

Odyssey Club Fee Policy

Club Fees

For U10 - U19 players, the annual club fees covers August 1 - July 31. The annual club fee includes quality training, field use, indoor/outdoor league fees, player registration, team registration, facility costs. The annual club fee does not include the uniform kit, tournament fees, personal travel costs, and spirit wear/accessories. Members have the option to pay the club fees using our approved payment plan or a one-time full-pay plan.

How to claim your roster spot

To claim your roster spot you must pay \$100.00 which is a non-refundable deposit as soon as you get your confirmation about making the team. The \$100.00 will be applied towards your first club fee payment which is due no later than December 1st and you will be expected to begin training in December with your team. The \$100 deposit will NOT hold your spot until spring if you decide you do not want to play the indoor season.

Late charge Fees

Payments are due on the date specified and subject to a \$25 late charge if payment is not received before the next payment is due.

Returned Payment Fees

Returned Check payments that do not settle your account and are returned unpaid to Odyssey are subject to a \$25 service charge. Odyssey will bill you the service charge and you will have 10 days to pay your account. This applies to payments by check, electronic debit, credit card and debit card.

Overdue Accounts

The Odyssey board unanimously voted to exclude players who have not met their financial commitment. All ages, are required to be up-to-date in order to be added to a new year roster. Also, the Board will no longer allow players who have not met their financial commitment to participate in training and games. This means that the players pass will be pulled until all financial commitments are met.

Special Cases

The club does make exceptions in the event of injury or other extraordinary circumstances. You may make a request for an exception by sending an email to Corinne Banker (cbanker@odysseysportny.com). Exceptions may not be granted by managers or coaches. In the event of a season ending injury, players in good financial standing will receive a credit prorated to the amount of time remaining in the season to use towards the next soccer season. All requests shall be answered within one (1) board meeting cycle.

Refund Policy

Odyssey is committed to each player for a full year and we expect each player to be committed to Odyssey for the year as well. Once the soccer year has begun, no refunds will be issued, as other players may have been rejected on the basis of your commitment, demonstrated by accepting an Odyssey roster spot.

To request **financial aid** the Financial Aid Application must be submitted to the Odyssey office no later than December 1. Visit www.odysseysportny.com for an application or print page 3 of this document. Financial aid is based on financial need using the Federal Poverty Guidelines as a tool and an award is not guaranteed. Financial aid awards are not talent based nor are they guaranteed from year to year. All financial aid requests will be held in the strictest of confidence by the Odyssey Board of Directors. All requests shall be answered within one (1) board meeting cycle.

* In addition to the annual club fees a **fundraiser fee** of \$100.00 will be added per player to annual fees (Max 2 per family). This fundraiser fee can be offset by the selling of raffle tickets. Any player may sell more than the minimum of 20 tickets and use the proceeds to offset their training fees by 100%.

By accepting a roster spot, you agree to abide by the bylaws, rules, and sanctions of the Club and the soccer organizations that govern the Club. You'll find most of these posted on the Club website and the websites of our governing organizations. A few rules are posted at our facility, and these rules govern all members and guests on Club property.

Signature

Date

This page must be received in addition to your payment to secure roster position.

Fee structure

Tryouts - \$25 Due at time of registration

Full season - \$675 paid in full by January 1st (\$750 minus a \$75 discount for paying early)

Full season with monthly payments - \$750 (Includes fundraiser fee)

\$100 due at time of acceptance

\$130 due on 1/1

\$130 due on 2/1

\$130 due on 3/1

\$130 due on 4/1

\$130 due on 5/1

If behind on May 1st, a player will not be participating in the outdoor season until the member has regained good financial status standing. **Players who do not have their balances paid in full by May 1st will be assessed a \$100 charge, unless other arrangements have been made.**

Training only - \$200 per season

\$200 Indoor training - unlimited sessions with ONE age appropriate team

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Indoor or Outdoor Season ONLY - \$400 plus fundraiser of \$100

Should you wish to start indoor and then add outdoor the additional cost would be \$200

Should you wait or not start until mid season or only want to play outdoors we cannot guarantee that the roster for your team will not already have been filled. If there is room on the roster, and you are invited to play after a tryout, you can certainly be added to a roster. But, many times a roster fills to capacity, and there may be no room for players that do not join at the beginning of the season. Roster sizes are determined by ENYSSA, our State association, not by Odyssey.

3rd child discount available of \$200(for the third child only) ONLY if all children play BOTH seasons

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For the this season and foreseeable future, we will be wearing Nike uniforms. Every 2 years the uniforms will change and players will be required to purchase new ones. Uniform costs are NOT included in the fees.

Odyssey Sport Soccer Club Financial Aid Application

Odyssey Sport Soccer Club has instituted a financial aid program available to players needing financial assistance in order to participate as an athlete and play Odyssey Soccer. Odyssey financial aid funding may only be applied to the season registration fee. Acceptance into the Odyssey financial aid program does not mean full payment of a player's registration fee. **Odyssey Sport Soccer Club reserves the right to award scholarships based upon availability of funds.**

APPLICATION DATE _____ TEAM (Age/Gender) _____

PLAYER NAME _____ PLAYER BIRTHDATE _____

Please state your request in the following space (Continue on back of page if necessary):

Family Information: Parent/Guardian (s) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip Code _____

Phone (H) _____ (W) _____

Income Information and Qualification: Odyssey Sport Soccer Club has determined that eligibility for financial aid will be based on eligibility and acceptance for free and reduced price meals in accordance with NYS policy. **To be eligible for financial aid with Odyssey Sport Soccer Club, you must provide Odyssey with a copy of the letter confirming your acceptance into the "Free or Reduced Lunch" Program for the current school year. No other financial information is required.**

All other financial hardship requests must be submitted in writing to the Odyssey Board of Directors. In order to receive financial aid, you must agree to the following. Please initial each box.

- I may be asked to volunteer for club activities.
- I agree to the commitment of competitive traveling soccer, including but not limited to, practices and tournaments.

I, the undersigned, hereby state all the above information to be true and correct.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____