



# DYNAMO ⚡ DASH YOUTH



## SOUTH TEXAS SPRING SHOWDOWN MAY 7 & 8, 2022



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# ***SOUTH TEXAS SPRING SHOWDOWN***

## ***WELCOME PACKET***

Players, Coaches and Team Managers,

Welcome to the South Texas Spring Showdown, hosting over 100 teams from Texas. The goal of the tournament committee is to make your player's soccer experience on and off the field fun, safe and rewarding. The purpose of this event is to create an atmosphere for youth players and families to have fun enjoyable games, preparing teams to experience what tournament play at the next level looks like, the format, experience & expectations.

### **SCHEDULES**

The tournament schedules are now posted. They can be viewed, along with field maps and more tournament information, by visiting [www.DynamoDashYouth.com/showdown](http://www.DynamoDashYouth.com/showdown). If you see any errors in your schedule, please email [staylor@dynamodashyouth.com](mailto:staylor@dynamodashyouth.com). Schedules are subject to change. Please keep checking your schedule until Friday, and over the course of the weekend as there may be slight changes if necessary.

### **CHECK-IN**

**All teams MUST check-in prior to their first game. There are 2 options to check-in, as follows.**

Dynamo Dash Youth (DDY) Recreational Teams need to check in with a completed South Texas Youth Soccer Medical Release. DDY Youth Academy teams are checked in.

All other teams need check in with Player Cards, Medical Release & Roster.

[Click here](#) for USYSA (STYSA) Medical Release

[Click here](#) for US Club Medical Release

### **OPTION 1: ONLINE CHECK-IN**

Log into the GotSport account you registered the team with & upload the required documents to the event.

Online Check-In Deadline: May 4 @ 10 PM

### **OPTION 2: SATURDAY AM CHECK-IN**

Check-in at the Tournament HQ, one hour prior to your teams first game.

### **ATHLETIC TRAINERS**

Athletic Trainers are Provided by Memorial Herman and will be located at the tournament HQ.

### **SCORING**

Team officials (Coach and/or Manager) are responsible for reporting the scores of each game!

- Game cards will be provided by referees
- Completed game cards should be submitted in at the Tournament HQ at each site by the **game winning coach/manager** (or home coach in the case of a tie) immediately after the game finished
- These scores will be posted online approx. 45 mins after card is submitted
- Please check that the game card is correct before submission
- Any questions regarding scores, please contact the Tournament HQ.



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### **TOURNAMENT RULES**

To view the rules, please visit [www.DynamoDashYouth.com/showdown](http://www.DynamoDashYouth.com/showdown).

### **FINALS, TIEBREAKERS AND AWARDS**

#### **BRACKET ADVACEMENTS**

There are no finals and/or brackets advancement for the U7 & U8 brackets as per state rules.

**5 Team Brackets:** Round robin. Team with the highest points is the Champion. Second place is runner up/ finalist. There is no playoff game.

**6 Team Brackets:** Two teams with the highest total points will play in the final regardless of which bracket they are in.

**8 Team Brackets:** Teams in Bracket A play round robin, teams in Bracket B play round robin. Winner of each bracket play in the final.

#### **TIE BREAKERS**

- Winner in head-to-head competition
- Highest goal difference (goals for minus goals against) with a maximum of three (3) goals per game.
- Total goals allowed (Team with fewest total goals allowed advances).
- FIFA Penalty kicks

#### **AWARDS**

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place team in each flight (Orange, Black, White) will receive awards. 1<sup>st</sup> place receives individual trophies and 2<sup>nd</sup> place receive medals.

#### **PARKING**

Parking is always a challenge at tournaments. Please encourage your families to take the following steps to reduce parking headaches (and view site-specific information on the tournament website for more parking information):

- Give yourself plenty of extra time to arrive at the fields. If you're running late you will be tempted to stop in the middle of the roadway and drop kids off at the fields, which is both unsafe and slows down the progress of other drivers.
- Carpooling will reduce your stress as well.
- There will be areas, nearer the church, that need to be vacated before 3.30 PM on Saturday. Signage will make it clear if any area of the parking lot needs to be cleared.

#### **ETIQUETTE**

Please obey the rules and regulations associated with each of our tournament sites. The tournament committee reserves the right to remove spectators behaving inappropriately.

#### **APPAREL**

The tournament apparel is supplied by Fine Designs. Fine Designs will be set up close to the Tournament HQ over the course of the weekend. Check out the Dynamo Dash Youth social media for more info!

#### **ACCOMODATIONS**

Team Travel Source is the housing partner for Dynamo Dash Youth! We have worked hard to secure the best hotel rooms with the lowest rates for teams, coaches and attendees!



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Team Travel Source can't wait to hear from you and is excited to EXCEED YOUR EXPECTATIONS!

[CLICK HERE](#) to view the special offers on hotel accommodations for this event.

### **WEATHER ALERTS**

In the event of inclement, such as lightning (within 10 miles) or heavy rain that causes unsafe conditions, field status and information will be communicated by;

### **EMAIL**

The emails will come from a GotSport email to the coaches, team managers and contact person listed on the teams GotSport account. If you aren't sure if your details are correct on your teams GotSport account, please login and update any information NOW!!

### **WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA**

Alerts and special announcements will be posted at [www.DynamoDashYouth.com/showdown](http://www.DynamoDashYouth.com/showdown) and on our social media platforms. Follow us now by searching Dynamo Dash Youth on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.

### **SOCIAL MEDIA**

Follow us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter by searching Dynamo Dash Youth. For a chance to be featured in our posts, don't forget to tag your posts with @DynamoDashYouth and the hashtags; #DDYShowdown #DDYTournaments

Thank you for attending the South Texas Spring Showdown. We look forward to a positive and enjoyable experience for all participants.

Stuart Taylor  
Tournament Director