall 2017 season and the Winter 2018 season.
3. Below are the payment deadlines. Please also note the following:
 - a. Returning eligible players are guaranteed a spot if payment is made by the Payment 1 deadline.
 - b. With the exception of the Payment 1 deadline, any missed deadlines will result in a \$20.00 late fee.
 - c. To be eligible to attend the first practice, Payments 1, 2, and 3 must be made by the deadline or an approved payment plan must be in place by the deadline.
 - d. To be eligible to participate in October events, Payments 1 thru 5 must be made or an approved payment plan must be in place by the deadline.

Payments	Deadline	Orange Level
Payment 1 – Fall 2017	April 10	\$200.00
Payment 2 – Fall 2017	June 25	\$225.00
Payment 3 - Winter 2018	July 25	\$225.00
Payment 4 - Spring 2018	December 1	\$200.00
Payment 5 - Spring 2018	February 1	\$225.00

DISCLAIMERS

1. Schedule and logistics are subject to change due to weather, unforeseen circumstances, or circumstances outside our control. FSCI will make its “best effort” to provide the specific number of scheduled practice and game events.
2. The number of games scheduled is the summation of league games, tournament games, and non-league games for each season.
3. The number of players that can dress for a game is 18. If we keep more than 18 on the roster, we will have a player rotation system where everyone will dress for the minimum number of scheduled games listed above.
4. On the basis of merit, a player can move from white to orange (or vice versa) or into different age groups at any point during their tenure in the club.
5. Financial assistance is available for children that qualify.
6. Membership in the program is granted strictly to the child that’s participating, not adults.
7. A player cannot participate in any activities if a payment deadline has been missed regardless if previous payments have been made.
8. The required uniform is not covered within membership dues.

Major Events

(Schedule and Events are subject to change)

Event	Orange
League	NCSL (Fall 2017 and Spring 2018)
Winter Games	TBD – 6 Games
Non-League Events	<p><u>2 Events – Fall 2017</u> August Friendlies – August Labor Day Tournament OR Columbus Day Tournament (or maybe both)</p> <p><u>2 Events – Spring 2018</u> FSCI March Friendlies – March FSCI June Tournament – June</p>

Event	White
League	ODSL or Skyline or NCSL (Fall 2017 and Spring 2018)
Winter Games	TBD – 6 Games
Tournaments	<p><u>2 Events – Fall 2017</u> August Friendlies – August Labor Day Tournament OR Columbus Day Tournament (or maybe both)</p> <p><u>2 Events – Spring 2018</u> FSCI March Friendlies – March FSCI June Tournament – June</p>

Travel Program Benefits

Feature	
Curriculum Based Training	✓
Training Methodology Overseen by a TD	✓
Professional Coaches	✓
Skills Development and Training	✓
Speed and Agility Training	✓
Goalkeeper Training	✓
Access to Bermuda grass training fields	✓
Indoor Training Facility	✓
Training equipment	✓
Financial Assistance Available	✓
College Recruitment Program (U16 and older)	✓
Insurance	✓

Benefits provided by FSCI for FREE

Game or League Administrative Fees	✓
Referee Fees	✓
Outdoor Tournament Event in Fredericksburg	✓
College Showcase Events (U16 and older Only)	✓